

Letters

"Inspirational"

Absolutely wonderful! Thank you Angella for "Women of a Forgotten War." The show was inspirational and affirming and the impact endures.

Patricia Novinski

Dynamic Governance

A big thank you to CHEARS for sponsoring the exciting and well received Dynamic Governance classes in Greenbelt. On the heels of its success, a Takoma Park class followed. Dynamic Governance, a challenging and effective way to make meetings (of all stripes) fun and inspiring, will be facilitated by John Buck and myself.

CHEARS is now sponsoring another six-week class, beginning October 21 from 7 to 9 p.m., at the Greenbelt Community Church.

Visit chears.org and look for 'Intensive Training: Empowering People & Organizations.'

Aileen Kroll

Obituaries

Cecelia Rose Hanyok

Longtime Greenbelter Cecilia "Cele" Hanyok, 96, died October 1, 2014. She was born August 10, 1918 in Barnesboro, Pa. The family lived for many years on Lakeside Drive. Her husband Joseph died in 2005. She is survived by four children, Joseph Michael (Westminster), Robert Joseph (Laurel), Mary Cecelia (Arlington, Va.), and James Joseph (Yardley, Pa.), nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

The funeral will be at St. Hugh's Catholic Church on Monday, October 13 at 10 a.m., following a viewing starting at 9:30 a.m.



Sympathy to the family and friends of Cecilia Hanyok of Riderwood, who died at the age of 96 on October 1, 2014. She and her late husband Joseph were longtime Lakeside residents and founders of St. Hugh of Grenoble Church.

We were sorry to hear of the death on September 25, 2014, of Michael Martone, 60, the son of the late Greenbelt pioneer John Martone and his wife Patricia Miller Martone Gourley. Condolences to his family and friends.

Congratulations to Erin Bistany, a freshman at Wilmington (Del.) University, who was named volleyball Rookie of the Week of the Central Atlantic Collegiate Conference (CACC) on September 30. Erin is the daughter of Joseph and Janice Bistany of Boxwood.

Send us your reports of new babies, awards and honors to share with our readers. To send information for Our Neighbors, email us at newsreview@verizon.net or leave a message at 301-474-6892.

— Kathleen McFarland

Pumpkin Carving and Walk To Focus on Fun, Education

by Allene Abrahamian

The 26th annual Pumpkin Walk will take place on Saturday, October 25, from 5:30 to 9 p.m. on Northway extended. The first hour is reserved for young children and their families. Later in the evening magical creatures may come out.

Open to adults and children, the walk will include music by local bands and a scary walk with Halloween-style performers. The planning committee has been working to engage community groups and handle contracts and permits.

As well as the walk, there will be a Community Carve Off event at Roosevelt Center on October 24, the day before the walk, from 5 to 9 p.m. Pumpkins will be provided.

One of the goals of the event is to "encourage people to think about the woods as part of the community," said Melissa Ehrenreich, one of the committee members. The planning committee's goal is to have at least 50 different community organizations

participate in the event.

It is a "celebration of getting this community forest in place, and it started by people who wanted to stop the development of the woods," said Ehrenreich.

This year the walk will have an educational aspect. The woods in Greenbelt provide a diverse group of plants and animals that can be used for educational purposes.

There also will be a conservation focus on how to preserve and which plants to preserve. The "saving of the woods was a very unifying process in the community," said Susan Barnett, another planning committee member.

More information on conservation efforts can be found at greenbeltforestpreserve.org.

The events are sponsored by CHEARS, Maryland Milestones and the Anacostia Trails Heritage, Inc.

Allene Abrahamian is a University of Maryland journalism student writing for the News Review.

Grin Belt



"What do you mean you don't understand anything?"

Mowatt UMC Holds Spaghetti Dinner

On Saturday, October 18 from 5 to 7 p.m., Mowatt Memorial United Methodist Church will hold a spaghetti dinner. Proceeds will go to restoring the steeple, which now leaks rain into the sanctuary. It is hoped that the community will come together, share a meal and fellowship and help fix the roof. The church is located at 40 Ridge Road. Call 301-474-9410 for further information.

VFD Annual Open House on Oct. 18

The Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad will be hosting its annual free open house at the firehouse at 125 Crescent Road from noon to 3 p.m. on Saturday, October 18. The purpose of the event is to thank the community for its continuing support over the years. There will be games, food and activities for the entire family.

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2014 Annual Membership Meeting
Sunday, October 26, 2:00 pm
Greenbelt Youth Center, Multi-purpose Room
Business Meeting and Election of Board Members

NOTICE TO GHI MEMBERS

PRELIMINARY AGENDA

GHI BOARD OF DIRECTORS' MEETINGS

Thursday, October 16, 2014

GHI ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 7:30 PM

GHI Key Agenda Items:

- Companion Animal Committee's 2014 Semi-Annual Report
- Yard Line Certification: 6 Court Crescent Road
- Review a "Greening GHI Landscape" Article Request Submitted by the Woodlands Committee
- Finance Committee's Recommendations Re: Unreserved Operating Funds That Might Be Available for the Homes Improvement Program
- Finance Committee's Recommendations Re: Revisions to GHI's Delinquency Procedures
- Schedule a Work Session for the Board of Directors to Deliberate Building Envelope Improvements for the Homes Improvement Program
- CAI's Request for Community Associations to Oppose Bill H.R.4969 – Standards That Govern the Installation and Use of Amateur Radio Towers and Antennas
- Proposed Charter for a Historic Preservation Task Force
- Proposal for a Partnership With Mortgage Lenders to Dispose Units Facing Foreclosure
- Contract for External Auditing Services for 2015/16, 2nd Reading
- Proposed Acquisition of an Electric Van for the Maintenance Department, 2nd Reading
- Fall Concrete Contract, 2nd Reading

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For more information, visit our website - www.ghi.coop



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