

**"It All Began Here!"- Wilde Lake e-News
May 28, 2021**



Memorial Day Holiday Schedules

The offices of Wilde Lake Community Association will be closed on Monday, May 31 in observance of Memorial Day. Howard County Government offices, courts, animal shelter, 50+ centers and Alpha Ridge Landfill will be closed in observance of the Memorial Day holiday on Monday, May 31. County offices will re-open at regular business hours on Tuesday, June 1. [Click here](#) for information about Columbia Association facilities holiday hours.

**June News from Howard County Recycling
Reminder- Slide Schedule in Effect**

There will be **NO CURBSIDE COLLECTIONS** on Monday, May 31.

Curbside collections of recycling, yard trim, food scraps and trash will **slide** and be made one day later that week. Bulk item collection will slide with trash collection. Scrap metal collection will remain as scheduled and will **not** slide.

Memorial Day	
<i>If your normal collection day is:</i>	<i>Your collection day this week is:</i>
Monday	→ Tuesday
Tuesday	→ Wednesday
Wednesday	→ Thursday
Thursday	→ Friday
Friday	→ Saturday

Talking Wilde with Kevin

Hello vibrant Wilde Lake Neighbors,
I hope you and yours are well and enjoying the sunshine, the serenade of the cicadas, and our wonderful open space.

Thank you again for your continued support of our popular village center merchants. They truly appreciate your patronage and referrals. The receptivity of Wilde Lake residents and visitors from other communities to our shops has been amazing. Everything is becoming reality that was envisioned almost a decade ago for the Wilde Lake Village Center. Families who now live in our village center tell me that they love the convenience, the accessibility and the diversity of the people they meet. Our schools are fantastic, students, parents, teachers and administrators are enthusiastic and focused. Volunteerism is up. New walking and biking paths have been installed and old ones have been enhanced. Connectivity and walkability is up with Complete Streets funding enacted. Infrastructure improvements are happening. I have been told that property values remain on the rise, and home buyers and renters are seeking our village because of its close proximity to growing downtown Columbia, the renovations coming to the Kittamaqundi lakefront, the expanding Merriweather District, and the myriad amenities, especially entertainment and restaurant choices, that brings.

With all of the positives that Wilde Lake has to offer, something we are unable to control, is the emotional state of mind of an individual at any given time and what actions they decide to take to express those feelings. Earlier this week, in our neighboring Village of Harper's Choice, along Harper's Farm Road, someone placed graffiti on signs that was racist in nature. The Howard County Police, the County Executive's office, the Office of Human Rights, NAACP, Village and County officials and others were notified. Feelings were hurt. Images were removed. Investigations have begun. Cameras are being checked. Information is being shared. Conversations have started.

As Chair of the Wilde Lake Village Board, I want our residents to know we do not condone this behavior. Hate has no place in our village. We understand this comes at a time when social healing is occurring, vaccinations are on the rise, and COVID-19 positive cases are decreasing. Please do not retreat from reaching out to your neighbors, hosting picnics and block parties, sharing Neighborhood Representative activities with your floor or street captains, attending graduations and sporting events, hitting the pathways and trails with your family and friends, or introducing yourself to someone new in your cul de sac, on your stairwell, or at your elevator stop. Slayton House events and activities are returning. Stay in touch. Get involved in your community. www.wildelake.org/village-board/board-committees

We practice sustainability. We are resilient. We are vibrant Wilde Lake.

Kevin McAliley (klmcaliley@gmail.com)

REGISTER YET?

One Week Sessions: 9 AM-3 PM

**New Location: Faulkner Ridge Neighborhood Center
Outdoor Programming**

Grades 2-5: July 12-16

Grades 6-8 July 26-30

Grades 2-5: July 19-23

Grades 6-8 August 2-6

CA Resident Rate \$290

Non-Resident Rate \$320

Save your space with a \$100 deposit and

\$85 registration fee

For more information

Email camp@wildelake.org

Visit CampoftheArts.com



Volunteers Needed!

Are you interested in helping to keep Wilde Lake an attractive place to live?

We are looking for volunteers to serve on the Resident Architectural Committee (RAC). Members work with their committee colleagues to review applications for exterior alterations, visit properties to assess the impact of the architectural changes, and attend two online meetings

each month. It is likely that you have already participated in this process as an applicant. It is an excellent way to meet fellow Wilde Lake residents and contribute to the community. Please contact Carl McKinney, Covenant Advisor, at covenants@wildelake.org for details. Thank you!



Courtyard Concert Series sponsored by Kimco Realty and the Wilde Lake Village Center Merchants

Wilde Lake Village Center

Fridays 6-8 PM

June 18 – August 20, 2021

6/18/21: Mr. Dave of D's Magic (CBS News "Baltimore's Best" Magician)

6/25/21: The Bay Jazz Project (Lively Mix of Jazz & Blues)

7/2/21: Tres Amigos + (Eclectic Mix of Latin, Brazilian & Popular Music)

7/9/21: Starvation Army Band (Dixieland and Swing)

7/16/21: Iris Hirsch & Rearview Mirror (Oldies, Variety, Dance Band)

7/23/21: Janice B. (Adult Contemporary/Soul)

7/30/21: Ellis Woodward Duo (Family Friendly Summer Covers & Originals)

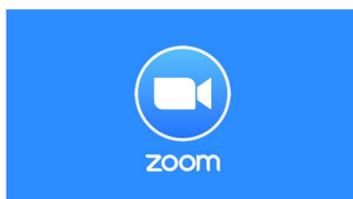
8/6/21: Lone Mountain (Blue Grass, Country & Old Time Rock & Roll)

8/13/21: Karen Collins & The Backroads Band (Honky Tonk Country)

8/20/21: Patsy's Honky Tonk Torch & Twang (Classic Country & Honky Tonk Music)

Wilde Lake Cares Photo Contest Winners!

Congratulations to David Kulansky for submitting the photo of the Wilde Lake Dam and Dr. David Tayman for submitting the photo of the Great Blue Heron. Thanks to our Board members past and present and CARES committee members for casting their votes.



Upcoming Virtual Meetings

Wilde Lake Village Board Meeting: Monday, June 7, 6:30pm. Contact Kristin Shulder at wica@wildelake.org for Zoom link. [Click here for agenda](#)

RAC Meeting: Tuesday, June 8, 7pm. Contact Carl McKinney at covenants@wildelake.org for Zoom link [Click here for agenda](#)

CA Board Meeting: Thursday, June 10, 7pm



CA Outdoor Pool Season Updates

Can you believe it's only a few days till summer swim season kicks off?!

Mask Policy

Let's start by saying that masks will always be welcome at CA facilities. For now, our team members will continue to wear them for their own protection. We ask you respect the choices of other pool goers as we transition into post-pandemic life.

In alignment with CDC guidance, fully vaccinated individuals have the option to remove their masks at CA's outdoor pools at any time.

Anyone who is not fully vaccinated will still need to wear a mask on pool grounds when they can't maintain at least six feet of distance from other non-household individuals.

Chairs Are Back!

Drumroll please... CA's lawn chairs will return for summer 2021! You are still welcome to BYOC (bring your own chair), but our chairs will be made available.

CNSL Updates

We're just as thrilled as you are to bring back one of Columbia's most beloved summertime traditions. At the moment, we are still continuing to assess the best ways of running our summer neighborhood swim league in the safest possible manner. We are super grateful for your patience — be on the lookout for an update coming soon!

Interested in registering? [Click here](#) and receive an early registration discount when you sign up before June 8!

For more updates on all things pools, make sure to follow us on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#).

Want to learn more about mask requirements throughout all CA facilities? [Click here](#) for an in-depth explanation.

HOWARD COUNTY FARMERS MARKET 2021

- CLARKSVILLE COMMONS**
12250 Clarksville Pike, Clarksville
May 1 – November 6
Saturdays | 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM
www.clarksvillecommons.com/farmers-market/
- ELKRIDGE FURNACE INN FARMERS MARKET**
5745 Furnace Ave., Elkridge
Open Year Round
Wednesdays | 12:00 PM – 6:00 PM
www.elkridgefurnaceinn.com
- HOWARD COUNTY LIBRARY-MILLER BRANCH**
9421 Frederick Road, Ellicott City
May 5 – November 3
Wednesdays | 2:00 – 6:00 PM
www.howardcountyfarmersmarkets.com
- HOWARD COUNTY LIBRARY-EAST COLUMBIA BRANCH**
6600 Cradlerock Way, Columbia
May 6 – November 11
Thursdays | 2:00 PM – 6:00 PM
- MAPLE LAWN FARMERS MARKET**
7405 Maple Lawn Blvd., Fulton
May 15 – November 6
Saturdays | 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM
www.maplelawnfarmersmarket.com
- OAKLAND MILLS VILLAGE CENTER**
851 Robert Oliver Place, Columbia
May 9 – November 7 | Sundays | 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM
www.howardcountyfarmersmarkets.com

Calvin Ball
Howard County Executive



Howard County Public Schools in Wilde Lake

Are you interested in what's happening at the public schools located in the Village of Wilde Lake? Check out the school and PTA websites listed below for important information about Wilde Lake school news, events and services.

Bryant Woods Elementary School: [Click here](#) for the school website and [click here](#) for the BWES PTA website.

Running Brook Elementary School: [Click here](#) for the school website and [click here](#) for the RBES PTA website.

Wilde Lake Middle School: [Click here](#) for the school website and [click here](#) for the WLMS PTSA website.

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Wilde Lake High School: [Click here](#) for the school website, [click here](#) for the WLHS PTSA website and [click here](#) for the WLHS Boosters website.



Health and Wellness Tip for May

Living Well, 4Mind4Body

Our mental health is in constant flux and ebbs and flows on a daily basis. Many things can impact this including our physical health. The connection between our physical body and our mental health is important and may be

something worth exploring when thinking about staying mentally healthy. Learn more about whole health and what you can do to improve your overall wellness

<https://www.mhanational.org/staying-mentally-healthy>

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



Wilde Lake Staff is Here to Help!

We're here to help! Members of the Slayton House team are available to assist residents by email and phone (410/730-3987) or in person by appointment.

- For questions regarding exterior alterations, compliance letters or property maintenance issues, contact Carl McKinney, Covenant Advisor, at covenants@wildelake.org.
- For information about rentals at Slayton House and the neighborhood centers, contact Lisa Juranic, Facility Manager, at rentals@wildelake.org.
- For information about Slayton House Theatre Camp of the Arts or special events, contact Rachael Strube, Camp Program Manager/Events Coordinator, at camp@wildelake.org.
- For questions about the Bernice Kish Gallery at Slayton House, contact Carole Black, Program Administrator/Gallery Director, at gallery@wildelake.org.
- For Wilde Lake Village Board related matters and general inquiries, contact Kristin Shulder, Village Manager, at wica@wildelake.org.



Get Updates from Your Howard County Government Elected Officials

The Village of Wilde Lake is located in [Council District 4](#) and is represented by Deb Jung.

[Click here](#) to sign up for the District 4 newsletter.

[Click here](#) to sign up for The Ball Bulletin from County Executive Calvin Ball.

Wilde Lake Village Board 2021-2022

Due to the corona virus pandemic, the Wilde Lake Village Board has been meeting virtually via Zoom. The next virtual meeting of the 2021-2022 Wilde Lake Village Board will be held on Monday, June 7, 2021 at 6:30pm. Agendas are found on our [website](#)

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Wilde Lake Village Center Stores Open for Business

[Click here](#) to see Wilde Lake Village Center store directory.