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# Taneytown Record

A REVIEW OF NEWS AND EVENTS

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## MAYORS MESSAGE

Sir Edmund Burke:

*"The best way for evil to triumph is for good men (people) to do nothing."*

Wow! A lot has gone on in town during the last two months since I have last written. We have celebrated Easter and Passover, Spring has sprung, in fact I write this the day before our annual Spring Fling. I hope you had a chance to spend some time at the event and had a good time. Today, May 20, I welcomed the Muddy Angels to town. For the second year in a row this group made a stop in Taneytown. They are a group of cyclists who are Emergency Medical Service providers, many of whom are volunteers. They come from all over the northeast and bike from Boston to Alexandria (VA) in honor of fellow EMS personnel who have lost their lives or been injured in the line of duty. This is

the last leg of their journey, they left Boston on May 14th and will arrive in Alexandria tonight. I consider it a privilege to welcome them and encourage them along their way. We have also had a city election. I want to thank you for your confidence in your City government and thank you for returning Carl Ebaugh and Rick Hess, and me to office for another four years. We have a dedicated and hard working council who always keeps in mind the greater good for the citizens of Taneytown. Rainy weather has been the norm this spring. This has slowed the streetscape project and instead of being finished in June it looks like we will be delayed until August. There still is some uncertainty as to when exactly we will be finished. So rather than hold our "End of Streetscape" celebration in September as I hoped, we will need to postpone it, maybe until October, Stay Tuned!

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## CELEBRATE TANEYTOWN END OF STREETScape PARTY

In April, 2011, the Celebrate Taneytown committee members agreed to postpone the "Celebrate Taneytown-End of Streetscape Party" until Spring of 2012. Current estimates from the contractor indicate that an early completion date could be in October but a late completion date could be Spring. The committee felt that it was too risky and a last minute cancellation would be costly. With the completion of MD Rt. 140, we want our residents and visitors to experience our fresh look with new lighting, sidewalks, banners and landscaping.

Monies that have been collected from the jar placement around town along with the private and business donations are in a trust account that will be used for the 2012 event; we thank all who have contributed money and time.

We know that this 2012 celebration will be bigger and better than previously planned and invite anyone interested in volunteering to contact the City office at 410-751-1100.

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### What's Happening In Taneytown! (See inside for details)

**JUNE 4** - Farmers Mkt. Every Sat.  
Memorial Park

**JUNE 5** - Mayberry Sporting Clays

**JUNE 10** - Business Breakfast  
Thunderhead Bowling Ctr.

**JUNE 11** - Mini-Relay For Life  
Carroll Vista

**JUNE 12** - Country Breakfast Buffet  
St. Joseph's Social Hall

**JUNE 12** - Country Cruizin 2011  
Memorial Park

**JUNE 13-18** - Firemen's Carnival  
Memorial Park

**JULY 3** - Mayberry Sporting Clays

**JULY 8** - Business Breakfast  
Thunderhead Bowling Ctr.

**AUGUST 20** - Taneytown Chamber  
Baskets/Bags/Baking Bingo  
Pleasant Valley Fire Hall





# City of Taneytown

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### YARD WASTE REMINDER:

Please do not dispose of yard waste in your household garbage. Doing so will cause the City to incur unnecessary tipping fee costs for items that can be recycled into mulch.

The Public Works Department will pick up grass clippings on Tuesdays. You must call the City Office before 3 p.m. on Monday to schedule for pick up.

Please place your bags at the curb by 7:30 a.m. Grass clippings must be placed in paper- kraft bags only. Please limit the weight of bags so they can easily be lifted for loading and unloading without bag breakage. Please do not dispose of dirt, sod, thistle, or household garbage. Currently there are no charges to Carroll County residents for disposal of yard waste, at the Carroll County Landfill in Westminster (410) 386-4550.

## STREET SWEEPING

Monday, June 20, 2011:

East and West Baltimore St, Frederick St, York St., Roth Avenue, Baumgardner Avenue, Divern Street, Monocacy Circle, and Bancroft Street.

Monday, July 18, 2011:

East and West Baltimore St, Frederick St, York St, Church Street, West View Drive, Roberts Mill Road, Carroll Heights Drive, Bankard Terrace, and Canoe Court.

Streetscape construction areas will not be swept. Vehicles should not be parked on these streets until after they have been swept. Sweeping occurs between the hours of 7 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Should inclement weather prevail, sweeping will take place on the following Monday.

## TRASH & RECYCLING

### SCHEDULE CHANGE:

Due to the Independence Day Holiday, collection will take place on Thursday, July 7, 2011 instead of Wednesday, July 6, 2011.

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# Taneytown City News

## MAYORS MESSAGE

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Thank you for your continued patience! We're almost done!

We have received some good news, too. I have written in this column several times about the impact State budget cuts have had upon our operations. Particularly the reduction, near elimination, of highway user revenues (HUR's). We were notified in April that some of those funds would be restored. This was welcome news and will allow us to complete some much needed street maintenance (not Streetscape). Council also completed work on the fiscal year 2012 budget which begins July 1st. We were able to retain services and NOT have to increase taxes. The budget is tight and will remain so as long as the economy is in the doldrums. You can help through your recycling efforts and by conserving water. If you do not have a recycling container they are available at City Hall at no charge. Also available at City Hall are leak detection tablets. These may be used to detect a leaking toilet. These fixed leaks will save you and the city many gallons of water as well as dollars.

With summer fast approaching, our thoughts turn to outdoor activities, vacations and family trips. I know gasoline

prices may have altered the vacation plans for many. Consider spending some time in our great parks or visiting nearby attractions. We are fortunate to live in an area of such great natural beauty and at the same time an area so important to our history.

I guess the unofficial first day of Summer is Memorial Day, a day when we stop and remember our relatives and friends who served our country in the armed forces. Please take time to stop and remember the great gift they have given to us, our freedom. The Hesson-Snyder Post of the American Legion, located at Roberts Mill Rd. and Broad St., will celebrate Memorial Day with a special ceremony at 2PM on May 30th - Memorial Day. You are invited to attend. Bring the kids or grandkids, it will be a wonderful way to introduce them to some of the sacrifices that have been made on their behalf. Closely following Memorial Day is Flag Day which is June 14th. Be sure to fly "Old Glory" on that day.

In closing, I just want to say Happy Father's Day to all the Dads. What a significant and necessary role we play in our children's lives. What an awesome responsibility as a teacher, protector and provider we Dad's have assumed. May we have the strength and determination to be the best Dads we can be! God bless us one and all!

## Summer Fun Starts Here!

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# Local News

## LORIEN TANEYTOWN CELEBRATES NATIONAL NURSING HOME WEEK

Beginning Sunday, May 8th Lorien Taneytown kicked off a week full of events to show the residents, staff and families how much they are appreciated. The week began with a "Mothers Day Tea", where residents and families were able to enjoy a hot cup of tea and warm conversation with loved ones and friends. Every resident was given a corsage to wear for the day. Throughout the week special performances by The Flying Scotsman and Paul Seipps were enjoyed by everyone. The Flying Scotsman played music on instruments including the accordion and harmonica as the residents joyfully clapped their hands to the beat. Spectators took pleasure in listening to a variety of songs and humor when Paul Seipps took the stage. The week ended on a sweet note with everyone enjoying a Root Beer Float Social. The staff and residents enjoyed specially planned meals prepared by the dietary department throughout the week. The activities department will end the celebration "a little wild" with our first ever visit from The Baltimore Zoo. Who knows what kind of wild animals we may be getting a closer look at!

May is also a time to honor our nurses with Nurses Day on Thursday, May 12th. This year marks the 191st anniversary of the birth of Florence

Nightingale, who was the foundational philosopher of modern nursing. The following poem shows the gratitude and appreciation for the nurses at Lorien:

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And blesses from the beginning  
With a willingness to cheer.  
And the people who you care for  
Are better off by far,  
When they're touched by your compassion,  
By the person that you are.  
For in times of woe and worry  
When they're frightened or  
they're blue,  
No one could be more consoling  
than the friend they'll find in you.

- Author Unknown

Lorien would not be the facility it is without the dedication of our staff and volunteers. One of our many volunteers, Donna Fine, was acknowledged on Wednesday, May 18th by the SPIN organization for her continued volunteering commitment to our facility. The administration of Lorien would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the employees, residents, families, vendors and volunteers for being such an integral part of the services and care we provide.



Listed Left to Right - 1st row: John Fishpaw. 2nd row: Cathy Hartlaub GNA/Unit Secretary, Holly Whitcomb GNA, Jamie Etzler GNA, Tamara Stonesifer Receptionist. 3rd row: Sue Clark PTA, Edie Kelso Activities, Kristen Selby LPN, Stacey Wetzel GNA, Joe Skelton Maintenance



Renee Sherman SPIN Member (left) presents Donna Fine (right) with a certificate and flowers.



Listed Left to Right- 1st row: John Garner, Thelma Overholtzer, Janet Stang, Patsy Keeney and Charles Welk. 2nd row: Carl Cole, Catalina Naylor, Evelyn Glacken and Charles Irvin.



## TANEYTOWN BUSINESS BREAKFAST



**Date:** Friday, June 10, 2011  
Friday, July 8, 2011

**Time:** 7:30AM – Networking and Buffet Breakfast  
8:15 AM - Program

**Who:** JUNE: Jaime Etzel – Carroll Occupational Health  
Topic "The True Cost of Work Related Accidents"

JULY: Jennifer Beskid – MD Dept. of Corrections  
Social Media- What Employees Post and How They Use It

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# Taneytown News

## 9-11 A DAY TO REMEMBER

Taneytown American Legion, Hesson-Snyder Post 120 is hosting a remembrance Ceremony at Taneytown Memorial Park at 4PM on Sept 11, 2011. This event will be open to the public, and it is our wish that you spread the word to your friends and neighbors. Join us as we pay tribute to those who lost their lives on that horrendous day. It will not only be a day to remember those who are gone, but it will be a day to honor our service men and women, as well as all First Responders. All of these men and women are willing to make the ultimate sacrifice to keep us and our country safe.

### An Invitation to Share Your Musical Talents for September 11

As part of the American Legion's memorial service marking the ten-year anniversary of September 11th, a community choir is now being formed to perform a program of remembrance and reflection. Selections will include patriotic and spiritual pieces, both traditional and contemporary, ranging in difficulty from unison to four part arrangements. Those with rhythm percussion experience are also needed to help provide accompaniment on particular selections. There will be six rehearsals, tentatively scheduled on select Tuesdays throughout July, August, and September. For more information contact Mary Lou Reynolds at 443-804-7309. Please consider sharing your talents in memory of those who perished on that day and have died in service since then, and as a tribute to those who continue to serve and protect us.

## OUR FLAG

Whether you call it "Stars and Stripes", "Old Glory," or "The Star-Spangled Banner" this flag holds a special meaning for our country and in the hearts of all Americans, it is the symbol of our Freedom and our Ideals.

As a young child one of your first experiences was probably standing and placing your right hand on your heart and reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

In 1997, the Taneytown Chamber of Commerce decided to start the tradition of flying our flag downtown. They purchased the flags and took on the task of displaying our flag throughout downtown on the following holidays: Presidents Day, Memorial Day, Flag Day, Fireman's Parade, 4th of July, Celebrate Taneytown, Labor Day, Columbus Day and Veterans Day.

With the revitalization of downtown the meters will no longer have brackets to display our country's flag. But the Taneytown Chamber of Commerce has graciously stepped forward and is purchasing new Flag Banners to

be hung throughout town from our new light poles on the above holidays.

So next time you are driving through town and the flag banners are hanging, I hope it brings a patriotic and tender moment to each of you. So many have died to keep us free, we fly our flag

in Honor of THEM, our Freedom and our Ideals.

Thank you, Taneytown Chamber of Commerce for keeping this tradition alive.

*Cynthia Lamirande,  
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# Taneytown News

## NINA'S DANDY LUNCHEON BOAT CRUISE

The Taneytown Senior & Community Center will have a bus trip to Washington DC on Tuesday, June 21, 2011. The bus will leave the center at 8:30 a.m. and return at 4:45 p.m. The bus will take participants to Nina's Dandy Boat Cruise for a luncheon cruise to view the Memorials along the Potomac. Participants can choose one of six entrees when they sign up for the trip.

The choices are 1) Eggs Benedict

2) Basil Parmesan Chicken 3) Filet of Chicken 4) Beef Burgundy 5) Spantkopita and 6) Pasta Primavera. All meals will be served with fresh salad, rolls, and a choice of dessert. The cost of the trip is \$78.00 per person. Participants will need to pay half of the cost when they sign up and the rest of the payment 2 weeks before the trip.

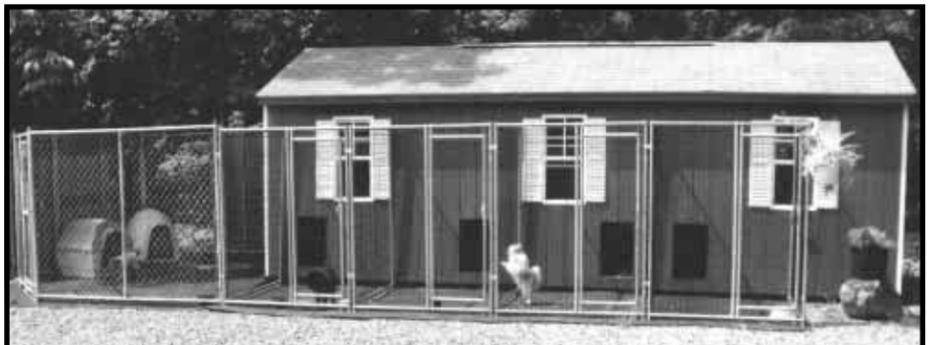
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# Church News

## EMMANUEL BAUST UNITED CHURCH

Emmanuel Baust United Church of Christ will be holding its annual Vacation Bible School from Monday, June 20 through Friday, June 24.

Children ages 3 years old-5th grade are welcome to join us for our Shake It Up Cafe-Where Kids Carry Out God's Recipe.

We will meet from 6:30 PM to 8:30 PM each evening at EBUCC, located at 2950 Old Taneytown Rd. There will be games, music, arts and crafts, bible stories and lots of fun.

Please go to our website, <http://ebucc.com/> to register, or call the church at 410-751-1237 to request a registration be sent to you, or email us at [office@ebucc.com](mailto:office@ebucc.com) for a registration form.

## ST JOSEPH'S INFORMATION MEETINGS

There will be informal information meetings held at St Joseph's Church, in Taneytown, 44 Frederick Street, this summer, for anyone who is interested in finding out more about the Catholic faith. These meeting are open to everyone, and there is no obligation or cost. All meetings will be held in the Church Hall.

- June 12th, Sunday, 9:15 AM (after the 8:00 mass)
  - July 9th, Saturday, 5:45 PM (after the 4:30 mass)
  - August 14th, Sunday, 11:15 AM (after the 10:00 mass)
  - September 7th, Wednesday, 7:30 PM
  - September 18th, Sunday, 9:15 AM (after the 8:00 AM mass)
- If none of these times are convenient, please call the church office @ 410-756-2500 or Jim McCarron @ 410-756-5006 (day) 410-756-4425 (evening)

## COUNTRY STYLE BREAKFAST BUFFET (All you can eat)

Where: St. Joseph's Catholic Church Social Hall, 44 Frederick St., Taneytown, MD  
When: Sunday, June 12, 2011, 7 A.M.- Noon.  
Cost: adults \$6.00, children 7-10, \$3.50, (6 & under free).  
Early bird special: 7 A.M. to 8 A.M. adults: \$5.00 children (7 - 10), \$3.00.  
Menu: french toast, scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage, pan cakes, potatoes, hominy, sausage gravy, chip beef, toast, fruit cup, orange juice, tea, & coffee.  
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# Taneytown News

## A SPECIAL PERSON GIVES A SPECIAL GIFT

If you walk into the City of Taneytown office, you will see a wood inlay picture of the City office building. This exquisite wood plaque was designed and made by City resident and retired electrician George Smorse.



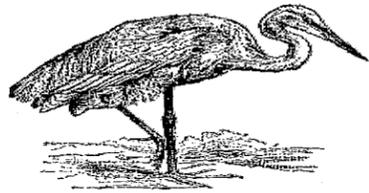
After living in California for a number of years, George and his beautiful wife Jean, moved to Taneytown in 2000, after he retired, to be closer to family. George decided to use his woodworking and design skills to create a new home that became a part of their talents and love. Jean is a collector of miniature light houses which is showcased in cases that George has built. George is a collector of model cars which represent every decade and style.

When you meet George and Jean, you can see the love they have for each other and also the love they have for this community that they call home.

Recently, George and Jean brought in a second gift to the City. It is a wood inlay, American flag with all 50 states

represented; in a time when some people want to complain, there are people like George and Jean who bring a ray of love and hope to this community.

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10:30-11:15 Ballet / Ballet Stories  
11:15-12:00 Tiny Tots  
4:45-5:45 Ballet Tech II\*  
5:30-6:15 Intro to Jazz  
5:45-6:45 Ballet Tech I\*  
6:15-7:00 Intro to Modern / Modern I  
6:45-7:30 Contemporary IV\*  
7:00-8:00 Hip Hop II

### Wednesday:

5:00-5:45 Jazz II / III  
5:30-6:15 Intro to Tap / Tap I  
5:45-6:45 Modern / Contemporary III  
6:15-7:00 Intro to Hip Hop / Hip Hop I  
6:45-7:45 Tween Contemporary I  
7:00-8:00 Tap III

### Thursday:

4:45-5:30 Fairytale Ballet  
5:30-6:15 Ballet I  
6:15-7:00 Ballet II  
7:00-8:00 Tween Ballet I / II

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# Police News

## TANEYTOWN POLICE DEPARTMENT

120 EAST BALTIMORE STREET,  
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### PUBLIC NOTICE - INVITATION TO BID

The Taneytown Police Department will be accepting individual sealed bids for any or all of the vehicles that have been impounded by the Police Department and three (3) items being sold by the City of Taneytown. The vehicles being offered for sale are as follows:

VEHICLE	MINIMUM BID
1987 VOLKSWAGEN	\$ 150.00
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1992 DODGE	\$ 150.00
1999 FORD CROWN VICTORIA	\$ 150.00
1995 CHEVROLET PICKUP TRUCK	\$ 200.00
1997 FORD DUMP TRUCK W/SALT SPREADER	\$3,800.00

All vehicles are being sold "AS-IS" and will be available on Monday, June 6, 2011 from 9 AM to 12 Noon for examination. Any bids below the Minimum Bid for each vehicle, as

listed above will be rejected.

All bids must be received by 12:30 PM, June 13, 2011 by the Police Department at 120 East Baltimore Street, Taneytown, MD 21787. Bids should be submitted in a sealed envelope and should be addressed to William E. Tyler, Chief, and marked "Sealed Bid for Impounded Vehicles". Bids must identify the specific Vehicle by Year and Make and include the Bid Amount and Bidder's Name, address and phone number. All Bids are irrevocable, and the City reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Bids will be opened on Monday, June 13, 2011 at 1:00 PM in the Conference Room at the Police Department by the City Manager and Chief of Police. Successful Bidders will be notified and arrangements for pick-up of vehicles will be arranged.

If additional information is desired, feel free to contact the Police Department at 410-751-1150 between the hours of 8AM and 4 PM, Monday - Friday.

### Taneytown Police Department

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Taneytown, MD 21787

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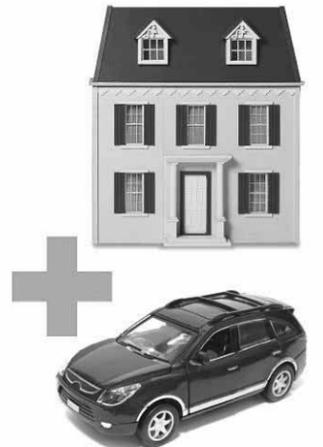
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### PUBLIC NOTICE - INVITATION TO BID BICYCLES

The Taneytown Police Department will be accepting individual sealed bids for any or all of the bicycles that have been stored by the Police Department. Bid documents may be picked up at the Police Station from 8 AM to 4 PM, Monday - Friday.

All bicycles are being sold "AS-IS" condition and will be available on Monday, June 6, 2011 from 9 AM to 12 Noon, by appointment, for viewing.

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Bids will be opened on Monday, Monday, June 13, 2011 at 1:00 PM in the Conference Room at the Police Department. Successful Bidders will be notified and arrangements for pick-up of the bicycles will be arranged.

If additional information is desired, feel free to contact the Police Department at 410-751-1150 between the hours of 8AM and 4 PM, Monday - Friday.



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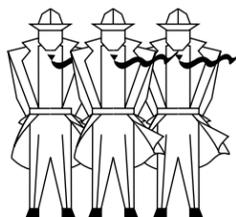
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### TANEYTOWN LIBRARY

Fun abounds this summer with a variety of exciting programs at the Taneytown Library! Take a look at this amazing lineup of programs for June and July!

There are three themes for this year's Summer Reading Program; One World, Many Stories is for children birth - entering grade 5. CCPL's teen program theme is You are Here, and the adult program's theme is Novel Destinations. Kids can sign up for the program beginning June 1. A fun and exciting way to promote reading! Check out the fun!

#### PROGRAMS FOR ADULTS:

Classic Black and White Films \*\* - Tuesday, 6/7 & 7/5 at 6:30 pm  
For all ages. Come watch a classic without color. Refreshments served.

Ben Sherman, Classical Guitar # - Tuesday, 6/14 at 7 pm  
For ages 11-adult. An evening of music, provided by Ben Sherman, a classically trained, award-winning musician with over 30 years of experience performing solo guitar. With a repertoire that ranges from Bach to jazz, there will be musical selections for every taste. Sponsored in part by a Community Arts Development Grant from the Carroll County Arts Council and the Maryland State Arts Council.

The Taneytown Book Club - Thursdays at 6:30 pm; 6/16 - Remember Me? By Sophie Kinsella

7/21 - True Colors by Kristin Hannah  
For adults. Join us as we discuss this month's book.

Drop-in Knitting - Tuesdays 6/28 & 7/26 at 6:30 pm  
For ages 12-adult. If you have an interest in knitting or have put away your materials and would like to pull them out again, come to share ideas, patterns, books and projects. Beginners, please bring size 8 needles and light colored worsted yarn - look for #4 on label.

#### PROGRAMS FOR TEENS:

Teen Advisory Board# - Wednesdays

6/1, 6/22, & 7/6 at 6 pm  
For ages 11-17. Need service hours? Stop by and share your opinions with library staff about books, music, movies and programs that you'd like to see.

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Teen Night: Anime Screening # - Wednesday, 6/15 & 7/20 at 6 pm  
For ages 11-17. Preview new anime titles. May be rated PG or TV-14.

Recycled T-Shirt Scarf # - Thursday, 6/23 3 pm  
For ages 12-17. Think Green! Turn an old t-shirt into a trendy scarf. Absolutely no sewing involved. Bring a t-shirt and fabric scissors if you own a pair.

Astronomy Fun in the Sun\*\* - Saturday, 6/25 & 7/23, from 10 am - 4:30 pm  
For kids of all ages. Drop in between 10am and 4:30pm and get a chance to look at the sun through a telescope and learn about Earth's nearest stars. Fun projects for kids, interesting info for adults. Presented by the Westminster Astronomical Society.

Felt Bookmarks # - Tuesday, 6/28 at 2 pm  
For ages 12-17. Have a favorite manga character? Do you like to create? If so, come and make a felt bookmark for yourself or for a gift. Requires some sewing skills for stitching borders.

Drop-in Knitting - Tuesdays 6/28 & 7/26 at 6:30 pm  
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Samantha's Story

Samantha is a 22 year old Carroll County resident and a single mother of a 3 year old little girl. Back in September of 2009 she found 2 ulcers under her tongue. Then another ulcer formed, tests were done and it in fact was oral cancer. While the following is graphic, it is the reality of what Samantha has been through and is still going through. The ulcer was eating away at her tongue and little pieces of her tongue were starting to fall off. In December of 09 she went in for surgery and half of her tongue was removed along with 64 lymph nodes from her neck. They rebuilt her tongue with skin from her forearm. Time went on and the cancer appeared to be gone but then in Sep. of 2010 she was having pain in her neck. She went to the doctors and a lump was found and by the next day it had grown larger to the size of a golf ball. Two days later it was the size of a softball and she was in horrible pain. It turned out to be a tumor and the cancer was back. So she went back in for surgery to remove the tumor and had to rebuild her tongue again. After numerous attempts again to rebuild her tongue it finally took. Problem now is she no longer had flooring to her mouth and from so many surgery's the skin on her neck would not stay closed. She ended up having large holes in her neck and they led up to her mouth. Most have healed but she still has one large hole that will not heal on its own. She started Chemo and radiation at the end of November and it ended in mid January of 2011. She believed that she had beaten it but in March another lump had formed and again she found out it was cancer back for the 3rd time. They were going to do surgery on March 21st and literally remove her jaw this time. Problem was they determined through the PET scan that there was another lump that was also cancer and surgery was no longer an option. The only thing left to do now is more chemo and radiation and maybe some new trial drugs. The doctors say the odds of beating this really went down when it was determined that she could not have this last surgery but Samantha is determined and will not accept failure. So she fights on with Chemo and Radiation but really needs assistance with medical expenses.

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For any additional info please contact Caitlin Brooks at 443-536-1785 or sonnycait@aol.com.

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Kelly Heck stands with her original photographs at her art opening reception of her exhibition as a guest artist at Off Track Art Co-operative and Gallery beside the railroad at 11 Liberty Street in Westminster. Her series is called "Beautiful Silence" and features black and white photographs of trees and landscapes. Her photographs will be on exhibition through June 25th along with the other artists who show their works there all year. Go to [offtrackart.org](http://offtrackart.org) for more information about the co-operative.



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## TANEYTOWN LIBRARY

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Bento Boxes \*# - Thursday, 6/30 at 2 pm  
For ages 13-17. Itadakimasu. Create a Bento box in celebration of Japanese culture. Here's your chance to make edible art!

Library Lock-In \*# - Friday, 7/8 from 5:30-10 pm

For ages 13-17. The library closes at 5pm, but you'll just be getting started! After-hours games, food, and fun. Spaces are limited and permission slips are required. Registration at branch only and forms must be turned in by 7/7/2011.

The Magic of Roger Lindsay \* \*\* - Wednesday, 7/13 at 1 pm & 7 pm

For ages 4 - Adults. Summer Reading ambassador Roger Lindsay transports kids 4 to 104 to a realm of magical happenings, illusions and laughter!

Harry Potterpalooza \*\*# -

Thursday, 7/14 from 2-4 pm

For kid of all ages. A party in honor of everyone's favorite wizard! Come in costume if you like and visit CCPL's Hogwarts and Diagon Alley. Crafts, activities, games and tasty magical snacks.

Getting Graphic: Drawing Comics and Manga # - Monday, 7/18 at 3 pm

For ages 11-17. A beginner's course in drawing for comic books, graphic novels, and manga. Supplies provided.

Xbox Kinect # - Thursday, 7/21 at 3 pm

For ages 12-17. Come for 2 hours of gaming fun. Individual game time will be limited by the number of participants.

### SPECIAL PROGRAMS FOR KIDS:

LEGO Creations -

Saturday, 6/4 & 7/2 at 11 am

For ages 5-Adult. Let your imagination soar and create castles, spaceships, or whatever you like. Bring mom or dad and the library will supply the blocks.

Preschool Science Special: Animal Homes \*\* - Friday, 6/10 at 1 pm

For ages 3-6. Take an imaginary hike as children learn the importance of healthy habitats while they meet live animals and discover where they live. Presented by MD Scales & Tales.

New Release Movie -

Monday, 6/20, 7/18, & 7/25 at 1 pm

For ages 6-12. Bring your friends for an afternoon of fun at the library. Watch the latest movie on the big screen and enjoy the air-conditioned cool.

Summer Reading Kick-Off Celebration

\*\* - Tuesday, 6/21 from 10am-2pm

For all ages. Enjoy fun activities including face-painting, crafts, and games.

Animal Planet: Worldwide Safari \* \*\* - Wednesday, 6/22 at 10 am

For ages 2-7. As lead pilot, skipper and travel guide, musician Tracey Eldridge will lead us on a wild worldwide musical safari to explore the animals, their habitats, and musical instruments from around the globe. Program sponsored in part by a Community Arts Development Grant from the Carroll County Arts Council and the Maryland State Arts Council.

Recycled T-Shirt Scarf -

Thursday, 6/23 at 1 pm

For ages 7-11. Think Green! Turn an old t-shirt into a trendy scarf. Absolutely no sewing involved. Bring a t-shirt and fabric scissors if you own a pair.

The Tortoise and the Hare Puppet Show

\* \*\* - Thursday, 6/23 at 7 pm; Friday, 6/24 at 10 am & 1 pm; Tuesday, 7/12 at 10 am & 1 pm

For ages 3-Adult. Hare loves to boast how speedy he is. His animal friends will try to guess if he can really beat the Tortoise in the Big Race! Enjoy this hopping summer puppet show!

Astronomy Fun in the Sun\*\* - Saturday, 6/25 & 7/23, from 10 am - 4:30 pm

For kids of all ages. Drop in between 10am and 4:30pm and get a chance to look at the sun through a telescope and learn about Earth's nearest stars. Fun projects for kids, interesting info for adults. Presented by the Westminster Astronomical Society.

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Down on the Dairy Farm \* - Monday, 6/27 at 11 am  
For ages 7-11. Learn about life on a dairy farm and where your milk, cheese and butter come from. You'll even get to make your own ice cream! Refreshments served.

Bats All Around \* - Monday, 6/27 at 2pm  
For 6-Adult. Learn about the fascinating world of bats from Richard Anderson of the Snyder Foundation for Animals.

Down on the Farm \*\* - Wednesdays at 9:45 am; 6/29:  
Meet the Chickens, 7/6: Meet the Cows, 7/27: Meet the Goats

For ages 3-6. Farms are fun! Learn about the animals that live on a farm and visit with a live farm animal! Programs presented with the help of local 4-H'ers.

American Girls Celebrate America \* - Wednesday, 6/29 at 2 pm

For ages 6-12. A patriotic party! Bring your American Girl doll or another favorite doll and have fun making crafts, and doing activities that celebrate America, just in time for the 4th of July! Refreshments served.

Showtime with TACTICC \*\* - Thursday, 7/7 at 9:45am  
For ages 3-7. Play games, sing songs and experience the joy of stories! Performed by TACTICC - The Arts Coming Together in Carroll County.

Library Ladies Tell Stories: Tales from Around the World - Thursday, 7/7 at 2 pm

For ages 5-12. Storytellers Renee and Rose Brown will share folk and fairy tales from different lands.

Bead Fun \* - Friday, 7/8 at 11 am  
For ages 7-12. Make a cool beadie critter and some neat bead jewelry.

Cupcake Celebration \* - Monday, 7/11 at 2 pm  
For ages 6-12. Make cupcake crafts, hear cupcake stories, and of course, eat cupcakes!!!

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Recycle Craft \* - Friday, 7/15 at 11 am

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# Local News

## TANEYTOWN LIBRARY

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For ages 7-12. Turn junk into something fabulous! Make a cool craft out of old recycled items.

Yoga for Me \* \*\* - Thursday, 7/21 at 11 am

For ages 3-6. Join Shawn Essed, certified yoga instructor, as she takes you on a fun yoga animal adventure where you'll experience the calming and fitness benefits of yoga. Bring a yoga mat or large towel if you wish.

Xbox Kinect - Thursday, 7/21 at 12:30 pm

For ages 7-11. Come for 2 hours of gaming fun. Individual game time will be limited by the number of participants.

Stories from Around the World \*\* - Tuesday, 7/26 at 11 am

For kids of all ages. Join storyteller Mark McKinney as he shares fun, exciting, and interactive stories from around the world.

Math Meals on Wheels - Tuesday, 7/26 at 2 pm

For ages 7-11. Join the fun as award-winning authors Ann McCallum and Leeza Hernandez bring math alive during their Summer Picnic Tour. Program is sponsored by PNC Bank. Book sale and signing will follow.

Yoga Fun \* - Wednesday, 7/27 at 1:30 pm

For ages 7-12. Yoga is fun and can help build strength and flexibility. Join Shawn Essed, certified yoga instructor, and learn some basic yoga moves. Bring a yoga mat or large towel if you wish.

Sign Language Here, There, and Everywhere! \*\* - Thursday, 7/28 at 9:45 am

For kids of all ages. Signing storyteller Kathy MacMillan will be your tour guide for this fun event. Learn some basic American Sign Language through participation in stories, songs, and games.

Junior Gardener's Workshop: Flower Arrangement \* - Friday, 7/29 at 1 pm

For ages 8-12. Presented by the Silver Fancy Garden Club, Jr. Gardeners will learn how to grow flowers, learn basic techniques for arranging flowers, and make a lovely flower arrangement.

### REGULAR STORYTIMES:

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Story Pals - Tuesdays at 11 am  
For ages 2-3 with accompanying adult caregiver.

On My Own - Wednesdays at 9:45 am  
For ages 3-6.

Year-Round Storytime \*\* - Thursdays at 9:45 am  
For kids of all ages.

Evening Storytime \*\* - Wednesdays at 6:30 pm  
For kids of all ages.

\*Registration required for this program. Sign-ups begin 2 weeks prior to the program. Stop by the info desk, phone 410-386-4510 or log onto library.carr.org and click on Programs and News, following prompts to register.

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# Local News

## COME AND CHECK OUT OUR NEW AND EXCITING ARTISANS AT PRISTINES!

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### FEATURING:

#### Bob Kenyon-local artist/painter

Bob was born in Saranac Lake, New York, in the heart of the Adirondack Mountains. He moved to central New York State, attending high school in Utica and college at Syracuse University. He graduated from college with a major in physics and a minor in chemistry and math. After college, he worked for the Air Force in the field of electronic science at the Rome Air Development Center. His interest in painting really began when he was transferred to Andrews Air

Force Base in Maryland and took a short term course in painting. That experience set the bar for what was to come, a love of painting and putting colored symbols on a surface to represent something exciting.

Bob then enrolled at Prince George's Community College to take a formal painting course.

Before he knew it, he had completed every studio course offered at PGCC and was awarded an Associate's Degree in Art. From that point on, Bob painted sparingly because of the job constraints on his time.

Upon retirement, however, he began to paint in earnest. Bob has been a member of and exhibited his art at The Torpedo Factory and West End Gallery in Alexandria; The Port Tobacco Art Guild; the Mattawoman Creek Art Center; Charles County Art Alliance; Anne Marie Gardens and Indian Head Art Center in Southern Maryland. Currently he is a member of the Carroll County Art Center and the Federation of Art Circle Gallery in Annapolis, Maryland, exhibiting

in both galleries. Bob has won recognition and numerous awards in all these venues.

#### Beach Memories ~ Rita Sullivan

Featuring Handmade Artisan Shell Frames, mirrors and gift trinkets~

My love of the beaches of the world and my interest in antique jewelry has inspired me to create Beach Memories! On my travels, I hand select shells from the U.S., Caribbean and Europe. I am always looking for vintage pieces to use as accents. No two artisan frames, mirrors or trinkets are ever the same!

#### Fabs Faeries ~ Toni Fabrick

Recently featured in the Baltimore Sun Fashion page for her Fascinator/Mini Hats!

Toni is from Hampstead, Maryland and specializes in Lil Girls Fairy/Fantasy Couture (tutus, wigs, wands and hair wear). Toni creates tutu's (little girls and big girls) for costuming, photo shoots and dress-up play. Hair wear seems to be the most popular, with her introduction of the FASCINATOR. She custom creates and designs for weddings and special events, as well, and she is currently taking orders for Fairy Festival and

Renaissance Festival attire.

Toni and her partner Duane, also create wood crafts, such as birdhouses, decorated primitive stars, wood signs, and much, much more. Duane plans to add children's wood toys to their line of wood crafts products. All wood products have usually had a previous life. Fabs Faeries mantra is: Reclaim, Reuse, Recycle. Fly!

#### TiggYWinkles Nook Hazel Stinebaugh

Hazel was born and raised in England. Her Mother taught her to knit at the age of 5 and while in school, she was taught to sew and embroider. Hazel developed a love for crafts and began to broaden her horizons by learning new artisan creations. Hazel immigrated to the States in the early 1970's and finally settled in Taneytown, approximately 7 years ago. Hazel carries an assortment of hand-crafted baby quilts, bibs, fabric books, homegrown lavender sachets and cross stitched sewing/needle cases. Hazel also carries a line of hand-crafted wreaths, necklaces, pocket mirrors, key chains and magnets from Creative-Sanity, which can also be found at [www.creativesanity.etsy.com](http://www.creativesanity.etsy.com).

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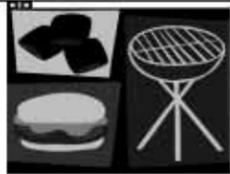
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<p>8:00 am – 4:00 pm. *Computer Lab 8:30 am. Wii 9:00 am. Billiards Practice 9:30 am. Pinochle Games &amp; Lessons 11:30 am. Lunch \$ donation for 60 years and older 12:30 pm. Stay Fit Exercise \$20 12:30 pm. Pinochle 1 pm. Bridge Club</p> <p><u>MONDAY MONTHLY ACTIVITIES:</u></p>  <p><small>Accessibility Notice The Americans with Disabilities Act applies to the Carroll County Government and its programs, services, activities and facilities. Anyone requiring an auxiliary aid or service for effective communication or who has a complaint should contact Jolene G. Sullivan, The Americans with Disabilities Act Coordinator, 410-386-3600, 1-888-302-8978, MD. Relay 711/1-800-735-2258 or email <a href="mailto:sullivanj@ccg.carr.org">sullivanj@ccg.carr.org</a> as soon as possible but no later than 72 hours before scheduled event.</small></p> <p>* <u>Computer Lab</u> When classes are not in session.</p>	<p>8:00 am – 4:00 pm. * Computer Lab 8:30 am. Wii 9:00 am. Billiards 9:30- 11:00 am. Computer Class 10:00 am. Line Dance \$30 Join anytime 11:30am. Lunch \$ donation for 60 years and older</p> <p><u>TUESDAY MONTHLY ACTIVITIES:</u> 6/7 9:30 to 10:30 am. <u>Free Blood Pressure Screening</u> 6/14, 8:00 to 10:00 am. <u>Site Council Breakfast</u>. If possible, make a reservation by 5/6/2011. Cost: \$4.00. 6/14, 9:00- 9:30 <u>Crime Prevention Chat</u> Springtime Safety. 6/21 8:30- 5:00 pm. <u>Bus Trip</u> Nina's Dandy Boat Trip. Cost \$78. 6/21, 11:30- 2:00 pm. <u>Strawberry Festival</u> Hamburgers &amp; Hot Dogs Grilled on Site. Strawberries &amp; Ice cream for dessert. 6/21, 12 noon <u>Ombudsmen Chat</u> 6/28, 5:00 to 8:00 pm. <u>Senior Game Night</u></p>  <p>* <u>Computer Lab</u> When classes are not in session.</p>	<p>8:00 am – 4:00 pm. *Computer Lab 8:30 am. Wii 9 am. Billiards 10:00 am. Senior Fun and Fitness with Valerie Wittstadt. \$25/12 weeks 11:30 am. Lunch \$ donation for 60 years and older 12:30 am. Arthritis Foundation Exercise. You don't have to have arthritis to join this class. 12:30am. Great Games Available</p> <p><u>WEDNESDAY MONTHLY ACTIVITIES</u> 6/8, 12:30 pm. <u>500 Card Party</u> 6/22, 2:30 pm. <u>Site Council Meeting</u> 6/22, 11:00 am. <u>Win 2 Lose</u> with Teri Serio</p>  <p>* <u>Computer Lab</u> When classes are not in session.</p>	<p>8:00 am – 4:00 pm. *Computer Lab 8:30 am. Wii 9:00 am. – Billiards 9:00am – 11am. Sewing &amp; Things 9:30 am. – Better Health &amp; Wellness Exercise Class. \$25.00/12 weeks 9:30- 11:00 am. – Computer Class 11:30 am. Lunch \$ donation for 60 years and older 12:30 pm. Gentle Yoga Class</p> <p><u>THURSDAY MONTHLY ACTIVITIES</u> 6/9, 10:30 am. <u>Nutrition Chat</u> "Sugar-The Sweet Thief of Life" 6/9, 12:30 to 4:00 pm. <u>Nickel Bingo</u> 6/16, 10:00 to 11:30 am <u>Senior I&amp;A</u> By appointment, call (410)-386-3831 6/16, 11:30- 12:30 pm. <u>Fathers Day Luncheon</u> 6/30, 10:30 am. <u>Nutrition Chat</u> "Pick a Better Sweet Potato"</p>  <p>* <u>Computer Lab</u> When classes are not in session.</p>	<p>8:00 am – 4:00 pm. * Computer Lab 8:30 am, Wii 9:00 am, Billiards 11:30 am, Lunch \$ donation for 60 years and older 12:30 pm. Zumba Exercise Class</p> <p><u>FRIDAY MONTHLY ACTIVITIES</u> 6/3, 9:00- 3:30 pm.. <u>AARP Safe Driving Class</u> Cost is \$12 for AARP members and \$14 for non-members, call 410-386-2700 for class reservations.</p>  <p><small>The Carroll County Bureau of Aging suggests that those interested in a physical activity program should consult with a medical professional before engaging in activities involving physical exertion or other implications that may be inappropriate for people with certain medical conditions. The Bureau of Aging may require program participants to sign an Informed Consent Agreement.</small></p> <p>* <u>Computer Lab</u> When classes are not in session.</p>



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The Program starts at 10 AM.

The entrance will close at 9:55AM.

Parking is on either of the two parking lots on either side of the clubhouse.

The American Cancer Society Relay For Life is a life-changing event that gives everyone in communities across the globe a chance to celebrate the lives of people who have battled cancer, remember loved ones lost, and fight back against the disease. At Relay, teams of people camp out at a local high school, park, or fairground and take turns walking or running around a track or path. Each team is asked to have a representative on the track at all times during the event. Because cancer never sleeps, Relays are overnight events up to 24 hours in length.

Anyone can participate in Relay For Life. Friends, families, neighbors, classmates, sports teams, etc., can form their own teams. No matter who you are, there's a place for you at Relay.

The only requirement to participate in Relay For Life is the \$10 registration/commitment fee (per person) that is due upon registration. After that, anything you can raise through individual, team, or online fundraising is graciously accepted. It is recommended that each participant to set a personal goal to raise \$100. If you raise more, that's even better. Even if you do not raise \$100, you are still welcome to participate.

If you want to be part of Relay, you can start a team or join an existing team online. You can also make an online donation.

# Taneytown News



The above photo was taken at the May 6, 2011 assembly at Runnymede Elementary School. In the photo are (left to right): John Code - teacher at Runnymede, Susan Routson - teacher at Runnymede, Dorothy Stottlemyer - Fund Raising Chair at Carroll County Food Sunday, Ed Leister - Vice Chairperson at Carroll County Food Sunday, George Perkins - Treasurer at Carroll County Food Sunday

## RUNNYMEDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL THANKS CARROLL COUNTY FOR SUPPORTING THEIR WALK-A-THON

On April 21, 2011 the students and staff at Runnymede Elementary School conducted their 13th annual Walk-a-Thon to benefit Carroll County Food Sunday. Each grade walked for one hour and the students asked for support of their walk in their community. Runnymede Elementary raised \$8000 to support Food Sunday's supplemental food program in the Taneytown area. Food Sunday thanks teachers Susan Routson and John Code for their work supporting the annual Walk-a-Thon. A check was presented to Carroll County Food Sunday on May 6, 2011 at an assembly attend by the students of Runnymede Elementary.

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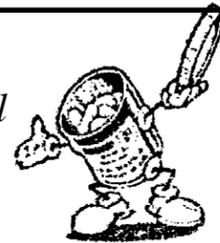
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# Taneytown News

## COUNTRY CRUIZN CAR SHOW

On Sunday, June 12, the Country Cruizn Car Show will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Taneytown Memorial Park. The annual car show raises funds to benefit disabled veterans. The show, hosted by Street Cars of Desire and coordinated by Grant Stone, of Taneytown, and his daughter, Shiela Johnson, of Hampstead. The rain date for the show is June 19.

Last year's show was a huge success, bringing in \$2,300; and an additional \$2,000 was donated by Dell, who Stone works for. With those funds, they worked with Best Buy to purchase 13 notebook computers that were donated to the Bethesda Naval Hospital. Four members of SCOD hand-delivered 9 of the 13 computers to soldiers in the hospital.

The experience was sobering and the club members want to make this show better than the last. Vehicles of all makes, models and years are invited, and are \$10 each. Admission for spectators is free, as well as plenty of parking. Vendors are being accepted until June 1 at a cost of \$30 per space.

The show depends on the generosity of our community. We look for donations for 100 goodie bags, door prizes and larger items for our live auction. This year's auction is already looking awesome with a one night stay at Antrim 1844, a family membership to the Carroll County Farm Museum for the 2012 season, two tickets and a VIP package to a yet to be determined event at Merriweather, and much more. If you'd like to donate to our show, please give us a call. We appreciate any help you can offer.

Chad Pollard will be the deejay; there will be a 50/50 raffle, live auction, games, vendors and so much more. The Taneytown Volunteer fire department



CPL Shaffer and Ian Wieprecht after awards ceremony

## SPECIAL OLYMPICS TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS

On Thursday, April 7, 2011, CPL Brian Shaffer and PFC Steven Sakadales participated in the Special Olympics Tournament of Champions in Gill Gym at McDaniel College. Children took part in many games and activities. They received medals and certificates for their participation.

will be selling pit beef, pit ham and more; and Don's Snowballs will be on hand to cool you off.

Spend a day out with the family and help us raise money for those that are risking their lives for our freedoms.

If you're interested in becoming a vendor, please send a check for \$30 made payable to SCOD to Shiela Johnson, 4346 Sycamore Drive, Hampstead, MD 21074. Include your name, address, phone number and what company/product you'll be representing. At this time, we already have vendors representing Mia Bella and Scentsy candles, Longaberger, Pampered Chef, Cookie Lee Jewelry, and Avon.

For additional information, please call Shiela at 410-412-6787 or Grant Stone, 443-824-0639; or you can email us at [countrycruizn@yahoo.com](mailto:countrycruizn@yahoo.com).



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# Local News

## SUMMER!KIDS@ CARROLL FEATURES CAREER CAMPS FOR 2011

Program Voted in 2010 as the Best of Carroll (honorable mention) by the Carroll County Times

Summer!Kids@Carroll has expanded its offerings for middle school youth who are interested in exploring careers. Weekly summer programs from June 27 through Aug. 12 are held both on the campus in Westminster, Md. and at the Carroll County Career and Technology Center. Summer!Kids@Carroll registration is currently underway.

Special emphasis is being placed on giving participants an opportunity to explore potential careers through the Career Kids category of camps. Half-day classes include Culinary Careers; Engineering Camp (now for two different groups); Health Careers Camp; Real

World Games; So You Want to Teach; More About Teaching; Nursing Camp; You're the Boss of Your Own Business; and Veterinary CSI.

These camps are taught by professionals actively working in these occupations and are designed to engage and inspire the students. Many of the programs also include field trips.

Senior Director of Lifelong Learning and Program Support Systems Sally Long said, "New camps abound in 2011, however, many of the old favorites will return with new activities. Both new and established camps explore areas of interest for all children and provide hands-on experiences. Our classes always include continuous involvement by students. The hallmark of Summer!Kids@Carroll is engagement, and enrichment and learning, all in a familiar camp-like environment."

"Camps exploring Engineering are very popular, and we are thrilled to be working with Northrop Grumman on

these programs," said Long. "A student may participate in the Engineering Camp at the college in 6th, 7th, 8th, and 9th grades with a different activity each year. Then, in tenth grade, they can attend a career pathways program sponsored by Carroll."

"Later, in high school, they can move on to take Engineering classes at the Carroll County Career and Technology Center. For college-level

coursework, students may return to Carroll to pursue the associate degree in Engineering studies. This is a continuum of classes taken like a ladder, which builds one rung at a time. Such a continuum is also available for other career choices such as Allied Health", said Long.

For more information, or to register, call 410-386-8100 or visit [www.carrollcc.edu/summerkids](http://www.carrollcc.edu/summerkids).



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## ALWAYS HELPFUL IN OUR COMMUNITY

What a wonderful day was spent doing a Huge Spring cleanup at the Gardens of St. Josephs on Church St. in Taneytown, MD on April 9th. Mr. Kurtz, Director of Student Services brought with him Two Student Athletes, Student Athlete McClaugherty and Student Athlete Lewis. These gentlemen never worked at Landscaping in the past but for sure they can never say that again. The three of them worked like crazy and never complained once, Mr. Lewis even decided he really liked this kind of business, whereas Mr. McClaugherty wants to stay with computers. There were a few others from the parish who came to help since Mr. Webster the Chairman of the ground committee was one week out from having his rotator cuff surgery but even that did not slow him down much. He spent a good time with the gentlemen showing them the art of pruning, mulching and cleaning up. Lessons they will never forget. Mr. Kurtz was like a bull carrying and spreading mulch and the boys did about 3 yards of it. When I asked the School for a few volunteers for a few hours I had no idea we would work from 9 AM till almost 4PM. Monsignor Marty Fields thinks the world of the gentlemen at the school.

If you get the time ride by and take a good look.

It is always my pleasure to have these gentlemen work with me anywhere. And anytime they make me very proud.

Many things were happening for the Students at Silver Oak Academy on April 9. There were students and teachers walking a mile in her shoes (Red Heels) in Westminster, MD in Support of the Rape Crisis organization. Unforgettable pictures were obtained and a great time was had by all.

*Betsy Baker - Main Street Volunteer*

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# Local News

## ANNUAL DRINKING WATER QUALITY REPORT FOR 2010 CITY OF TANEYTOWN MAY 18, 2011 PWSID 0060012

The City of Taneytown - Public Works Department would like to present to you this year's Annual Water Quality Report. This report is designed to inform you about the quality of the water and services we deliver to you every day and to help you understand the efforts we make to continually improve the water treatment process and protect our water resources. Our constant goal is to provide you with a safe and dependable supply of drinking water. We are committed to ensuring the quality of your water.

Our water is supplied by seven wells located throughout the City, which draw from the New Oxford aquifer (or Formation). Each well has its own chlorine disinfection treatment system. The finished (treated) water from each well is pumped into a distribution piping system, which includes two storage tanks.

We have a Source Water Assessment Plan available from our office that provides more information such as potential sources of contamination. This plan is also available from Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE) or at the Carroll County Public Library.

We are pleased to report that our drinking water meets federal and state requirements.

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immunocompromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ trans-

plants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk for infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water (SDW) Hotline (800-426-4791).

If you have any questions about this report or concerning your water utility, please contact the City Office at 410-751-1100 between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. We want our valued customers to be informed about their water utility. If you want to learn more, please attend any of our regularly scheduled Council meetings. They are held on the second Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the City Office.

We have learned through our monitoring and testing that some contaminants have been detected in the City's drinking water supply. As water travels over the

land or underground, it can pick up substances or contaminants such as microbes, inorganic and organic chemicals, and radioactive substances. All sources of drinking water are subject to potential contamination by substances that are naturally occurring or man made. All drinking water, including bottled water may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the SDW Hotline at 1-800-426-4791.

The City of Taneytown routinely monitors for contaminants in your drinking water according to Federal and State laws. The following table shows the results of our monitoring for the period of January 1st to December 31st, 2010. In this table, you will find many terms and abbreviations you might not be familiar with. To help you better understand these terms, we've provided the following defi-

nitions:

Non-Detects (ND) - laboratory analysis indicates that the contaminant is not present.

Parts per million (ppm) or Milligrams per liter (mg/l) - one part per million corresponds to one minute in two years or a single penny in \$10,000.

Parts per billion (ppb) or Micrograms per liter - one part per billion corresponds to one minute in 2,000 years, or a single penny in \$10,000,000.

Picocuries per liter (pCi/L) - picocuries per liter is a measure of the radioactivity in water.

Maximum Contaminant Level - The "Maximum Allowed" (MCL) is the highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal - The "Goal" (MCLG) is the level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

Inorganic Contaminants						
Contaminant	Violation Yes/No	Level Detected	Unit Measure -ment	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of contamination
Barium (2009-2010)	No	0.045 - 0.21 (range)	ppm	2	2	Erosion of natural deposits
Fluoride (2009-2010)	No	0.13-0.21 (range)	ppm	4	4	Erosion of natural deposits; water additive that promotes strong teeth.
Lead (distribution) (2008)	No	7.0 (90% value)	ppb	n/a	15 (Action level)	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits
Copper (distribution) (2008)	No	0.26 (90% value)	ppm	n/a	1.3 (Action level)	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives
Nitrate (as Nitrogen)	No	0.48 - 6.1 (range)	ppm	10	10	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Chromium (2009-2010)	No	ND-9.0	ppb	100	100	Discharge from steel and pulp mills; erosion of natural deposits

Volatile Organic Contaminants						
1,1 – Dichloroethylene (2009-2010)	No	ND-0.8 (range)	ppb	7	7	Discharge from industrial chemical factories
Haloacetic Acids (distribution 2009)	No	1.29	ppb	0	60	By-product of drinking water chlorination
Total Trihalomethanes (distribution 2009)	No	16.1	ppb	n/a	80	By-product of drinking water chlorination
Trans - 1,2 – Dichloroethylene (2009-2010)	No	ND	ppb	100	100	Discharge from industrial chemical factories
Toluene 2009-2010	No	ND	ppm	1	1	Discharge from petroleum factories
Radioactive Contaminants						
Adjusted Gross Alpha Activity (2008-2010)	No	4.97– 12.0 (range)	pCi/L	0	15	Erosion of natural deposits
Combined Radium (Radium 226 & 228) (2008-2010)	No	1.1 – 3.56 (range)	pCi/L	0	5	Erosion of natural deposits
Combined Uranium (Uranium 234, 235, & 238) (2008-2009)	No	1.0 – 8.0 (range)	pCi/L	0	30	Erosion of natural deposits
Beta/Photon emitters (2008-2009)	No	1.5-4.0 (range)	pCi/L	0	50	Decay of natural and man-made deposits
Synthetic Organic Contaminants including Pesticides and Herbicides						
Di 2-ethylhexyl phthalate (2008-2010)	No	ND – 0.6 (range)	ppb	0	6	Discharge from rubber and chemical factories
Dalapon (2008-2010)	No	140	ppb	200	200	Runoff from herbicide used on rights of way
Dinoseb (2008-2010)	No	ND-4.51 (range)	ppb	7	7	Runoff from herbicide used on soybeans and vegetables
Dicamba	No	0.1	ppb			Runoff of Organochlorides compound used as a herbicide.
2,4,5-T	No	.23	ppb	50	50	Residue of banned herbicide
Unregulated Contaminants						
Sodium (2006-2008)	No	22.0-25.7	ppm	n/a	n/a	Erosion from natural deposits
Metolachlor (2008-2010)	No	ND – 0.62	ppb	n/a	n/a	By-product of chlorine disinfection
Bromodichloromethane (2009-2010)	No	ND-0.7	ppb	n/a	n/a	By-product of chlorine disinfection
Dibromochloromethane (2009-2010)	No	ND -0.7	ppb	n/a	n/a	By-product of chlorine disinfection

**Note: Test results are for 2010 unless otherwise indicated; all contaminants are not required to be tested for on an annual basis.**

In March 2010, the City received a reporting violation which we are required to inform you about. Under the Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA), all monitoring results for Public Drinking Water Systems must be reported to the WSP by the 10th day following the end of the monitoring period. Although routine monthly bacteriological sampling was completed on March 30, 2010, the WSP did not receive our reports by April 10,

2010. This was a reporting violation under the SDWA. Our system was returned to full compliance when results, which were all negative for the presence of bacteria, were received by WSP.

**Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL):** EPA generally sets MCL's at levels that will result in no adverse health effects for some contaminants or a one-in-ten-thousand to one-in-a-million chance of having the described health effect for other contaminants.

**Hardness:** Water is a strong solvent that dissolves varying amounts of mineral substances. Calcium and magnesium are the principle mineral contaminants that cause water to be "hard". The average hardness, system-wide, in Taneytown is 280 ppm (17.1 ppm = 1 grain). While not

a health concern, high levels of hardness can cause other issues such as spots on dishes and the need to use extra soap for bathing, dishes, laundry, and hot water scaling.

**Lead:** If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. The City of Taneytown is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your drinking water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the EPA SDW Hotline at 1-800-426-4791 or at <http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead>.

**Nitrates:** Levels above 10 ppm in drinking water is a health risk for infants of less than six months of age. High nitrate levels in drinking water can cause blue baby syndrome. Nitrate levels may rise quickly for short periods of time because of rainfall or agricultural activities. If you are caring for an infant you should ask advice from your health care provider.

Thank you for allowing us to continue providing your family with clean, quality water this year. In order to maintain a safe and dependable water supply we sometimes need to make improvements that will benefit all of our customers. These improvements are sometimes reflected as rate structure adjustments. Thank you for understanding.

Please call our office at 410-751-1100 if you have questions. We at the City of Taneytown work around the clock to provide top quality water at every tap. We ask that all our consumers, who are the heart of our community, help us protect our water because our way of life and our children's future depends on it.

# Local News

## UPDATE WITH COMMISSIONER ROBIN FRAZIER

It seems like just yesterday that Joe Getty and Scott Richards stood with me on the porch of Ron's Automotive to announce my candidacy. I announced then that cuts were needed in government spending, taxes must be reduced, and debt needed to be lowered. I predicted we could even cut the budget of the Commissioner's office with five Commissioners replacing three; the 59th Board did that within a couple months of taking office, with a savings of \$167,000.00.

In the last several weeks the Board worked on a budget with the goals of providing tax relief, reducing debt, and restricting the growth of the operating budget. By now, the budget has been approved, but here are some basic statistics regarding how the goals were reached. Property taxes were recommended to be reduced by two cents, although I promoted five; a step in the right direction with another opportunity next year. Existing capital appropriations of more than \$50 million were cancelled or frozen, freeing up some cash to be used in place of bonds. The Board of Education was flat funded. Transitioning from the State Troopers to the Sheriff's office as the primary law enforcement, will save over \$2 million a year after full implementation. With additional county positions cut and vacancies not filled, along with some agencies trimmed by a percentage or two, and the reduction in debt service as a result of the capital cuts and fewer bonds issued, a total of about \$7.2 million is realized. This number reflects savings in operating funds and debt service and will be the first step in reducing structural costs so that taxes can be lowered even more and the county can be poised to react to next year's unknown state and federal unfunded mandates.

I hope to see you around Taneytown this spring! And don't forget, you can share with me your thoughts and concerns the second Saturday of each month at the Taneytown Library at 9:00 am. God Bless!

## HUD APPROVES MARYLAND'S \$40 MILLION EMERGENCY HOME LOAN PROGRAM

Maryland is ready to take applications immediately

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Secretary Shaun Donovan today approved the State of Maryland's bid to administer HUD's Emergency Homeowner Loan Program (EHL), a bridge loan program designed to help unemployed families pay their mortgages. HUD determined Maryland's Department of Housing and Community Development's mortgage bridge loan program is "substantially similar" to HUD's program, thereby allowing the State to begin implementing the program itself.

Late last year, HUD awarded \$1 billion to 32 states and Puerto Rico, including \$40 million to the State of Maryland, to provide emergency assistance to homeowners at risk of foreclosure due to a substantial reduction in income brought on by layoff, underemployment, or a medical condition. With today's approval, Maryland will begin to take applications immediately. Interested homeowners should call the Maryland HOPE Hotline at 877-462-7555 to find a housing counselor near them for free counseling and assistance.

"The Emergency Homeowner Loan Program will provide limited and targeted assistance to help working families get back on their feet and keep their home while they look for work," said Secretary Donovan. "We are pleased to get the program off the ground in Maryland, which is already working to help keep families in their homes during difficult economic times."

"Even as we move beyond the fallout of the subprime mortgage and predatory lending crisis, I know that there are still too many families in our state struggling to get by," said Governor Martin O'Malley. "This program strengthens an important safety net for unemployed homeowners and protects the investment they made in the American dream."

"These loans will help families who lost jobs through no fault of their own and are just trying to keep their heads above water," U.S. Senator Barbara Mikulski said. "These are tough times. People deserve a government that's on

their side. I voted for the Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act to end unfair and abusive practices on Wall Street and help people who work hard and play by the rules. Helping families stay in their homes is an important part of that."

"The Emergency Homeowners Loan Program is a new, important tool to help struggling Marylanders keep their homes," said U.S. Senator Ben Cardin. "Targeting those who are unemployed or underemployed, or who have suffered medical hardship, this program will provide a bridge loan for up to 24 months to assist homeowners in paying their mortgage. It will provide relief for Marylanders as they look for jobs or recover from an injury or illness."

"Even as our economy shows signs of recovery, too many families are struggling to find employment and hold onto their homes," said Congressman John Sarbanes. "This program will allow Maryland families to avoid foreclosure until they can get back on their feet."

"This program is welcome news for the countless people in Maryland who are going through the difficult times. These are the same people that have showed up time after time sitting in the front row of

my Foreclosure Prevention Workshops, with tears running down their faces," Congressman Elijah E. Cummings said. "I helped create the bridge loan program to help every day, hard-working Americans; the same folks who we all see every day in our neighborhoods. Now, many of them will be able to get the help they have so desperately asked for, straight from the government."

"I am pleased that the State of Maryland is working to ensure that families and individuals who are facing foreclosure due to circumstances out of their control are getting the help they need to stay in their homes," said Congressman Steny H. Hoyer. "Preventing home foreclosures is necessary to improving our long-term economic stability, and it is clear that we need to do more to address the foreclosure crisis in our country. As long as foreclosures continue to impact our community, I will continue working at the local and Federal level to ensure that responsible homeowners have every available resource to help them stay in their homes."

EHL was created by the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act. The law authorized HUD's Secretary to allow funds to be ad-

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ministered by states that have an existing program that provides substantially similar assistance to homeowners. HUD found Maryland is administering an equivalent program and the grant funds may be used for reasonable administrative costs and to provide EHLP loans to homeowners in the state.

HUD's Emergency Home Loan Program will work through a variety of state and non-profit entities and will offer a declining balance, deferred payment "bridge loan" (zero percent interest, non-recourse, subordinate loan) for up to \$50,000 to assist eligible borrowers with payments on their mortgage principal, interest, mortgage insurance, taxes and hazard insurance for up to 24 months.

Under the program, eligible borrowers must:

1. Be at least three months delinquent in their payments and have a reasonable likelihood of being able to resume repayment of their mortgage payments and related housing expenses within two years;
2. Have a mortgage property that is the principal residence of the borrower, and eligible borrowers may not own a second home; and
3. Demonstrate a good payment record prior to the event that produced the reduction of income.

HUD determined that 27 states will use the delegated approach to program administration. Under this approach, HUD will delegate key program administration functions to an experienced and highly regarded national network of affiliated housing counseling agencies. Under the program, nonprofit housing counselors who are part of the National Foreclosure Mitigation Counseling Program administered by NeighborWorks America will coordinate intake counseling, document preparation and outreach functions. HUD will also use its delegation authority to contract with an experienced entity to provide loan servicing and fiscal control functions such as collecting payments from homeowners, distributing payments to servicers, and managing loan balances.

HUD will announce additional details and program specifics for the delegated approach states when NeighborWorks America launches the program in the coming weeks.

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