

"It All Began Here!" - Wilde Lake e-News August 20, 2021



JOIN THE WILDE LAKE VILLAGE BOARD!

Are you interested in learning more about your community and working with your neighbors on Wilde Lake Village issues?

We are seeking civic-minded Village residents to serve on the Wilde Lake Village Board. [Click here](#) for an application and position description. Questions? Contact Kristin Shulder, Village Manager, at wlca@wildelake.org.



Draft Plan Workshop Series

***Attend the workshop to learn about emerging ideas and recommendations.
Your input will help shape the draft General Plan!***

At the Draft Plan Workshop Series, the HoCo By Design team will display a draft future land use map and review draft recommendations on key topic areas.

Hear how the ideas have been shaped by [scenario planning](#), discussions with the [Planning Advisory Committee](#), meetings of the [Strategic Advisory Groups](#), feedback from technical experts, and input from the community.

Following your attendance, complete a survey to provide your thoughts. If you are unable to attend in-person or virtually, visit our website for a recording of the virtual workshop. Or, take the survey anytime--prior attendance at a meeting is not required.

Three Ways to Attend the Draft Plan Workshop Series

Attend in-person in Cooksville

Tuesday, August 31, 6:00-8:00 pm

Gary J. Arthur Community Center 2400 MD-97, Cooksville, MD 21723

[Register to Attend at Gary Arthur](#)

Attend in-person in Columbia

Wednesday, September 1, 6:00-8:00 pm

Gateway Building, 6751 Columbia Gateway Drive, Columbia, MD 21046

[Register to Attend at Gateway](#)

Attend a Virtual Meeting

Choose 1 of 4 Virtual Options:

Wednesday, September 1, 12:00-2:00 pm

Thursday, September 2, 12:00-2:00 pm

Monday, September 13, 6:00-8:00 pm

Tuesday, September 14, 11:30 am-1:30 pm

[Register to Attend 1 of 4 Virtual Meetings](#)



Attention Wilde Lake High School Graduates! Scholarships Available for HCC

Are you a Wilde Lake High School graduate who attends Howard Community College? You may be eligible for a Wilde Lake Community Association Endowment scholarship!

The WLCA Endowment scholarship is administered by the Howard Community College Education Foundation. To qualify, students must be a graduate of Wilde Lake High School; have a minimum 3.0 GPA; and financial need. Any program of study is acceptable.

[Click here](#) to access the HCCEF financial aid services site for scholarships. To receive a scholarship, students need to complete the application. Completing this application will allow students to be eligible for other scholarships if their need is greater than what the spendable amount of the WLCA Endowment can meet.

Questions? Contact Melissa Matthey at mmatthey@howardcc.edu.



Outdoor Pools Schedules

Running Brook pool will close for the season on August 30. [Click here](#) for the schedule until August 29.

Faulkner Ridge pool's last day is September 6. [Click here](#) for the schedule through 9/6.



Help Wanted: Weekend Facility Assistants

Wilde Lake Community Association is seeking individuals to work weekend shifts at Slayton House. Facility Assistants must possess excellent customer service & communication skills, be able to work independently and do light lifting (tables & chairs). The weekend Facility Assistants must be available Friday evenings after 4:30pm, Saturdays and Sundays (approx. 4-10 hours/week). Hours will vary based on events schedule and are assigned monthly.

Please send letter of interest and resume by e-mail to wlca@wildelake.org. Only qualified



A Conversation about Columbia!

Your Voice. Your Blog.

We're not just collecting the voices of Columbia, we're publishing a blog full of them.

If you're ready to make your statement and share it with the community, send us your thoughts, beginning with one of the following prompts:

- **Columbia is ...**
- **Columbia cannot ...**
- **Columbia must ...**

We have a few guidelines that you'll need to follow in order to get your blog post published:

- **Keep it classy, folks.** We won't publish offensive language or content. Criticism and debate are welcomed and expected, but this is not a platform for personal attacks. We'll keep this forum as open as we can to all points of view, but trolls aren't welcome here.
- **Let's look forward as much as possible.** This is a project that will inform where we go from here. The past is relevant, but let's use what we've learned to build a future.
- **Posts should not be more than two thousand words.** We won't decline to post because you're at a word count of 2,073, but please do your best to stick to the limit.
- **Images are awesome.** If you have a picture that reflects what you're saying, it makes your post better (but see guideline 1).
- **Submission doesn't guarantee publication.** If we choose not to publish, we'll do our best to tell you why, and where possible, help you understand what can be done to overcome the issue.
- **Add your name.** We'll publish statements and opinions by those that are prepared to stand behind them. If you feel compelled to submit your thoughts anonymously, we'll still include your input in our analysis.

[Click here to submit a post](#)

SAVE THE DATE!
Saturday, September 18, 2021
Backyard Bash at the
Wilde Lake Village Green!
Live music, kid's crafts, games,
giveaways, and more.
Watch the newsletter and visit
WildeLake.org for more
information coming soon.
Sponsored by Wilde Lake Community
Association & Columbia Association

Wilde Lake Community Association **Health and Wellness Committee presents:**



A Wilde Lake Bike Ride
Saturday, September 25, 2021 from 10am-11am
(rain date Sept 26, 2021)
Meet at the Barn at Wilde Lake Park
(10026 Hyla Brook Road, Columbia 21044)

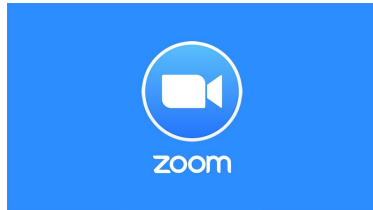
Join your neighbors as we tour approx. 6.5 miles of the wonderful paths around the Wilde Lake community. Bring your family and friends, meet your neighbors, and explore the safe pathways while enjoying the sights. This is a kid-friendly event, all riders must wear helmets and you are encouraged to bring a water bottle.

Please RSVP by 9/24 to Laura Torres at lmt4941@yahoo.com



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

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



Upcoming Virtual Meetings

RAC Meeting: Tuesday, August 24, 7pm. Contact Carl McKinney at covenants@wildelake.org for Zoom link [Click here for agenda](#)

CA Board Work Meeting: No meetings scheduled in August

Wilde Lake Village Board Meeting: Monday, September 13, 6:30pm.
[Click here for agenda](#)



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 August

Many people are out and about on their bikes, a wonderful way to keep fit and enjoy the weather. Below are some tips for keeping yourself safe when riding:

- Wear a helmet
- Remember to wear UVA/UVB sunglasses
- Use sunscreen of 30 SPF or higher
- Hydrate – drink no less than one bottle of water per hour
- Carry a spare mask and sanitizer
- Clean & lube the chain
- Know how to fix a flat tire
- Maintain good posture, watch for tension in your back, neck and shoulders
- Wear good biking shorts
- Follow all safety precautions and obey the rules of the road

This information is provided by the Wilde Lake Health and Wellness Committee. For more information, contact Laura Torres, Chair, at lm4941@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. **Please note that masks will be required for all Slayton House guests and staff (including those who have been vaccinated), effective Saturday, August 14.**

- For questions regarding exterior alterations, compliance letters or property maintenance issues, contact Carl McKinney, Covenant Advisor, by email at covenants@wildelake.org or by phone at 410-730-3987 extension 16.
- For information about rentals at Slayton House and the neighborhood centers, contact Lisa Juranic, Facility Manager, by email at rentals@wildelake.org or by phone at 410-730-3987 extension 18
- For information about Slayton House Theatre Camp of the Arts or special events, contact Rachael Strube, Camp Program Manager/Events Coordinator, by email at camp@wildelake.org or by phone at 410-730-3987 extension 17.
- For questions about the Bernice Kish Gallery at Slayton House, contact Carole Black, Program Administrator/Gallery Director, at gallery@wildelake.org or by phone at 410-730-3987 extension 11.
- For Wilde Lake Village Board related matters and general inquiries, contact Kristin Shulder, Village Manager, by email at wica@wildelake.org or by phone at 410-730-3987 extension 14.



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, September 13 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.