

Remington

Community Newsletter

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GRIA/Remington Wins in City Wide Clean Community Competition

Joined by community leaders from every part of Baltimore, Mayor Stephanie Rawlings-Blake on Saturday morning announced the winners of the first ever Clean Community Competition.

Since the April kickoff of the six-month long competition at the Mayor's Spring Cleanup, seventy-one neighborhood associations developed strategies and took action to keep their communities clean. Remington's own neighborhood group—GRIA (Greater Remington Improvement Association) won for the North West quadrant. Winners

and runners-up were chosen from four quadrants of Baltimore.

GRIA was very aggressive in clean up projects this year. From weekly alleyway clean ups by residents which hauled large items, debris and trash to the Sisson street waste station, adopting the empty lot on Sisson and 27th to create a community garden, coordinating efforts to clear brush and trash from the 30th street playground and park, cleaning and applying clean-themed storm drain stencils, to a Saturday event that handed out over 400 free trash cans for Remington Residents.

Many residents were involved in various projects and GRIA would like to thank them for making this possible. Stop in to the monthly GRIA meeting held at Church of the Guardian Angel on November 19th at 7 pm.



Halloween fun this year at HAUNTINGDON V

The Remington annual Hauntingdon event was huge success this Halloween. There were some worries after Storm Sandy blew through, but children and adults were able to come and enjoy the evening. More photos inside.

Seawall Development Takes on Row Houses in Remington

In September, Seawall Development launched its Miller's Square project and it's 30 by 13 initiative. The goal is to redefine and sell 30 houses in Remington by 2013. Seawall's vision is to reinvent the experience buyers have from both the outside and from the inside of the homes.

You may have notice the houses on the 2600 block of Howard Street with the massive windows openings, the cool planter boxes and the exciting colors. The idea is that when you drive past a Miller's Square house you can really see that positive change is happening. The open house on September 23rd, done in partnership with GRIA and Greater Homewood Community Corporation, saw more than 300 people show up and most of the 30 houses sold within a week of the event.

HAUNTINGDON V















At Guardian Angel Church

335 W. 27th Street In Kromer Hall

— Open to the Community —

Can you use -

There is a limited quantity of used stoves, washers, dryers, refrigerators available at low cost. Please see Pastor Alice Jellema about this and for more information. There will be a sign up for them on Wednesday mornings during Food Pantry hours—9-9:45 am. At Kromer Hall 335 W. 27th Street at Church of the Guardian Angel.

NEW - Free Community Movie, then dinner, Wednesday at 4pm there will be a FREE movie for neighbors in the community and following that at 6 pm, will be the Community dinner.



Maryland Energy Assistance Program M.E.A.P.

Apply now for help with the 2012 BGE bills Wednesdays mornings from 9 am to 10 am Or call for an appointment

If you have any questions, contact Betsy at 410-366-6200

Join the Greater Remington Improvement Association!



November 19th at 7 pm.

We meet on the third Monday of each month in Kromer Hall at the Church of the Guardian Angel (335 W. 27th St).

Please remember to pay your Annual Membership Dues of just \$10.

Visit **www.griaonline.org** for more information and to view coming events, blogs, and past newsletters.

St. Mary's Outreach Center Events

Food Stamps- SNAP program for those over 55

Thursday, November 15th, 2012 11 am

Bring with you the following: Picture ID, Social Security Card, Proof of Income, Rent verification/mortgage payment, Proof of utility, Most recent bank statement, Prescription/Medical bills.

St. Mary's Outreach Center helps Seniors in getting assistance with - Medicare/Medicaid, City Water bill, Maryland Energy Assistance, Fuel Fund and more. Call if you have questions on an issue and set up an appointment.

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Everyone is welcome to contribute information about activities and events in the Remington Neighborhood. Contact Betsy at 410-366-6200.

Come enjoy some Turkey!

Church of the Guardian Angel invites you to join in a Thanksgiving day Dinner.

November 22nd the doors open at 11:30 for coffee and games and chats.

A full Thanksgiving dinner will be served to the community starting at Noon. This is open to anyone in the community and families are encouraged to join us, there will be games, food and social fun.

Turkey, mashed potatoes, gravy, veggies, rolls, cranberry sauce and dessert! Come early, this will be ending at 1:30 pm.

Held at Kromer Hall 335 W. 27th Street

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