

**"It All Began Here!" - Wilde Lake e-News**

**May 10, 2024**



**Wilde Lake Village Board 2024-2025 Announced**

The Wilde Lake Village Board was installed this week. We are pleased to welcome the following members (pictured from left to right) Health and Wellness Co-Chairs, Kondi Walters-Smith and Dr. Katharine Rathbun; Jean Joklik; Vice-Chair, Tina Horn; Chair, Kevin McAliley; Education Committee Chair, Brandon Cogdell, Columbia Council Representative, Bill Santos; and Neighborhood Reps Committee Chair and AC Liaison, Claudia Allen, pictured with Executive Director/Village Manager, Wilde Lake Community Association. The Board terms runs from May 1, 2024 - April 30, 2025.

**Bernice Kish Art Gallery at Slayton House**

*Another Time Art Exhibit* - Take some time to visit the Bernice Kish Gallery to view the art of Columbia native, Kevin Peddicord as many did this past weekend during the exhibit opening reception



*Another Time* by Kevin Peddicord



Solo Show: May 1- June 28, 2024  
Reception + Gallery Talk:  
Sunday, May 5, 3-5:00pm

Bernice Kish Gallery  
at Slayton House  
10400 Cross Fox Lane  
Columbia, MD 21044



**Club Wilde Lake - Positive Youth Engagement**





**WILDE LAKE**  
AFTER SCHOOL OPPORTUNITY  
**NEW HORIZONS II**

The Y in Central Maryland  
in partnership with  
Wilde Lake Community Association  
**ENROLLING NOW**



Exciting news! We're enrolling youth  
ages 14-21 in our new community  
After School Opportunity Starting **4/9/24**

**KEY INFO:**

- 10 WEEK PROGRAM
- SEL Workshops
- College & Career Readiness
- OPPORTUNITIES FOR OTHER Y PROGRAMS
- DINNER & SNACKS PROVIDED



**Important Details:**

**Location:**  
Slayton House  
10400 Cross Fox Lane  
Columbia, MD 21044  
**Days:**  
Tues & Thurs  
**Time:**  
3:00PM - 5:30PM

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

**Markita Sutton - Sr. Program Director**  
Email: [markitasutton@ymaryland.org](mailto:markitasutton@ymaryland.org)

# ANCHORS UP!

www.fo2w.com



## What We Offer:

### Self-Love and Positivity

Healthy relationships begin with you. Complete the award-winning **Love Notes** curriculum. Learn more about yourself and how to develop healthy relationships.

### Rewards: Earn \$35 & Swag

Earn AU! rewards, and swag for your accomplishments. All participants who join the program can earn a \$35 cash card, t-shirt, and a certificate of completion.

### About Us

Anchors Up! is a Positive Youth Development program. Our team consists of Coaches and Mentors who are ready to assist you in reaching your goals. The program is free and open to all high school students.

### Chart A Course for Success

Define your vision and goals. Explore your leadership style. Work with Anchors Up! mentors to plan a successful future.

### Join Us each Monday

3PM -5PM  
Wilde Lake Community Center  
Slayton House  
10400 Cross Fox Lane  
Columbia, MD

### For More Information

Email: [info@fo2w.org](mailto:info@fo2w.org)



Self-Love\*Wellness\*Success



Anchors Up! - 10-week positive youth development program on Mondays from 2:45-5:00 pm with snacks, workshops, and \$35 cash card for program completion! Meet with AU! coaches and other WLHS students to focus on improving your relationship, wellness, goal setting and study skills. \*Bring a friend.

## News from Hillside by Bill Santos

The Annual Meeting of the Columbia Association was held last evening. **Bill Santos** was elected as Board Chair for the 2024-25 term.

Click on the following link to view the meeting recording. [Annual Meeting of the members of Columbia Association](#)

Join Bill for conversation at Starbucks on Sunday mornings at 10:00 am for Sunday Sixty in #VibrantWildeLake.

## Covenant Corner

### Agenda for May 14, 2024 RAC Meeting

Submissions for the RAC meeting on May 14 were due on Tuesday, May 7. RAC forms, agendas, and meeting minutes are always available at <https://wildelake.org/covenants>.

Address	Application	Action
10583 Tolling Clock Way	Bay window	Pending
5065 Stoneboat Row	Storm doors, shed, second AC unit (retroactive)	Pending
10548 Jason Lane	Screened porch and deck	Pending
10561 Tolling Clock Way	Rear patio updates	Pending
10279 Wilde Lake Terrace	Windows	Pending
10714 Midsummer Lane	Mural (phase II)	Pending
10454 Waterfowl Terrace	Terracing rear yard, patios, fire pit, outdoor kitchen	Pending

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# RAC MEMBERS NEEDED

Looking for a fun, flexible  
volunteer opportunity that helps  
keep our Village beautiful?

Visit [wildelake.org/whats-happening](http://wildelake.org/whats-happening)  
or email [covenants@wildelake.org](mailto:covenants@wildelake.org)!

**Wilde Lake CARES**



# COLUMBIA NATIVE SHRUB EXCHANGE



**Support pollinators! Feed the birds!  
Stop the spread of invasive plants!**

**CA village CARES and environmental groups have come together to raise awareness of invasive shrubs common in Columbia yards, and to offer FREE beautiful and environmentally beneficial native shrubs in exchange for removing invasive shrubs.**

Register ahead and reserve up to 2 native shrubs, choosing from 8 options. You will be asked to submit before-and-after photos of removal before pick up.

Pick up your replacement 3-gallon size native shrubs at Howard Community College on October 19th.



**Registration required. While supplies last.  
\*\*Columbia residents only.\*\***

Register using the QR code or this link:  
<https://forms.gle/wR33LedSmTNEzXDA>.

*Made possible by Chesapeake Bay Trust and Columbia Association.*

## Columbia Association News

**Fishing Guidelines at Wilde Lake Park** - <https://columbiaassociation.org/wp-content/uploads/Fishing-Regulations-wMap-for-Wilde-Lake-.pdf>



### Become a Life Guard - Summer 2024

Enjoy flexible hours, a fun work environment, competitive pay and a free CA Fit&Play membership — including pools, gyms and so much more!

**APPLY NOW**

## Upcoming Meetings



\*Wilde Lake Village Board Meeting (Virtual): Monday, May 20, 2024 at 6:30 p.m. [Zoom link](#)

\*Wilde Lake RAC: Tuesday, May 14, 2024. Contact Lexi Milani, [covenants@wildelake.org](mailto:covenants@wildelake.org) for meeting link and information.

\*CA Board of Directors (Work Session) : Thursday, May 23, 2024. [Click here for more information](#)

## Howard County Happenings





Calvin Ball  
County Executive

MERRIWEATHER PARK  
AT SYMPHONY WOODS

Howard County  
AAPI Commission



Howard County's  
3<sup>rd</sup> Annual  
**ASIAN & PACIFIC  
AMERICAN & ISLANDER  
FESTIVAL**  
May 11<sup>th</sup>  
12PM - 5PM  
The Chrysalis  
at Symphony Woods

County Executive Calvin Ball, and the AAPI Commission,  
in partnership with Inner Arbor Trust, invites you to

# ASIAN & PACIFIC AMERICAN & ISLANDER FESTIVAL

## Enjoy

Vibrant  
Celebration &  
Entertainment



## Eat

Food Trucks &  
An Array of  
Asian Cuisine



## Shop

Local AAPI  
Artisans & Small  
Businesses



## Explore

Organizations &  
Resources for the  
AAPI Community



**RESERVE  
YOUR FREE  
TICKETS!**

**LEARN  
MORE ABOUT  
THE DAY**



[innerarbortrust.org/aapi-festival](http://innerarbortrust.org/aapi-festival)



In partnership with the AAPI Commission, County Executive Calvin Ball invites you to

# ASIAN & PACIFIC AMERICAN ISLANDER

## HERITAGE MONTH EVENTS

### May 4<sup>th</sup>, SATURDAY | 12-5PM

@ Carroll Creek Outdoor Amphitheater, Frederick, MD 21701

- Asian American Center of Frederick is hosting Asia on the Creek: enjoy traditional art, dance, cuisine, and more!
- <https://bit.ly/AsiaCreek>

### May 9<sup>th</sup>, THURSDAY | 11AM

@ Historic Circuit Courthouse: 8360 Court Ave, Ellicott City, 21043

- Join the wall-breaking ceremony for Howard County's first AAPI Cultural Center, part of the Center for Arts, Culture, and History.

### May 11<sup>th</sup>, SATURDAY | 12-5PM

@ The Chrysalis, 10431 Little Patuxent Pkwy, Columbia, 21044

- Enjoy food trucks, entertainment, artisan vendors, and more at Howard County's 3rd annual AAPI Festival hosted by County Executive Ball, the AAPI Commission, and the Inner Arbor Trust!
- <https://innerarbortrust.org/aapi-festival>

### May 14<sup>th</sup>, TUESDAY | 11-12PM and 2-3PM

@ HCLS, Miller Branch, 9421 Frederick Rd, Ellicott City, 21042

- Pop-in and make a craft for Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month.
- <https://live-howardcounty.pantheonsite.io/>

### May 18<sup>th</sup>, SATURDAY | 11-7PM

@ Capitol Hill, 400 Pennsylvania Ave, NW Washington, D.C. 20001

- 2024 Fiesta Asia Street Fair featuring over 1,000 performers, artisans, and vendors!
- <https://fiestaasia.org/>

### May 18<sup>th</sup>, SATURDAY | 7PM

@ Howard Community College, Smith Theater

- GRAMMY Award Winning artists join Chinese classical artists for From China to Appalachia, hosted by the Howard County Chinese Cultural Center and the Columbia Festival of the Arts.
- <https://tinyurl.com/5d3fn46s>

### May 20<sup>th</sup>, MONDAY | 7-8:30PM

@ HCLS, Online

- Join the monthly discussion of Asian American literary titles: Mott Street by Ava Chin.
- <https://tinyurl.com/5xjz7fjs>

### May 22<sup>nd</sup>, WEDNESDAY | 5:30-8:30PM

@ Montgomery College - Rockville, 51 Mannakee Street, Rockville, MD 20850

- The Governor's Commission on Asian Pacific American Affairs is hosting the Maryland Asian Pacific American Heritage Month Celebration. RSVP by May 10th at <https://bit.ly/MarylandAPA>.

Visit [howardcountymd.gov/boards-commissions/AAPI](https://howardcountymd.gov/boards-commissions/AAPI) for clickable links and to connect with us!



# Find Out About Us

## The Village in Howard

— Aging Better Together —



Wilde Lake Village Center-Slayton House

10400 Cross Fox Ln, Columbia, MD 21044

Wednesday, May 29th

10:30 AM

Register today

**Stay Active, Volunteer**

*Engage in Educational/Cultural Activities*

*Socially Connect, Age-In-Place*

**[www.thevillageinhoward.org](http://www.thevillageinhoward.org)**



### Pollinator Fest

The Howard County Conservancy is having a pollinator party! Join on June 30, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., to celebrate and meet your favorite pollinators. Learn about bees, butterflies, moths, birds and more at informative stations. Enjoy hands-on pollinator-themed activities and games, seed giveaways, music, a book swap and more! Free! Registration required: <https://www.howardnature.org/event/pollinator-fest-2/>

### Books in Bloom Festival Set for May 11 at Color Burst Park, Downtown Columbia

Downtown Columbia Partnership and Howard Hughes Holdings present Books in Bloom Saturday, May 11, 11:30-5 p.m., Color



Burst Park, Merriweather District, Downtown Columbia. The multigenerational, multicultural festival features award-winning authors, music, refreshments, and activities for all ages and interests. There is no admission fee.

Literary novelist Julie Otsuka, book club favorite Helen Simonson, journalist and memoirist Natasha S. Alford, wunderkind scientist and innovator Gitanjali Rao, playwright and essayist R. Eric Thomas, linguist and social critic Amanda Montell, middle grade novelist Emily Barth Isler, and children's book author Sue Fliess are featured.

See the entire schedule and other activities [here](#), including a poetry reading to celebrate HoCoPoLitSo's 50th anniversary and a showcase of student writers.

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## It's Time to Register for Kindergarten

Registration for new students or students entering public school kindergarten in fall 2024 begins the week of March 4, 2024 in all Howard County public elementary schools at times determined by individual schools.

**Kindergarten is mandatory in Maryland. State law requires that children entering kindergarten in the fall of 2024 must be 5 years of age on or before September 1, 2024. Children entering first grade in the fall of 2024 must be 6 years old on or before September 1, 2024. For details about registration and enrollment, visit [www.hcpss.org/enroll/](http://www.hcpss.org/enroll/).**

Parents or guardians are to register students at the school currently serving the address where the child's parent or guardian resides. Parents may check the School Locator and School Transportation link on the school system website, [www.hcpss.org](http://www.hcpss.org), or call the Public Information Office at 410-313-6600 for information on which school serves their neighborhood.

The parent or guardian must present the following information at the time of registration:

- The child's evidence of birth
- An authorized record of immunizations
- Proof of residency in the form of a lease, a deed and a utility bill
- Photo ID of the parent/guardian
- Proof of custody

Driver's licenses and voter registration cards will not be accepted as proof of residence. State law prohibits a child from attending school for even one day unless proof of immunization has been provided. Immunization and health forms are available at each elementary school.

Families who need language support during the registration process should contact the Multilingual Family Registration Center at 410-313-1525. Families who require interpreter services can contact the following Multilingual Call Center lines for assistance:

Centro de llamadas – 410-313-1591

전화 문의 센터 – 410-313-1592

电话服务中心 – 410-313-5920

Biakchawnkhawhnak Hmun – 410-313-5968



# 2024 Juried Show

## JUNE 26 - JULY 21



**APPLY ONLINE: MARCH 5-MAY 5**  
**JURIED NOTIFICATION: MAY 27**

Calling local artists / 18 years of age +  
Open theme / 2-D & 3-D artwork accepted  
Up to 2 entries for \$30 / \$700 in awards!  
See full prospectus: [artistsgalleryec.com/js](http://artistsgalleryec.com/js)

**RECEPTION & AWARDS: SUNDAY, JUNE 30, 2-5 PM**  
8197 MAIN STREET / ELLICOTT CITY, MD 21043

**Wilde Lake School News**



Join us!!  
WILDE LAKE HIGH SCHOOL

# JAZZ CABARET

SATURDAY - MAY 11

7 P.M.

JOIN US FOR A  
HOT NIGHT OF  
COOL JAZZ  
PERFORMED BY  
THE WLHS JAZZ  
ENSEMBLE,  
FEATURING THE  
NORTHFIELD  
ELEMENTARY JAZZ  
BAND!

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SCAN ME

Light food and refreshments  
available for purchase

Wilde Lake Main Street - Doors open at 6:30



## Support Wilde Lake's Students!

Looking to give back to the Wilde Lake community? There are 3 easy ways to give to Wilde Lake HS, and we thank you for your support!

1] Donate to the Student Support Fund to defray the costs of college entrance exams, school activities, and co-curricular activities for our students. Credit Card donations can be made at <https://osp.osmsinc.com/HowardMD/BVModule/ProductTemplates/Bvc2013/Product.aspx?productid=DA058-VAR87> or you can send a check to Wilde Lake High School 5460 Trumpeter Road Columbia MD 21044. You will receive an acknowledgement letter in appreciation for your support

2] Donate to the Corner Cafe' Food Pantry to address food insecurity for our students. Credit Card donations can be made

at <https://osp.osmsinc.com/HowardMD/BVModule/s/ProductTemplates/Bvc2013/Product.aspx?productid=DA058-VAR86> or you can send a check to Wilde Lake High School 5460 Trumpeter Road Columbia MD 21044. You will receive an acknowledgement letter in appreciation for your support. You can also order directly from the Amazon Wish List at [Amazon Wish List](#).

3] Donate Diapers to the Teen Parenting Program Wilde Lake HS hosts the Howard County Public School System's Teen Parenting Program. The childcare center allows our high school students to attend their high school classes and earn their high school diploma knowing their little ones are cared for during the day. You can donate diapers of any size (sizes 4 and 5 are our highest need but we're happy with all donations) by dropping them off at Wilde Lake High School 5460 Trumpeter Road Columbia MD 21044.

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## Save the Date!



# RUNNING BROOK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



## June 1 4pm - 7pm

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### OPEN TO THE COMMUNITY



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### Help Wanted at Slayton House - Facility Assistants!

Wilde Lake Community Association is seeking individuals who are looking for a flexible, part-time opportunity to provide facility support to Slayton House renters for a variety of classes, programs and theatre and social events. The Facility Assistant acts as the manager on duty in the evenings and on weekends, assists clients with facility equipment and ensures compliance with policies and 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 Sharon Cooper-Kerr, Executive Director/Village Manager at scooperkerr@wildelake.org. Only qualified candidates will be contacted for interviews.

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# Summer Event Series

## 2024 Calendar

Dorsey's Search	River Hill	Wilde Lake	Harpers Choice	Kings Contrivance	Hickory Ridge
<b>MOVIE NIGHT (WEDNESDAYS, ALL MOVIES BEGIN AT DUSK*)</b>					
<small>*Around 6:30-8:50pm in early summer and 8-8:15pm in late summer</small>					
JULY 17TH Frozen	JULY 24TH Encanto	JULY 24TH Cars	JULY 24TH Coco	JULY 10TH Madagascar	JULY 10TH Moana
<b>CONCERTS (THURSDAYS, 6-8 PM)</b>					
JUNE 6TH David Bach Consort <i>Jazz</i>	JUNE 6TH Deni Starr Band <i>Classic Rock</i>	JUNE 13TH I&I Riddim <i>Reggae</i>	JUNE 13TH The McBooze Brothers <i>Jazz</i>	JUNE 20TH Damon Foreman & Blue Funk <i>Jazz, Funk &amp; Blues</i>	JUNE 20TH Four Quarters Band <i>R&amp;B/Soul</i>
SATURDAY JUNE 15TH 1-3PM Meet, Greet & Eat Festival	JUNE 27TH Bluetrain <i>Bluegrass</i>	JULY 11TH The McBooze Brothers <i>Jazz</i>	JULY 11TH Patty Reese Band <i>Roots Rock</i>	JULY 18TH Starvation Army Band <i>Dixieland Jazz</i>	JULY 18TH Gary & the Groove <i>Goodtime Rock &amp; Roll</i>
JUNE 27TH Patsy's Honky Tonk & Twang <i>Classic Country</i>	JULY 25TH Rachel Hall Band <i>Blues, Soul &amp; Rock</i>	AUGUST 1ST Deni Starr Band <i>Classic Rock</i>	AUGUST 6TH CASIO Steel Drum Band <i>Calypso/Reggae</i>	AUGUST 7TH David Bach Consort <i>Jazz</i>	AUGUST 8TH Patsy's Honky Tonk & Twang <i>Classic Country</i>
JULY 25TH The Rockits <i>Classic Rock</i>	AUGUST 15TH Different Sisters <i>Variety, Rock, Country</i>	AUGUST 22ND CASIO Steel Drum Band <i>Calypso/Reggae</i>	AUGUST 22ND I&I Riddim <i>Reggae</i>	AUGUST 29TH Gary & the Groove <i>Goodtime Rock &amp; Roll</i>	AUGUST 29TH The Rockits <i>Classic Rock</i>
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All movies are rated PG EXCEPT Cars is rated G.

Scan QR Code for more info on our website

Scan QR Code to check out our Facebook page

for rent



## SPACE AVAILABLE FOR RENT AT SLAYTON HOUSE

A UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY HAS COME AVAILABLE FOR THE RENTAL OF THE THEATRE AT SLAYTON HOUSE FOR RELIGIOUS SERVICES IN OUR STATE-OF-THE-ART THEATRE. THE THEATRE HAS RECENTLY UNDERGONE MAJOR LIGHTING AND SOUND RENOVATIONS AND IS AVAILABLE FOR A LONG-TERM RENTAL.

PLEASE VISIT OUR [WEBSITE](#) TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE SPACE OR CONTACT KATE KOLARIK AT [RENTALS@WILDELAKE.ORG](mailto:rentals@wildelake.org) OR CALL (410) 730-3987 X18, FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.



### **Wilde Lake Staff is Here to Help!**

Wilde Lake Community Association staff is available to assist residents Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. via email and phone or in person by appointment.

Executive Director/Village Manager: Sharon Cooper-Kerr [scooperkerr@wildelake.org](mailto:scooperkerr@wildelake.org)

Facility Rentals: Kate Kolarik, [rentals@wildelake.org](mailto:rentals@wildelake.org)

Covenant Advisor: Lexi Milani, [covenants@wildelake.org](mailto:covenants@wildelake.org) (exterior alterations, compliance letters & property maintenance issues)



it's a Girl

WELCOME TO THE WORLD

Congratulations to Wilde Lake Community Association Facility Assistant Alia Lewis on the birth of her daughter last month. Mom and baby are great!

### **Wilde Lake Welcome Bags!**

Are you a new Wilde Lake resident? Wilde Lake Community Association would like to welcome you to the community with a special new resident welcome bag. It includes helpful information from Howard





County and Columbia Association plus a few WLCA goodies. Do you have a new neighbor? Our welcome bags are a wonderful way for you to welcome them to the neighborhood. Please contact [office@wildelake.org](mailto:office@wildelake.org) or 410-730-3987 to make arrangements to pick up a welcome bag.

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### **Wilde Lake Village Board 2024-2025**

The next meeting of the 2024-2025 Wilde Lake Village Board will be held on Monday, May 6, 2024 at 6:30 p.m. The meeting will be conducted as a hybrid meeting (Zoom [Link](#)). Agendas are found on our [website](#).

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

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410-730-3987  
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### **Wilde Lake Village Center Stores Open for Business**

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

Wilde Lake Community Assn | 10400 Cross Fox Lane, Slayton House, Columbia, MD 21044  
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