



Last Day to Purchase Tickets for Breakfast and More with Santa!

(No tickets sold at the door!)

To purchase tickets [click here](#). Don't miss out on this wonderful event!

Highlights of Wilde Lake Village Board Meeting December 2, 2019

- The Board met with Megan Williams, Constituent Services Liaison, Office of the Howard County Executive and China Williams, Special Assistant to Councilmember Deb Jung, District 4, to discuss various concerns, including flooding on Hyla Brook Road and speeding on Green Mountain Circle.
- The Board approved a donation request by Grassroots.
- The Board discussed ideas for improvements to the Village Green
- The Board discussed the Community Feedback Survey results and ideas for improving the programs and activities for Wilde Lake residents
- The Board discussed requests for the County Executive's FY2021 Citizens' Budget Hearing.



Village Elections 2020

Village Elections will be held on April 25, 2020. There are five seats on the Village Board and one seat for the Wilde Lake representative to the Columbia Council.

The nomination period opens on February 18, 2020. Interested residents can obtain a candidates' packet at Slayton House or on the website. The packet includes a petition to run for the Village Board or Columbia Council, which must be signed by neighbors and returned by March 11 at 9pm. More information will be available soon on our website.



County Executive To Hold 1st FY21 Citizens' Budget Hearing

Monday, Dec. 9 at 7:00 p.m., George Howard Building

Howard County Executive Calvin Ball will hold his first Citizens' Budget Hearing for the FY2021 budget cycle on Monday, December 9 at 7:00 p.m. in the Bancker Room of the George Howard Building, 3430

Court House Drive in Ellicott City.

Beginning Monday, November 25, residents will be able to sign-up ONLINE to speak at the hearing by going to www.howardcountymd.gov/budgettestimony. From the same link, residents will also have the option to provide online budget testimony; however, residents are reminded that internet testimony is considered public information and, as such, is subject to the Maryland Public Information Act.

Residents who do not wish to sign-up online will still be able to sign-up in person on the night of the public hearing beginning at 6:00 p.m. Speakers must sign-up individually, and one person may not sign-up for several testifiers.



Howard County Executive Calvin Ball's 4th Annual Toys for Tots Distribution

Donate a new and unwrapped toy and drop it off through December 13 by 12pm. For a list of drop off locations [click here](#). The Howard County Executive Office will select families as designated by their local schools' pupil personnel worker. Interested in volunteering or have

questions, contact Kimberly Pruum at 410-313-3395 or kpruum@howardcountymd.gov.

One Day Art Show by Taurean Washington

Come join Columbia's resident visual artist Taurean Washington on December 14, 3:30-5:30pm at Slayton House for the "Rap Up" art exhibition!

This is a mini retrospective exhibit comprised of over 20 paintings. Exclusive prints and t-shirts will be on sale as well!

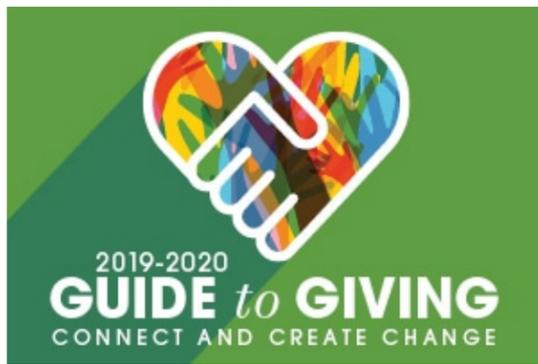


Healthy Habits for the Holiday Season

The "Holiday Season" is officially here... Feeling guilty about that extra slice of pie? Don't beat yourself up! It takes a lot of calories—3,500—to gain a pound of body fat. So really, that one off day doesn't usually result in any significant weight gain.

It's about what you do the next day and the day after that's really important—so don't stay off-track. So be sure to whittle away at those extra calories over the next day or two, preferably by boosting exercise, for instance, try taking an extra 15-minute walk around your office each day rather than eating too little. **Starvation is not the healthy answer!**

This information is provided by the WL Health and Wellness Committee. For more information, contact Laura Torres at lmt4941@yahoo.com



Connect and create change in our community by giving your time and talents or through donations of money, food, or gifts during the holiday season and beyond. Before you, your family or your business begin collecting items, **check the guide to see what is on the wish lists of local agencies!** [click here for info](#)

Presented by KidSpace at Supreme Sports Club

Ladies Night Out

Holiday Style

Eat, drink and shop! Participants will gain exclusive access to special offers, giveaways and holiday spirits. More than **25+ shopping booths** featuring exciting and diverse **jewelry, handbags, gift baskets, make-up, must-have kitchen accessories** and more!

Sat, Dec 7
6:30-9:30pm
 Supreme Sports Club
 7080 Deepage Drive, Columbia, MD 21045
 For adults only - Admission: 110 per person and includes:
 Chance to win a fabulous door prize
 Mini-pampering session
 Mini Makeovers
 Snacks, wine & refreshments

For more information or tickets, contact Vanessa Braswell at 410-381-2775 or Vanessa.Braswell@ColumbiaAssociation.org. Interested vendors, please contact Melissa Capo at 410-715-3169 or Melissa.Capo@ColumbiaAssociation.org.

Mark your calendar! Camp registration begins January 2, 2020!

The Broadway Edition June 29-July 17
 (No Camp July 3)
 Rising Stars Session I July 20-July 31
 Rising Stars Session II August 3-August 14
 For more information call 410/730-3987
 Email camp@wildelake.org
 Visit CampoftheArts.com

Mark Your Calendars!

- **October 24-December 14:** Art Exhibit: Creative Imaging Workshop
- **December 7:** Breakfast and More with Santa, 9am and 11:30am seatings. For tickets [click here](#)
- **December 10:** RAC meeting, 7:00pm ([Click here for agenda](#))
- **December 14:** Art Exhibition, Taurean Washington
- **December 24 - January 1, 2020:** Slayton House will be closed for the holidays
- **January 2:** Camp Registration begins
- **January 6:** WLVB meeting, 6:30pm ([Click here for agenda](#))
- **January 14 & 28:** RAC meeting, 7:00pm ([Click here for agenda](#))
- **January 9 & 23:** CA Board Meeting/Work Session 7pm [click here for agenda](#)