# HOTLINE

The Neighborhood Newsletter of West Laurel

#### President's Message

As the newly elected President of the West Laurel Civic Association (WLCA), I want to thank Melissa Daston for her more than ten years of dedicated and exemplary service to WLCA (the last eight years as our President) and also greatly thank West Laurel residents for your continued caring for our community. It is your involvement that makes West Laurel a warm home, not just a random subdivision.

I also want to encourage all of you to attend West Laurel Civic Association's fall General Meeting. It will be on Thursday, October 16 at 7:30 PM, as usual at the West Laurel Community Building (northwest corner of Brooklyn Bridge and Bond Mill Roads). The fall meeting should be

very interesting to all parents and grandparents, as well as to folks looking for a valuable volunteer opportunity and all other caring West Laurel residents. "Great Start" is an exciting program that is helping students' learning in our area schools, by working with the families. [See separate article below.] We will hear about "Great Start" from its creators in the organization "Side by Side", which include numerous highly respected West Laurel residents:

 Joe Murchison (who most longtime West Laurel residents think of as almost an old friend after each week for so many years reading the Laurel Leader that he edited)
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# Fall General Meeting—Side-by-Side

The Fall General Meeting will begin with a short business meeting that includes a vote on the new fiscal year budget followed by a presentation a highly successful program, *Great Start* provided by Side-by-Side at Bond Mill Elementary School.

Side by Side is a tax-exempt nonprofit organization that was created in 2008 by members of various Laurel churches. They were committed to the idea that the Laurel communitycould and should play a vital role in strengthening our local public schools. Side by Side has come to believe its best way of doing this is to equip parents to help their children succeed in the classroom. Consequently, it has developed the Great Start program, a series of workshop evenings at six elementary schools, including Bond Mill, for prekindergarten, kindergarten, first- and second-grade parents. (continued on page 2)

#### WLCA Fall General Meeting Thursday, Oct 16th -7:30 pm

West Laurel Community Building

"Great Start" from Side-by-Side and Approval of 2014-15 WLCA Budget

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- Kevin McGhee (minister of Bethany Community Church, well-known in West Laurel for his continual community caring and generosity),
- Dave Myers (who most parents whose children attended Eleanor Roosevelt remember as a wonderful teacher -- he was my daughter's favorite teacher there and the reason she started college as a physics major), and
- William and Yvonne Breedlove (well-known community members), and others.

I would also encourage you to stay up-to-date on events and activities in West Laurel, by joining the West Laurel Yahoo list-serve (<a href="https://groups.yahoo.com/groups/west\_laurel/">https://groups.yahoo.com/groups/west\_laurel/</a>). It is as discussion group strictly for West Laurel residents, to share thoughts, ideas, information and opinions in a responsible and courteous manner, and is not part of the WLCA. [Not worry about your Inbox being inundated with messages, as you only get one each day when using the "daily digest" option, and there is only useful information, no advertising.]

Let me also encourage you to pay your yearly dues that allow the WLCA to serve our community in many different ways. These include our fall, winter, and spring "Hotline" newsletter, our meetings (the fall, winter, and spring General Meetings as well as monthly Board Meetings to which everyone is also invited), and our volunteers' efforts that keep us involved with programs/development/etc which affect our community and fight for our community's betterment in numerous ways. The upcoming "Dumpster Day" is only one of very many examples. Please note that the effectiveness of our organization is directly proportional to how many dues-paying members we have; for only a bit over a dollar month for the entire family, this is a veritable bargain!

We also would like OUR Civic Association to be as responsive as possible to YOUR interests and needs. Thus, please feel free to tell your ideas and concerns to me (at <a href="mailto:bsw@jhmi.edu">bsw@jhmi.edu</a> or 301-604-5619) or another board member (see list below). This includes your suggestions for topics/speakers to present at our future General Meetings. We are looking forward to hearing from you. **Barbara Sollner-Webb** 

#### Fall General Meeting—Side-by-Side

The parents learn ways to help their children develop strong foundations in behavior, reading and math. To attract as many families as possible, the evenings include a free meal for the entire family, Spanish interpretation and activities for children while the parents are in their workshops.

Last year, almost 1,300 parents and children participated at the six schools (226 at Bond Mill). The program is making a difference: Kindergarten students whose parents participated averaged 35% greater progress on reading scores than students whose par-

ents didn,t participate. At Bond Mill, the difference was even greater at 50%.

This year Side by Side will hold 130 parent workshops at the six schools. To accomplish this, it depends on lots of volunteers to check in families, serve the dinner (provided by Side by Side) and lead the children's activities. It is always looking for more volunteers. It also depends on donations to provide its programs. If anyone would like more information, they can contact Assistant Director Carolyn Richardson at 740-707-0309 or caro-

lyn@sidebysidelaurel.org.

# **Outgoing President's Letter**

It's the end of September and for the first time in a decade, I'm not scrambling to finalize speakers for the upcoming General meeting. Instead, your new president, Barbara Sollner-Webb is busy with all the day-to-day details. As was announced in the May HOTLINE, I felt it was time. Over the past 10 years, the West Laurel Civic Association has expanded in ever so many ways to try and meet the stated goals of protecting and improving the community and taking active part in civic activities and affairs the West Laurel area. Programs such as Dumpster Day and community-police liaison are now well established and it is good time to turnover the WLCA.

Our most difficult challenge remains how to keep the character of West Laurel while urban sprawl, new and expanded roadways, and crime that accompanies development continue to encroach upon us. As Prince George's, Montgomery, and Howard counties continue to grow, it is increasingly difficult to stand our ground in all the various venues. In this article alone, the Route 198 revisited project may still turn what was a 2-lane country road when I moved here into a 6-lane divided highway even though the ICC was supposed to have put this proposal (the *northern alignment*) to bed. The Montgomery County plan to redevelop the empty Giant complex includes a proposal for 8 to 10 story office buildings and dense condominium development. And Konterra continues to grow filling the space from Beltsville to West Laurel on both sides of I-95. These external threats have the ability to drastically impact the quality of life in West Laurel. I urge you not to be complacent but remain engaged.

As I move off the WLCA Board, I would be remiss if I did not thank the many volunteers starting with our extraordinary board members who are the organizers of Dumpster Day, Senior outreach, community-police liaison, zoning, and traffic issues to name a few. I'd also thank the volunteers from Bond Mill Elementary School, the Cub, Boy, and Girl Scouts, the Recreation Council, countless sports teams, tutors for the Eleanor Roosevelt entrance exams, the Swim Club, and all the other organizations that make this such a wonderful place to live. I know I'm leaving the community in good hands. *Melissa Daston* 

### Fall Dumpster Day—November 1st

It's never to early to put an important date on your calendars — so mark <u>Saturday</u>, <u>November 1st</u> for the next West Laurel Dumpster Day. The dumpsters will be available for residents beginning at 8:30am — no earlier. Based on the success of our most recent Dumpster Day, we will once again be making three containers available. Two for regular trash—no hazardous material—and one for electronics recycling.

Once again, the WLCA will be helping seniors in the neighborhood by pickup their household items (no hazardous waste). If you are a senior or know of someone who needs help getting items to the dumpster, please contact Jason Float at jason.float@gmail.com or 443-765-5300. This is also a good time to let us know if you have anything in or around your home that you need help with like changing a smoke alarm battery or a light bulb.

As always, we need volunteers and pickup trucks. If you are willing to help, please contact Jason. The volunteers meet at 8AM at the WL Community Building. It generally takes between 1-2 hours. If you are a high school student who wants to volunteer loading the dumpsters, please contact Cassandra Hostetler at ctseckares@comcast.net.

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# **West Laurel Housing Values**

By Lenora S. Dernoga REALTOR

This summer was sizzling for West Laurel homes, with a high volume of homes sold over the second quarter. Due to a few foreclosures and short sales, the average sales price dropped slightly, and the average days on the market increased significantly. However, regular sales were hot and demand for our neighborhood remains strong!

The chart below shows home sales for the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter of 2014 and compares them below the 2nd quarter of 2013. For more information, visit the Maryland Department of Assessments and Taxation website at

Address	BR/BA	Acres	List Price	SOLD Price	Days on Market
6513 Park Hall Dr.	4/3	.48	\$374,900	\$370,000	165
16806 Clark Terrace	4/3	.50	\$319,950	\$328,000	170
6513 Darwin Road	4/3	.24	\$324,500	\$315,000	139
6410 Forest Mill Lane	5/2	.28	\$359,000	\$340,000	65
15807 Kerr Road	4/2	.31	\$285,000	\$265,000	122
16301 Gales Court	4/2	.27	\$330,000	\$320,000	42
16114 Kent Road	4/2	.22	\$324,900	\$324,900	3
16305 Gales Court	4/2	.34	\$310,000	\$300,000	59
16125 Malcolm Drive	3/3	1.97	\$399,000	\$400,000	93
6405 Darwin Road	4/3	.23	\$339,900	\$337,500	101
6606 Carleton Court	4/2	.37	\$283,000	\$265,000	6
15409 Calshot Court	3/2	.25	\$338,500	\$323,000	16
15734 Ashland Drive	3/1	.46	\$539,900	\$519,900	39
15896 Joyce Lane	4/2	.46	\$539,900	519,900	39
6113 Parkway Drive	3/2	.48	\$299,900	\$305,000	48
6903 Redmiles Road	4/2	.23	\$320,000	\$320,000	6
15703 Bradford Drive	5/3	.23	\$349,00	\$340,000	11
16105 Jerald Road	4/2	.30	\$339,000	\$339,000	7
6415 Park Hall Drive W	4/3	.28	\$329,900	\$340,000	3
16911 Melbourne Drive	4/2	3.63	\$540,000	\$540,000	106

http://www.dat.state.md.us. (Continued on page 5)

#### **GET YOUR HOME READY FOR FALL!**

By Lenora S. Dernoga REALTOR

Fall is just around the corner, and the change in season brings not only brilliant fall foliage, but also some much needed chores that will ensure a beautiful yard come Spring and a warm, protected indoors during chilly weather.

HOUSE: Make sure gutters are secure and clean and that there is proper insulation in your attic to prevent snow melting on the roof, pouring into the gutter and refreezing. Inspect your home's foundation and seal entry points to keep small animals from seeking the warmth of the indoors. Seal any cracks. Inside your home, install and/or test smoke- and carbon monoxide detectors. It's a good idea to place a carbon monoxide detector near your furnace. Have your furnace inspected and cleaned before cold weather hits. Locate your water main in the event you need to shut it off in an emergency. Insulate exposed plumbing pipes. Drain air-conditioning pipes. If your AC has a water shut-off valve, turn it off. Use weather stripping around doors and windows to prevent cold air from entering. Switch screens to storm windows around late September.

Chimney: Make sure the cap on the top of your chimney is secure. You really don't want critters climbing down and making your house their home. If the chimney hasn't been cleaned for a while, call a chimney sweep to remove soot and creosote. Buy firewood. Inspect the damper to make sure it opens

and closes properly.

Lawn: Fertilize before the first frost to provide nutrients for the winter months. Aerate for good root development. Keep mowing until it stops growing and can be kept 2 to 2½ inches tall. Over seed your lawn when necessary. If there are bare spots larger than a softball, seed those areas from early September through mid-October. Kill the weeds now to minimize weed growth in the spring. October is a great time to get good weed control going. Once your mowing season is over, drain the gas from the mower, clean the blades and put it in protected storage.

YARD: Early fall is a great time to plant. The soil is still warm enough for roots to grow, but the weather is beginning to cool, so you won't have to water as much. This is also a wonderful time for plant bargains. Now is the time to plant spring flower bulbs and to lift bulbs that cannot overwinter such as dahlias. Trim trees (hiring a professional is a good idea) if branches hang too close to the house or electrical wires. Rake away all debris and edible vegetation away from the foundation. Make sure your snowblower is cleaned, gassed up and ready to go. It's a good idea to track down, dust off and inspect rakes and snow shovels. Replace them if they are worn. Finally, add some glorious fall color to your yard with chrysanthemum, aster, coleus and dianthus.

# West Laurel Housing Values (continued)

**Conclusion:** The average SOLD price has decreased 5% from the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 2013 to 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 2014. The average days on the market has increased by 55%.

ANALYSIS	2nd Quarter 2014	2nd Quarter 2013
Average Sold Price	\$342,115	\$322,316
Low SOLD Price	\$250,000	\$201,350
High SOLD Price	\$540,000	\$535,000
Avg Days on Market	61	27

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# SHA revives plans for Route 198 & Route 28 Upgrade

On June 17, 20154, Maryland's State Highway Administration (SHA) held a public *workshop* at William Blake High School in Silver Spring, to update citizens on their plans to re-start their "MD Rt. 28/MD Rt. 198 and 28 Corridor Improvement Study". It concerns Rts. 198 and 28 between I-95 and Georgia Avenue. This study was begun over 10 years ago when plans for the ICC were put on hold, to enhance east-west traffic. Then, when it was decided that the ICC would be built, SHA stopped their efforts to expand this closely parallel route along Rts 198 and 28. However, earlier this year SHA re-energized those plans.

At their required public Workshop, many attendees were dubious about the need for such expansion, whether an expanded roadway would draw a lot of east-west commuters and truck drivers who do not wish to pay the ICC tolls, and how the route would negotiate Burtonsville, since its earlier envisioned local bypass road is no longer possible as initially planned.

Attendees were promised that the previous Citizens' Advisory Group for this project (on which West Laurel resident Barbara Sollner-Webb was a member) would be revived, and that after SHA works with these citizen representatives, they would refine plans for three alternative levels of intensity expansion, and then hold another public workshop this fall or winter. Unfortunately, citizens who were to be on this revived Citizens' Advisory Group are still waiting to be contacted, so there appears to be a delay in SHA's plans for this potential major change to our local traffic intensity.

Also early in the summer, SHA also announced a separate project along Rt. 198 that includes the resurfacing/repairing of the Bond Mill intersection, where SHA's curb just in from the *West Laurel* sign that welcomes visitors to our community is in rather deplorable condition. However, attempts to find out about the progress of these plans have not been successful.

# Valuable Outings

The Prince George's Chapter of the Sierra Club has organized a series of informative outings that are open to the general public. Tours of the County's landfill, the County's Single-Stream Recycling Center and WSSC's Piscataway Waste Water Treatment Plant were held earlier this fall and were highly informative and well-received by the attendees.

Upcoming tours that also promise to be very interesting are of the County's Yard Waste and Pilot Composting Facility on Friday October 10 and of WSSC's Broad Creek pumping station on Saturday October 18th, both at 10 AM. You are most welcome to attend; please sign up at <a href="https://">https://</a>

maryland2.sierraclub.org/groups/prince-georges-group/prince-georges-group.

#### **WSSC Deer Hunt**

WSSC will once again be sponsoring deer hunting along the Rocky Gorge Reservoir to reduce the overabundance of deer. The key dates in our neighborhood are:

- West Laurel—Supplee Lane to Burtons Lane: November 3 and November 12
- Dustin Road to Aicheson Road: October 29 and November 26
- Howard County directly opposite West Laurel:
  October 23 and December 18

The reservoir lands are closed on hunting days until 1 pm when the hunts are over and land reopened for approved use. For questions or if you want to receive this mailing call, 301-206-7485.

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#### Beasock's Beat

School is back in session and it's now beginning to get darker earlier. So I want to remind everyone in West Laurel to SLOW DOWN, please!

Unfortunately, the most common request I receive from West Laurel residents is for speed control and speed cameras. There are regular reports about running the stop sign at Sherwood Avenue by the elementary school, passing on Brooklyn Bridge/Riding Stable Road, and high speeds on neighborhood streets. Earlier this year a pedestrian was hit by a car on Kent Road and was hospitalized for several days.

Based on the combination of children walking to school or the school bus stop and this incident, the District VI officers are tracking speed using a speed gun and issuing tickets. Remember the speed limit within the neighborhood streets is 25 mph. Bond Mill Road and Brooklyn Bridge has a primary speed limit of 30 mph with small variations.

The end of the summer we had several incidents of theft from autos in several neighborhoods. So please remember to remove your cell phones and other valuables from your car at night, park in well-lit areas <u>and</u> remember to lock your car every night. If you have an alarm, activate it.

The District VI Community Officer Program (COP) is sponsoring free-of-charge home security surveys. One of the major areas reviewed is security lighting as a preventative measure against burglary or other intrusions. If you are interested in schedule a survey, contact the COP Coordinator, CPL Woody at jmwoody@co.pg.md.us

I plan to attend the Fall General Meeting and will be happy to talk with you there. Stay safe,

Cpl James W. Beasock Prince George's County Police

# WSSC Planned Rate Changes

On Aug 12, 2014, WSSC held a public hearing on its proposed changes in usage charges. Their rate increase is to average 7.25%, but will make the customer's bill less dependent on "by-the-gallon usage" - so it will increase the most for customers who use the least amount of water.



You may have read about these upcoming rate changes in "The Pipeline" that accompanies your WSSC bill, or see <a href="http://www.wsscwater.com/home/jsp/content/rate-study.faces">http://www.wsscwater.com/home/jsp/content/rate-study.faces</a>. At this meeting, WSSC's General Manager/CEO (Jerry Johnson) and their acting chief financial officer (Chris Cullinan) explained the reason for the new rate structure, including a need to stabilize revenue sources despite decreasing per capita usage, and the fact that WSSC's very aging pipe system is in dire need of increased replacement/rehabilitation/repair.

The WSSC representatives then listened to comments from the public. Regrettably very few of the public attended this meeting. However, West Laurel resident Susan LaCourse was there and expressed concern about the overall large level of rate increase. And Barbara Sollner-Webb expressed concern how the rate changes may be perceived by residential customers when they learn that the total rates for the large commercial customers who use the most water will instead decrease (relative to their previous propjections; see <a href="http://www.wsscwater.com/file/Finance/ratestudy/WSSC%20Rate%20Scenario%20Impacts.pdf">http://www.wsscwater.com/file/Finance/ratestudy/WSSC%20Rate%20Scenario%20Impacts.pdf</a>). Barbara also suggested possible sources of monetary saving that could be used toward the pipe upgrades, which indeed are very needed.

# Fraud and Protecting Seniors Against Scams

by Heather Hicks-Mello

In July Riderwood Village, a Senior Living Retirement been developed in conjunction with the Volunteer Community located in Silver Spring, MD hosted their first symposium on preventing fraud against seniors. They had four outside organizations on campus discussing several different hot topics of fraud.

The speakers included; Ralph Vines the Investigative Programs Administrator from the Montgomery County Office of Consumer Protection, the Director of Outreach for the Maryland Chapter of AARP Jennifer Holz, Morton A. Davis Program Coordinator for

Keeping Seniors Safe, which is a program that has

Resources Section of the Montgomery County Police Department and lastly Jacqueline Truesdal the Program Manager for the Maryland Senior Medicare Patrol Program.

These speakers covered scams from Medicare fraud to identity theft and everything in between. It's becoming more and more difficult these days to know the difference between what is legitimate and what is a scam. Unfortunately these frauds more often than not target seniors. (continued page 9)

#### **Cub Scout Pack 1673**

Anyone who has attended a West Laurel General Meeting in the past 10-years, has seen our very own Cub Scout Pack 1673 opening our meetings with the presentation of the colors.

In addition to this activity, the pack does regular community trash pickups in and around the West Laurel Community Building. In July the boys did a thorough cleaning of the grounds, as you can see from the photo.

Thanks to the members of Pack 1673 and the myriad of volunteers who serve as den and pack leaders. Many of these young men have continued on in scouting and moved up to Boy Scout Troop 1673 and continue to participate in community activities.

If you are interested in the Cub Scouts 1st to 5th grade, contact Kim Jones, 301-717-4960, or jonesx62003@yahoo.com.

The WLCA serves as the chartering organization for the organizations and provides annual funding as you can see in the annual budget.



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#### WLCA Membership

The West Laurel Civic Association Membership drive for the 2014-2015 fiscal year is underway to support the wide range of community activities supported by WLCA. This years challenges include multiple zoning issues and community support on topics of conservation, community security and quality of life. Every West Laurel household has received the Dues notification mailing indicating annual dues in the amount of \$ 15 per household. Last year nearly six hundred households provided dues to support WLCA.

Your dues and donations pay for the HOTLINE newsletter, and services to seniors and other community organizations. More importantly, dues paying membership establishes the base of supportive West Laurel citizens represented by the WLCA at public hearings and forums for input into legislation, and zoning projects. Last year your contributions supported our work with multiple development projects that resulted in significant modulation of large projects planned in West Laurel. Annual dues payment entitles each family to vote in WLCA Board elections, on our budget, and other key decisions.

The West Laurel Civic Association, is an <u>all-volunteer non-profit organization</u> formed when the first homes were built in West Laurel. Our mission is to protect the quality of life, improve the community, participate in civic activities affecting West Laurel, and encourage participation in government. Everyone who resides in West Laurel is a member of the WLCA.

Our membership goal this year is to surpass six hundred <u>dues paying members</u>. The WLCA Board has instituted several ways to fulfill this obligation of community responsibility. The dues notification mailing provided a registration section that can be mailed to the WLCA Treasurer or brought to the General WLCA meeting 16 October 2014. Alternatively, a check can be mailed to the WLCA Treasurer at PO Box 387, Laurel MD 20725 or brought to the General WLCA meeting. A third option is to pay dues electronically via PayPal but this cost is \$16 (\$15 dues + \$1 PayPal fee). To use PayPal, go to <a href="http://www.wlcaweb.org">http://www.wlcaweb.org</a> and click on the PayPal icon on the top of the page.

We thank all the WLCA members whose support has provided the basis for our successes and we hope that the new fiscal year will, through your dues and donations, expand our programs that enhance our community.

Tony Spezio, Membership Coordinator

#### Fraud and Protecting Seniors Against Scams

The most important thing a person can do when they realize they've been scammed, or there was an attempted scam is to report it. However, reporting it can often be the hardest part.

Here are some alternative avenues for victims or almost victims to take. You may call the Ethics Hotline toll free at 1-855-224-0736 or the Maryland Attorney General's Office at 410 576-6491. For cases of Medicare Fraud you can call: The Prince Georges County Senior Medicare Patrol and ask for Mollie Gurian at 301-265-8471. Also, if you are unsure which agency to call you can always visit the websites below for general information

Montgomery County Senior Site <a href="http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/senior/">http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/senior/</a> or Prince George's County Older Adult Services Site <a href="http://www.princegeorgescountymd.gov/sites/Family/Services/OlderAdultServices/">http://www.princegeorgescountymd.gov/sites/Family/Services/OlderAdultServices/</a>

#### Proposed 2014-2015 WLCA Budget

Below is the proposed WLCA annual operating budget that will be voted on at the General Meeting.

EXPENSES	2013-14	2014-2015		
	Approved	Actual	Proposed	
Hotline	5,000	5,243	5,000	
PO Box	150	148	150	
PO Permit & Fee	0	0	0	
Cub Scout Sponsorship	300	300	300	
Boy Scouts	100	300	150	
Laurel Fire Department	150	150	150	
Laurel Rescue Squad	150	150	150	
LHS Grad Night Donation	100	100	100	
West Laurel Rag Tag Band	75	75	75	
Bond Mill ES PTA Carnival	100	100	100	
Laurel 4th of July Committee	100	100	100	
PG/MoCo Civ Assoc Dues	50	0	0	
Office Supplies	100	64	100	
Zoning & Legal Fees	500	0	500	
Liability Policy	250	210	250	
Good Neighbor Award	150	0	150	
Mosquito Control	200	0	200	
Refreshments	200	255	200	
Membership Drive	1,500	1,575	1,500	
Landscaping	0	1,533	1,000	
Misc Expenses	200	212	200	
Total	9,375	10,515	10,375	

#### **UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS**

- 30 September, Open House (6 to 7:00pm) followed by *Listening Session* hosted by Rushern Baker (7:00pm—10:00 pm) Citizens Inputs for Legislative Priorities, Northwestern High School
- 2 October, 6:30pm -District 1 College Fair, High Point HS, Beltsville, MD
- 6 October Beltsville Library reopens, fully refurbished
- 10 October, 8:00 am Constitutes breakfast with Councilwoman Lehman at TJs in Calverton
- 11 October, 8:30am to noon, "Kicks for Cause" kickball tournament, McCullogh Field, Laurel sponsored by Side-by-Side

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#### **WLCA Board Members 2014-2015 Year**

The current fiscal year board members are listed below. We are in need of a Recording Secretary. If you are interested, please contact a member of the board. Meetings are held on the 2nd Thursday of each month, 7:30pm, at the West Laurel Community Building.

	Officer	Phone	Email
President	Barbara Sollner-Web	301-604-5619	pres@wlcaweb.org
1st Vice-President	Cassandra Hostetler	301-498-0894	vp1@wlcaweb.org
2nd Vice-President	Tom Dernoga	410-792-0332	vp2@wlcaweb.org
Recording Secretary	Vacant		
Treasurer	Helen Harrington	301-490-1384	treasurer@wlcaweb.org
Area 1 (2-year)	John Hebert	301-549-1129	areal@wlcaweb.org
Area 1 (1-year)	Kevin Reich	301-490-4881	areal@wlcaweb.org
Area 2 (2-year)	Casey Speares		area2@wlcaweb.org
Area 2 (1-year)	Patty Sobel	443-250-7838	area2@wlcaweb.org
Area 2 (alternate)	Bryon White		area2@wlcaweb.org
Area 3 (2-year)	Ryan Faggard	301-979-9665	area3@wlcaweb.org
Area 3 (1-year)	Mike McPherson	301-776-5021	area3@wlcaweb.org
Area 3 (alternate)	Lars Kvale	240-568-8976	area3@wlcaweb.org
Area 4 (2-year)	Tony Spezio	301-498-3436	area4@wlcaweb.org
Area 4 (1-year)	Lucy Grimes	301-490-0414	area4@wlcaweb.org
Area 4 (alternate)	Doris Reynold	301-490-8639	
Area 4 (alternate)	Jason Float	443-765-5300	area4@wlcaweb.org
Area 5 (2-year)	Elizabeth Schwartz	301-776-0542	area5@wlcaweb.org
Area 5 (1-year)	Steve Steenrod	301-725-6835	area5@wlcaweb.org
Area 5 (alternate)	Heather Hicks-Mello	7	area5@wlcaweb.org

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