



Remington

Community Newsletter

Tenth Edition

April 2014



Heads up! Project Clean Stream 2014

Get down and dirty for Stony Run trail! Project Clean Stream 2014 will take place on Saturday April 5 from 9 am to 12 noon. Volunteers are needed to come out and help clean up Stony Run.

The Remington area clean up of Stony Run is looking for both volunteers and a site leader for this section. The clean up helps clear up trash and brush along Stony Run trail and Wyman Park Drive

One of our long-term goals is a continuous walking path from the Jones Falls Trail to north Baltimore along the original Ma & Pa Railroad line.

Visit Friends of Stony Run website for more information and sign up at the website -

<http://cleanstream.allianceforthebay.org>



Volunteers that want to have fun!

The new session of 2014 Porch Art will be starting soon and volunteers are needed to help instruct, assist and enjoy a different art project each week!

If you would like to join in the fun -
Contact : Remingtonpochart@gmail.com

Avoid losing your house in May Tax Sale

Are you behind on property taxes or water bill?

Do you have delinquent taxes that are unpaid from last July or delinquent water bills great than \$350? There is help!

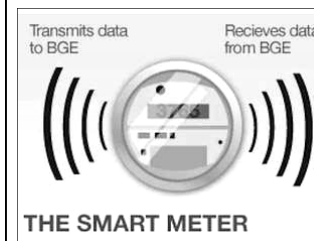
If you do not pay these bills by April 30th, your home will be included in the tax sale in May 2014.

There are non-profit organizations that can help. If you are interested in receiving FREE legal advice about tax sale and/or foreclosure contact Pro Bono Resource Center of Maryland at (443) 703-3052.

Neighborhood Housing Services is a non-profit lender that could help you save your home. NHS with a grant from the Abell Foundation can lend you money to keep you out of this year's tax sale. There is money available to help. Give them a call at 410-327-1200 ext 104 .

If you have any questions, and for more information, please call Betsy Childs at 410-366-6200

BGE Smart Meters for your Home



BGE Smart Meters—If you have not had one installed, there will be a fee of \$75 and then a monthly charge of \$11 after that.

The Public Service Commission ruled that customers that do not want the Smart Meter installed will be charged these fees.

You can call BGE at 1-800-685-0123 and they will direct you to someone to talk to about the information and about getting a Smart Meter if you have reconsidered and want one installed.

If BGE does not hear from you, then it will be assumed that you want to keep your current meter and you will be charged. BGE will begin billing customers who opted out of getting the Smart Meter after July 2014.



Over 30 years of serving Remington

Pictured above is Gail Robertson handing out bags of food at the Church of the Guardian Angel Food Pantry.

The Food Pantry is open every Wednesday from 9 till 9:45 am. It is for residents in the 21211 zip code. The Food Pantry is located at 335 W. 27th Street and has been open for almost 30 years and serves 40-50 residents a week.

New to Remington the REC also has free food available every other Friday. They will be handing out on April 4th and 18th. It is handed out in front of the Church at 2629 Huntingdon Avenue. These are great examples of the community working together.

Fund for Educational Excellence Meeting

Join the Fund for Educational Excellence in making your voice heard on the future of education in Baltimore City Public Schools!

A new CEO has been selected to lead Baltimore City Schools and The Fund is conducting a large-scale, neighborhood-to-neighborhood listening effort to gain an understanding of what residents think the new CEO need to address in his first couple of years on the job.

We're holding hundreds of conversations with Baltimore residents over the next few months, and we need to hear from you.

A Community Conversation will take place in Remington on April 10th at 6 pm at 3014 Cresmont Avenue.

You must RSVP to celesteperilla@gmail.com if you are interested in attending.

Children are welcome and encouraged to attend and activities for kids and refreshments will be provided.

Community Churches Easter Services

The Church of the Guardian Angel

April 13th Palm Sunday— 8 & 10 am

April 18th - Good Friday - 9 am walk the streets with the cross

Noon— Holy Liturgy

7pm - The passion according to John

April 20th— Easter Sunday service at 8 & 10 am

Saints Philip and James Catholic Church

April 13th Palm Sunday— 7:30, 9, & 11 am

April 18th - Good Friday - 3 pm - 3 stations of the cross on JHU campus

7pm Liturgy of Lord's Passion

April 20th— Easter Sunday service at 7:30, 9, 11 am & 5 pm

Join the Greater Remington Improvement Association!



Meeting on a New night -

Wednesday night

April 16th at 7 pm

Church of Guardian Angel - Kromer Hall
335 W. 27th Street (green door)

The Greater Remington Neighborhood Association - GRIA is an organization open to all residents of Remington. There is a yearly \$10 membership fee which can be paid or earned by working at the events.

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

Remington Community Newsletter

This newsletter is produced and distributed to the residents and business located in the neighborhood of Remington with the collaboration of the following partners: Episcopal Housing Corporation, G.R.I.A., The Church of the Guardian Angel, and the Greater Homewood Community Corporation.

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

Remington Business Showcase

Ibello Upholstery



Here's a place to take a seat and relax.

Ibello Upholstery, located on Fawcett Street, is one of Baltimore's premier upholstery shops.

In addition to covering old furniture with new fabric, Ibello also builds new furniture and has a full carpentry shop.

They are considered among interior designers as the best place for custom furniture in the entire region. Ibello's work can be seen in homes, restaurants and businesses all over Baltimore, but their reach also extends into Virginia, Washington, Pennsylvania, New York and Delaware. The company was founded in 1960 by Alan Ibello's grandfather, who then passed the business to his son in law, who eventually passed it to Alan.

Some of Ibello's famous local work includes all the seating at the Meyerhof Symphony Hall, as well as several restaurants such as the Prime Rib, Liberator's Petit Louis Bistro, the Food Market in Hampden, Dalesio's in Little Italy, and many others. They also have provided furniture to the sets of the current TV series House of Cards and Veep, which are both filmed in Baltimore.

Despite their more famous work, they also provide services to local residents. Whether it's a 100 year-old chair passed down from generation to generation, or something more modern, Ibello is known to help local residents with their upholstery needs, often for very little cost.

Ibello currently employs 18 workers, including experienced carpenters, hand-tied spring installers, seamstresses, cushioning and padding experts, upholsterers, and wood and fabric finishing specialists.

Ibello Upholstery
429 Fawcett St, 410-243-1163
<http://ibelloupholstery.com/>

Get your Maryland I.D. Card

A Maryland I.D. or Driver's License is needed for many official documents, such as the MTA bus pass, food pantry, social security and others. If you have lost yours, let us help!



If you are having trouble getting a Maryland State ID, (maybe you need to get a birth certificate first?) don't despair, The Church of the Guardian Angel and Episcopal Housing Corporation can help!

We can walk you through the process, help you fill out paperwork, and provide you with transportation to the MVA. Also, thanks to a donation from Episcopal Housing Corporation, we can cover half the cost of getting an ID AND a birth certificate.

To get started, come to the Guardian Angel food pantry on Wednesday mornings and speak to Betsy Childs or call 410-366-6200.

SPRING CLEANING!!

April 5, 2014 9 am till Noon

Dumpster Available at 26th and Huntingdon Ave.

Residents only, no contractors.

If you need assistance with bulk trash for pick up
call 410-799-7446

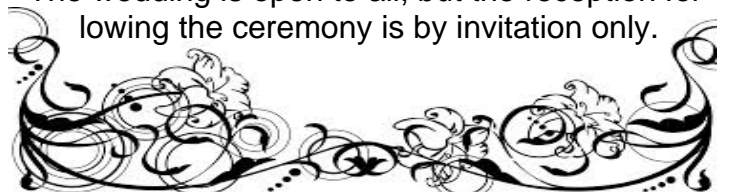


Shirley E. Milstred and Joseph W. Mooney, both of Remington, are pleased to announce their forthcoming marriage.

The wedding ceremony will be held at Church of the Guardian Angel, on April 26, 2014.

This has been wedding has been 17 years in the making, and will be a wonderful blessed day!

The wedding is open to all, but the reception following the ceremony is by invitation only.



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