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Work Session Third Monday of Month

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MAYOR ROOP'S MESSAGE

We have a busy year ahead of us with several major projects. The first project we should see movement on is the Blue Ridge and College Avenue reconstruction project. We plan to put the project out to bid in late winter to early spring. This project includes new ADA compliant sidewalks, ramps, curbs, storm water system and paving. The lower part of College Avenue will see a substantial lowering of the pavement. This will allow for a safer access to the street from Union Bridge Road, especially for fire apparatus. This project is the result of being awarded a grant for \$673,300 from the Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development. If everything goes according to plan, the project should be completed by the end of the year.

Another project the Town is undertaking is Streetscape. Already under way, we have nearly completed the sewer pipe lining and will be undertaking the water line replacement. We hope to put this project out to bid by early summer. This project will replace 110 year old water pipes on High Street and Main Street. This project is expected to take about one year to complete. Once completed, the State Highway Administration is scheduled to begin their portion of the project. This includes the construction of ADA compliant sidewalks, ramps, curbs, pedestrian lighting and paving.

The Blue Ridge storm water management pond project is also underway. Thomas, Bennett, & Hunter, Inc. started construction on the Blue Ridge Manor storm water management pond retrofit around the first of November. The estimated duration of the project will be about five (5) months, weather permitting. The construction of the pond is being performed in partnership with the Carroll County Department of Resource Management to address requirements relating to the National Pollution Discharge Elimination System Permit. These requirements relate directly to nutrient reductions and impervious area treatment. The work will involve installation of sediment control (completed), replacement of the riser (completed), excavation of the facility (which will involve blasting), and installation of the filter media in the bottom of the facility. The retrofit will bring the facility up to current storm water management standards and will be constructed to address issues encountered during routine maintenance of the facility over the past several years by the Town. Over the next several weeks there will be blasting taking place to remove rock encountered during construction and if you have any questions or concerns relating to any of the work taking place on site, please contact the Bureau of Resource Management at (410) 386-2712; the agency overseeing the construction project.

As you can see, we have a lot going on now and into 2018. As I stated in a previous newsletter, with this scope of construction projects, there may be some inconveniences. I ask everyone to be patient and understanding while these projects are underway. We have a page on the Town's website that provides updates and schedules of work. Should you have any questions or comments before or during the projects, please contact Town Hall at 410-635-6575.

I believe that we all have a responsibility to give back. No one becomes successful without lots of hard work, support from others, and a little luck. Giving back creates a virtuous cycle that makes everyone more successful.

-Ron Conway

TOWN CALENDER

| <u>January</u> | | |
|-----------------|---|--|
| Jan 1 | New Year's Day, Office Closed | |
| Jan 2 | Walk w/ Mayor | |
| Jan 3 | Christmas Tree Pick-up | |
| Jan 3 | Town Council - 7:00 PM at Community Meeting Room | |
| Jan 10 | Christmas Tree Pick-up | |
| Jan 15 | Martin Luther King Day, Office Closed | |
| Jan 16 | Walk w/ Mayor | |
| Jan 16 | Work Session - 7:00 PM at Fire Hall | |
| Jan 17 | Christmas Tree Pick-up | |
| Jan 22 | Planning Comm 7:30 PM at Community Meeting Room | |
| <u>February</u> | | |
| Feb 2 | Ground Hog Day! | |
| Feb 6 | Walk w/ Mayor | |
| Feb 7 | Town Council - 7:00 PM at Community Meeting Room | |
| Feb 14 | Valentine's Day! | |
| Feb 17 | Special Town Council Work Session - 9:00 AM at | |
| | Community Meeting Room | |
| Feb 19 | President's Day, Office Closed | |
| Feb 20 | Walk w/ Mayor | |
| Feb 20 | Work Session - 7:00 PM at Fire Hall | |
| Feb 26 | Planning Comm 7:30 PM at Community Meeting Room | |
| <u>March</u> | 1 | |
| Mar 6 | Walk w/ Mayor | |
| Mar 7 | Town Council - 7:00 PM at Community Meeting Room | |
| Mar 17 | Special Town Council Work Session - 9:00 AM at | |
| | Community Meeting Room | |
| Mar 20 | Newsletter Deadline | |
| Mar 20 | Walk w/ Mayor | |
| Mar 21-23 | Read water meters, please keep dogs inside those days | |
| Mar 26 | Planning Comm 7:30 PM at Community Meeting Rom | |
| Mar 30 | Good Friday, Office Closed | |
| April | | |

BOOK MOBILE SCHEDULE FOR NEW WINDSOR

The Bookmobile will be at Carroll County Public Library Headquarters, 1100 Green Valley Road on Mondays 3:00 - 5:00 PM

**Changes are being made, for the schedule please go to

https://library.carr.org/about/bookmobile.asp

You may order books online for pick up at the bookmobile.

www.library.carr.org

Don't forget to change clocks a hour ahead Sunday, March 11



Yard Waste

Yard Waste will be picked up on the <u>first</u> and <u>third</u> **Wednesdays** of each month **starting April 4th** and ending in October. Yard Waste includes grass cuttings, leaves, shrub clippings, flowers, small plants and branches not over 4 inches in diameter or 4 foot in length. Branches must be tied in bundles. Yard waste should be placed in brown paper bags or containers that can be easily dumped; these containers should not weigh over 40 pounds.

DON'T FORGET TO BUY YOUR DOG LICENSE!

Bulk Trash Day, 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Beautification Day! 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Easter Day!

Apr 28

Apr 28

Yard waste starts

You can purchase the new 2018 dog license at the Town Hall. You will need your dog's rabies certificate, which will include the rabies tag number and revaccination date. If your dog has been altered you will need to show proof of spay or neuter. Tags cost \$25 if your dog is not altered or \$10 if you are a senior citizen. Altered dog tags are \$5. Starting March 1st, a \$10 late penalty will be charged.



Christmas trees will be picked up on Wednesdays, January 3rd, 10th & 17th. Please have trees in front of your house for pick-up. Main Street residents should place trees in the alleys behind their homes. Be sure all decorations are removed.



NEW WINDSOR FIRE DEPARTMENT

Tuesday Night Bingo Cash Prizes Only

- 4 Early Birds
- 16 Regular Games
- 3 Special
- 2 Quickie Games
- 1 Jackpot Games

Refreshments
available
Doors open at
5:30 pm
Food available at
6:00 PM Games start
at 7:00 pm



Auxiliary

CRAB CAKE SALE

Price: \$6.00 each, Fried or Raw

Deadline for orders: April 9, 2018

Pick-up time: April 24, 2018

Raw crab cakes can be picked up from 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Fried crab cakes can be picked up from 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM

To place an order call Dorothy Rue at (410)-775-7402



2nd ANNUAL SPRING BAZAAR

Saturday, March 24, 2018 Time: 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM Location: NWFD Hall

Vendors from all around will be there, wooden items, flowers, jewelry, sweatshirts and much more!

Breakfast and lunch will be served by the Auxiliary

If anyone would like a space please contact Dorothy Rue at (410)-775-7402 Spaces are \$20.00



SUB SALE

American Cold Cut
Italian Cold Cut
Roast Beef
Ham & Cheese
Turkey & Cheese
Ham & Cheese Pretzel

Each sub comes with condiments and bag of chips for \$5.50

Deadline for orders: is February 15, 2018 **Pick-up time:** February 28
10:30 AM - 1:00 PM or 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Money due at the time of pick-up

To place an order call Dorothy Rue at (410)-775-7402

Curfew

"Do You Know Where Your Children Are?"

Curfews for children under the age of 18 are:

11:00 PM on Friday & Saturday 10:00 PM Sunday thru Thursday



Cub Scouts is fun and adventure for boys in grades 1-5. It's friendship, games, camping, arts, outdoors, leadership, service, personal growth, teamwork and much, much more!

WE ALSO OFFER A PROGRAM FOR KINDERGARTEN BOYS!

Scouting supports all types of families and we believe in involving families in training our youth. Cub Scouting provides opportunities for family members to work, play, and have fun together.









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WEST CARROLL REC COUNCIL NEWS

West Carroll serves New Windsor, Union Bridge, Taneytown and surrounding areas. Anyone interested in Rec Council programs or events is welcome to attend our meetings, which are held the 2nd Monday of each month at 7:00pm at the Old New Windsor School/County Government Offices/Library Administration Offices in New Windsor.

Next Meeting Dates: January 8th, February 12th, March 12th

SPRING SPORTS

Visit our website: www.gowcrc.com

Facebook: http://www.facebook.com/goWCRC

<u>Baseball</u>

(FSK Jr. Eagles Baseball)

Contact: Jenn Griffin fskjreaglesbaseball@gmail.com or 410-775-7058 Register online: http://tshq.bluesombrero.com/fskjreaglesbaseball

Softball

(Chargers Fastpitch Softball)

Contact: Rick Leishear <u>coachrickL32@gmail.com</u> or 443-324-4545

Website: www.chargersfastpitchmd.com

High School Rugby

(West Carroll Marauders Rugby Club)

BOYS Contact: Chet Rockwood chet.rockwood@aol.com or 443-605-4507 GIRLS Contact: Gabby Balassone coachgabby@outlook.com or 915-249-5833

Website: www.westcarrollrugby.com

Register online: http://sports.bluesombrero.com/maraudersyr

Track & Field

Contact: Josh Porter joshporter1002@gmail.com

For general information about West Carroll programs, contact Community Coordinator,

Penny Rockwood at 410-775-1506. Another source to check for upcoming sports registrations is "RecZone", found in the back of the Sports section of the Carroll County Times on Sundays.



Calendar

January

14 - All you can eat breakfast at Union Bridge Fire Company, 7:00 AM—11:30 AM

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11 - All you can eat breakfast at Union Bridge Fire Company, 7:00 AM—11:30 AM

March

- 11 All you can eat breakfast at Union Bridge Fire Company, 7:00 AM—11:30 AM
- 24 Liberty High School Spring Craft Fair, 150+ crafters, artisans and vendors, concessions and live music, handicap accessible. \$3 admission. Ages 14 and under are FREE.

BUSINESS AWARDS

At the November Town Council Meeting three businesses were recognized for milestone Anniversaries!

- New Windsor State Bank 85 years
- Garber's Automotive 35 years
- Belisimo's 5 years

Research Your Family's History

The long, dreary winter days are a great time to do some research on your family's Carroll County roots or the old house you may live in. Why not drop by the New Windsor Heritage museum at 207 Main Street next to the bank? The exhibits and a video will introduce you to our town's fascinating history, you can do research in the Dielman Library, and you might even pick up a gift in the Fountain Shoppe. Hours are Saturdays from 10:00-1:00. Also, check out our website at www.newwindsorheritage.org. Since the museum is staffed by volunteers, call 410-635-3415 first to make sure someone will be there.



Snow Emergency Routes

The Town Code states parking is prohibited on designated Town Snow Emergency Routes whenever a Snow Emergency has been declared by the State Highway Administration or the Maryland State Police. Parking is prohibited until the Snow Emergency is lifted and the streets are cleared of snow. The parking prohibition applies to all vehicles including towed vehicles such as trailers and campers. Having the streets clear of parked vehicles during snow events allows the Town crews to clear the snow more quickly and is safe for the Town residents and staff.

New Windsor Snow Emergency Routes

| Old Town | Atlee Ridge | Blue Ridge |
|----------------|------------------|----------------|
| Blue Ridge Ave | Atlee Ridge Road | Clauser Cour |
| Church Street | Jo Apter Place | Graybill Court |
| College Ave | Kaylan Court | Gullo Road |
| Lambert Ave | Kelsey Court | Miles Court |
| Hillside Drive | Overleigh Way | Murphy Court |
| Main Street | Vista Court | |
| Maple Ave | | |
| Water Street | | |

Additional information and updates will be provided on the Town Website and Facebook Page.

Park cars in driveways: Parking cars in the driveway will allow snow plows to clear the snow more quickly, get streets plowed as wide as possible and avoid the possibility of damaging cars.

Shovel snow to the left side of driveway: Shovel snow to the left as you face it from the street. Make sure snow is <u>behind</u> the curb. This will reduce the possibility of the snow plows pushing the snow back into your driveway.

Shovel snow behind the curb: When clearing around your mailbox or car shovel the snow behind the curb. NOT INTO THE STREET. This will prevent the snow plows from pushing the snow back into your driveway or against your car or mailbox.

Clear sidewalks within 24 hours of the end of the snow: Clearing the sidewalks is the responsibility of the property owner. Town code requires the sidewalks to be cleared within 24 hours of the end of the snow.

Happy 200th Birthday!

The New Windsor Post Office is proud to announce that it is celebrating its 200th Birthday this month. It was established on January 19, 1818 with the appointment of William Brawner as its first Postmaster. Mr. Brawner served in that capacity for 10 years until Catherine M. Brawner was appointed Postmaster on August 8, 1828. In all there have been 24 Postmaster appointments during its 200 year history. Current Postmaster Ed Dean and Sales & Service Associate Cyrena Bingaman are very proud to carry on the great tradition of serving this community. In addition, it should also be noted that Rural Free Delivery was expanded to all of Carroll County in 1899. Today New Windsor is served by four dedicated Rural Carriers that deliver mail to the rural countryside of New Windsor. The New Windsor Post Office plans to commemorate this historic occasion during the month of January, 2018.

