

"It All Began Here!"- Wilde Lake e-News  
September 3, 2021



**Holiday Closings for Labor Day, September 6**

The offices of Wilde Lake Community Association will be closed on Monday, September 6, in observance of Labor Day.

Howard County Government offices, courts, animal shelter, 50+ centers and the Alpha Ridge Landfill will be closed in observance of the Labor Day holiday on Monday, September 6th. As there will be no Monday curbside trash, recycling, yard trim or food scrap collection on Labor Day, the County's [holiday "slide" schedule](#) will be in effect for the remainder of the week. For a complete listing of Howard County closings [click here](#)

**Please note: The next newsletter will be September 17.**



**Join Our Team!**

We are seeking a responsible individual to provide a variety of administrative and clerical tasks. This is a part-time position (20 hours/week) and requires attendance at Monday evening meetings once or twice a month.

The Program Administrator provides support and assistance to the Village Manager, Wilde Lake Village Board and WLCA staff. The Program Administrator greets

Slayton House guests, answers phone inquiries, assists community members & Slayton House visitors in addition to creating a weekly e-newsletter and updating the WLCA website. The Program Administrator assists with art gallery administration and special events such as Village elections.

Candidates should have effective communication and customer service skills, be proficient in Microsoft Office and have knowledge of office equipment. Familiarity with Constant Contact and WordPress is a plus.

If you are interested in applying for this position, please send your resume and letter of interest to Kristin Shulder, Village Manager at [wlca@wildelake.org](mailto:wlca@wildelake.org). Only qualified candidates will be contacted for interviews.



**Help Wanted at Slayton House!**

Wilde Lake Community Association is seeking individuals who are interested in a flexible, part-time job to provide facility support to Slayton House renters for a variety of classes, programs and theatre & social events.

The Facility Assistant acts as the manager on duty in the evenings and on weekends (Fridays after 4:30pm, Saturdays & Sundays), assists clients with facility equipment and ensures compliance with policies & procedures regarding facility use. Hours are variable depending on the events schedule (approx. 4-10 hours/week). Please send your resume and letter of interest to Kristin Shulder, Village Manager at [wlca@wildelake.org](mailto:wlca@wildelake.org). Only qualified candidates will be contacted for interviews.

**Wilde Lake Community Association's  
Backyard Bash!**

**Saturday, September 18, 2021**

**11:30 am-3 pm at the Wilde Lake Village Green**

Enjoy music by the Wilde Lake High School Marching and Guitar Bands, meet members of the Village Board, take a free adult yoga class, enjoy children's crafts, and more!

For more information visit [WildeLake.org](http://WildeLake.org)

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# ONE DAY ONLY!

Drop off your old working room A/C unit or dehumidifier and **get \$25!**

BGE SMARTENERGY  
savers  
PROGRAM

Saturday, September 18th  
9:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.

Columbia Association  
Aquatics Office  
9450 Gerwig Lane  
Columbia, MD 21046



## 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](mailto:lmt4941@yahoo.com)



## Coming in October: Reopening of the Bernice Kish Gallery at Slayton House!

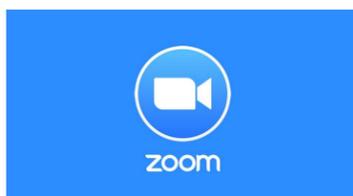
We are excited to announce that we have scheduled an exhibit of work by Diana Marta and painters in her studio classes, titled "Ideas and Imaginings" for October 2021. Check our [website](#) for more details!

## YARD TRIM THREE WAYS

 Residents in our **Feed The Green Bin** Food Scrap Collection areas can set out yard trim and food scraps together in their green bin. Visit [FeedTheGreenBin.org](http://FeedTheGreenBin.org) for more information.

Any reusable bin (no County-issued recycling container) can be used for yard trim collection. Containers should be **lidless** and weigh **less than 40 lbs.** 

 Grass & leaves can be set out in paper yard trim bags. Brush & branches should be tied in **bundles less than 4'** in length. **No plastic bags** will be accepted!



### Upcoming Virtual Meetings

**CA Board Work Session: Thursday, September 9, 7pm**  
[Click here for agenda](#)

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

**RAC Meeting: Tuesday, September 14, 7pm.** Contact Carl McKinney at [covenants@wildelake.org](mailto:covenants@wildelake.org) for Zoom link [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.

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**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 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](mailto:mmatthey@howardcc.edu).



**Free Bus Rides for Students**

Howard County announces a partnership with the Howard County Public School System and the Regional Transit Authority (RTA) to offer free RTA bus passes to middle and high school students. We know that transportation can be a critical barrier to opportunity.

We continue our work to break down those barriers so that all members in our community can thrive, including our younger residents who are eager to resume after-school activities, volunteer opportunities and after-school jobs at

the start of a new year.

Read more about the new program [here](#).



**Health and Wellness Tip for September**

September 5-11 is National Suicide Prevention week. Do you know the facts around suicide?

- Suicide is the 10<sup>th</sup> leading cause of death in the US
- In 2019, 47,511 Americans died by suicide
- In 2019, there were an estimated 1.38 million suicide

attempts in the U.S.

If you think someone is thinking about suicide, assume you are the only one who will reach out. Have an honest and private conversation with the person, listen to their story and tell them you care. Encourage them to seek treatment or contact their doctor. Provide them with the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline at 1-800-273-TALK(8255). You may be the lifeline that person needs.

This information is provided by the Wilde Lake Health and Wellness Committee. For more information, contact Laura Torres, Chair, at [lm4941@yahoo.com](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto: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.

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### **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](#)

#### **Board of Directors**

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### **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](mailto:wlca@wildelake.org).

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### **Wilde Lake Village Center Stores Open for Business**

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