

March/April 2007

Next General Membership Meeting Tuesday, March 13, 2007 7:00 p.m. GBIA Hall

Elections for GBIA Board Held at January Meeting

The January meeting usually is the time for elections and that was the case this year. Because the nominees for positions on the GBIA Board were running unopposed, the Recording Secretary cast a unanimous vote to accept the ballot. We gladly welcome the following Board members:

Dolores Call Muriel Carter Marsha Frazier Marian Johnson Brenda Kelly Norma Shaw

and thank them for their willingness to serve in this capacity. Senator De-Grange was present to swear in the new and returning Board Members. We wish them all a successful term in 2007!



GBIA Snow Policy

As everyone probably knows, there was no GBIA General meeting in February due to inclem-



ent weather. The GBIA snow policy regarding General Membership Meetings is as follows: if Anne Arundel County schools are closed, there is no evening meeting. If Anne Arundel County Schools close early due to the weather, there is no evening meeting. The meeting will not be rescheduled, except in the case of the annual meeting which is in January. Hopefully, the General Membership meeting will reconvene in March.



Guest Speakers Coming to Future Meetings

GBIA Board members, Norma Shaw and Marian Johnson have been working to arrange speakers for the next several General Membership Meetings. In March, Lisa Quick from the North Arundel Aquatic Center will come to discuss the beautiful new swim center which recently opened in Glen Burnie. In April, we will have Susan Law from the Anne Arundel Department of Aging who will speak about their Friendly Visitors program. The order of the May and June speakers is subject to change, but for now is scheduled as Heather Beck, from the Baltimore Washington Medical Center speaking in May. She will be followed by Frank Gazorowski, who will discuss the new Henry L. Hein Public Service Building that is housed in the former movie theatre complex on B&A Boulevard. It sounds like an interesting assortment of topics pertinent to all of us in Glen Burnie. Thanks to Norma and Marian for arranging such a great variety of speakers.





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YOUR
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MARCH 11TH

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A FEW GOOD POLICE RECRUITS

The Anne Arundel County Police Department is looking for qualified indi-

vidual to fill entry level vacancies in their department. The job description states that the



work involves performing duties in patrol, traffic, investigations, administration and support services, as well as additional duties. In order to be considered, an applicant must posses a high school diploma or a GED and must complete a recruit training and probationary period. The applicant must be a US citizen in possession of a valid non-commercial Class C Maryland motor vehicle license and must be at least 21 years of age upon graduation from the Police Training Academy.

For further information visit www.aacounty.org/Personnel/Index.cfm.

New County Executive is Interested in Hearing From You

County Executive Leopold, who recently took office, sent a representative to the GBIA General Membership meeting in January. Her name is Joan Harris and she is



available to hear, and pass along concerns you may have to the County Executive. Ms. Harris can be reached by email at jharris@aacounty.org or by phone at 410-222-1323.



Third Avenue Park Gets New Water Fountain

Bob Tavik, who cares for Third Avenue Park, among many other things, announced that the park recently obtained a water fountain. This will make enjoying the park in the middle of summer

much easier to do. The fountain was purchased using funds donated by Wal-Mart, combined with funds donated by the friends and family of the late Mr. Chuck Ng. He was a big supporter of the community and would be pleased to know that this fountain was purchased in his honor. Many thanks to the Ng family for their generous donation to the GBIA.

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Calendar of Events

Sunday, March 11th Daylight Savings Time Begins

Tuesday, March 13th, 7:00 p.m. General Membership Meeting

> Saturday, March 17th St. Patrick's Day

Wednesday, March 21st First Day of Spring

> Sunday, April 8th Easter Sunday

Tuesday, April 10th, 7:00 p.m. General Membership Meeting

> Sunday, April 22nd Earth Day



SAVE THE DATE

The Annual GBIA Memorial Day Parade will be held on Sunday, May 20th at 2 p.m. Please consider helping out at this cherished community

event. If you are interested in helping please contact Barbara Moeller at 410-766-6760.

The Centennial Committee is Making Big Plans

The GBIA Centennial is quickly approaching and the hard-working, energetic committee already has many ideas in motion for what this celebration will include. One major item is a GBIA Centennial quilt which will be sewn by the Glen Burnie Home Arts Club. It will be similar in design to the quilt which currently hangs in the GBIA Hall. Some other great ideas include Centennial t-shirts and sweat-shirts, decorative banners, and a GBIA Centennial Book. Do you have a memory to share? It's not too late to let your story be heard. Contact Barb at 410-766-6760.

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