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Holidays North Shore Style

Community Calendar

Annual Meeting
Tuesday, February 3
7:00 - 8:45 pm
Mountain Road Library

North Shore Board of Governors

Aging/Disabilities	410-222-4464
Animal Control	410 222-8920
AAC Constituent Line	410 222-2222
AAC Departmental Switchboard	410 222-7000
Board of Elections	410 222-6600
Clerk of Court	410-222-1397
Community Services Program	410 222-6108
Collections Manager	410 222-6100
Constituent Services	410-222-2222
District 3 Councilman Derek Fink	410 222-1401
County Executive Laura Neuman	410 222-1821
MD Delegate (District 31) Don Dwyer	410 841-3047
MD Delegate (District 31) Nic Kipke	410 841-3421
MD Delegate (Dist 31) Steve Schuh	410-841-3206
Health Department	410 222-7364
River Water Quality Hot Line	410 222-7999
Pasadena Voice Hayley Gable	410-255-5888
State Senator Brian Simonaire	410 841-3658
Road Repair	410 222-6120
Zoning Enforcement	410 222-7446

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** voting members with their term end date*

The Barnacle

The Barnacle is a monthly publication pertaining to the community of North Shore. Please feel free to send birth announcements, death notices, recipes, items for sale, workers for hire, thank you notes to neighbors for being especially neighborly, North Shore history, and upcoming events.

If you have any submissions for the Barnacle, please e-mail them to me at adbart65@me.com. The deadline for submissions is always the Sunday following the Board Meeting.

To advertise a business in *The Barnacle*, please send your camera-ready artwork or a business card to me. The cost is \$50 per year, checks made payable to the North Shore Association. We also have rates available for one-time-only ads. Please call me for details, 443-690-2960.

Amy Bartholomee, Editor



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to attend
the Annual Meeting

on
Tuesday, February 3rd

at
7:00 pm

at the
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**Minutes from the Meeting
of the
North Shore Board of Governors
January 6, 2015**

The regular monthly meeting of the North Shore Board of Governors was held on January 6, 2015, hosted by Jeff Schell. In attendance were board members Rick Watts, Jennifer Harris, Lana Matovcik, Bonnie Howatt, Rick Scruggs, Jeff Schell, Cyndi Gottschalk, and Wayne Bartholomee. Also attending were Glenn Ebaugh and Marty Gavin.

The meeting was called to order at 7:10 pm.

The minutes of the December meeting were approved.

Welcome

No Report.

Roads & Zoning

No new issues to report.

Pier

Ice eaters have been installed. Thanks to Glenn Ebaugh, Ed Melotti and Bob Leigh for helping with this task.

The ramp has been over-locked for the winter.

Rich Fenton will take care of winterizing the water system at the marina.

Plans are progressing for the new sign at the marina and its approval as an Eagle Scout project for Julian Bartholomee is

expected soon so that it can be completed by April.

Park

Nothing to report.

Membership

Bonnie reports that total revenue from membership dues for 2014 to date was \$12,410 from 144 households.

Garden Club

Sarah Ann was not in attendance but sends a hearty "Thank You!" to Wayne and Amy Bartholomee and to Adam and Tracy Poyneer for hosting the Holiday Open House!

Entertainment

The visit from Santa was lots of fun, even though illness kept several youngsters from attending. Thanks to Carl Kuhne for his special help!

Beach

Wayne and Ted are still planning to make some changes to the cable for pedestrian access and for kayak/laser access to the beach.

Barnacle

In Amy's absence, Wayne reported that Amy and Jon have discussed plans for the new website and look forward to coordinating their efforts on this project after the holidays.

Treasurer's Report

The General Fund opening balance in December was \$17,900. After revenues of \$280 and expenses of \$2,120 (D&O policy and Holiday Open House), the closing balance was \$16,100.

The reserve Fund CD balance is \$27,820.00

Old Business

1. The board approved the proposed signs for the playground, marina and beach area, and authorized that they be purchased for the approximate price of \$120.00. Lana will follow up with Absolute Signs.
2. Community drains – Wayne has the plans/drawings for the community drains. He and Rick Watts plan to meet this month or next to review the plans, locate the drains and develop a plan of action.
3. Street Lights - Members are asked to get the number of any non-working street lights near their houses, and give them to Wayne. He will take up the matter with our local politicians.
4. Wayne has secured our new D&O policy with Cincinnati Insurance and plans to move our liability policy to Cincinnati when it expires next month. This has resulted in very significant savings for the community for identical coverage from an A + rated insurance company. Our renewal rate for the D&O policy from United States Liability Company was \$5685 for a three year term (payable in three annual installments), as compared to \$3942 from Cincinnati Insurance for an annual savings of \$1743.

The liability policy will also yield significant savings. Our premium last year was \$3775, and our quote from Cincinnati came in at \$1782, for annual savings of \$1993. Combined, with the D&O and liability policies from Cincinnati, we will save \$2,574 per year. This is a 45% savings over our old carriers!

New Business

1. The Annual meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 3, 2015 at the Mountain Road Library. The meeting will start promptly at 7:00 and end at 8:45.
2. It seems the holidays always usher in tremendous loss for someone, and this year was no exception. We note with sadness the passing of three North Shore residents. Our sincere condolences go out the families of Rob Eckardt, Curt Rutherford and Barry Hartsock.
3. Sara Gannon, Constituent Services Officer for County Executive Steve Schuh will attend the annual meeting and introduce herself as a liaison/resource for our community. Her contact information is as follows:

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 Constituent Service Officer
sgannon@aacounty.org
 410-222-1323 - cell
 443-679-6841 – office

4. Wayne and Ted, whose terms on the board are ending, have proposed an informal group whose goal would be to continue to serve the community and to help with projects when needed. Dubbed the "Get It Done Committee" for now, the board was enthusiastic about the idea.

5. Glenn Ebaugh and Marty Gavin are offering lawn cutting services and would like North Shore residents to consider them for their lawn maintenance next year. They have also submitted a proposal to the board to mow the common areas, including the beach, playground/park and the area around the sign at Mountain Road.

6. Rick Watts will ask Jon Bailey to do a blast email notice of the annual meeting.

7. We need to update our membership form to include a request for current phone numbers as many of the numbers in the current porthole are old land-line numbers that are no longer in service.

8. **We have four seats open on the Board for the coming year.** Anyone interested in serving, please attend the annual meeting.

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 8:25 pm.

Respectfully submitted, Lana Matovicik

Our Condolences...

Robert Allan Eckardt

of Pasadena, Maryland, died on December 6, 2014, at University of Maryland Hospital Center in Baltimore, Maryland. He was born on April 8, 1944 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

He was preceded in death by his father, George Carl Eckardt, who died in 1996, and by his mother, Isabel Ruth Rodgers Eckardt, who died on February 19, 2014.

Rob had over twenty-five years experience working for the Internal Revenue Service and over fifteen years experience in private tax practice as an "Enrolled Agent". In his I.R.S. career, Rob was promoted to Group Manager within five years of being hired, and he also held the title of Chief, Advisory Unit, Special Procedures Staff, and Chief, Technical Section, Technical and Office Compliance Branch. During his I.R.S. career, Rob worked in four I.R.S. District Offices-Jacksonville, Delaware, Newark, and Baltimore, and retired in 1997.

Rob joined the U.S. Marine Corps immediately after graduating from Syracuse University in 1967, where he earned a B.S. in Marketing and Business Administration. Upon graduation from Officer Candidate School, he was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in 1967. After the required training, he applied for transfer to serve his country in the Republic of Vietnam. Following his transfer, First Lieutenant Eckardt served as an infantry Platoon Commander and in 1968 was awarded the Bronze Star with Combat V, Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, Combat Action Ribbon, Vietnam Service Medal, and the Vietnam Campaign Ribbon. Upon retiring from the Marine Corps, he began his career with the Internal Revenue Service in 1971.

Rob was very active in professional, community service and political organizations such as the National Association of Enrolled Agents, American Legion, Vietnam Veterans of America, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Marine Corps League, Elks, Moose, Republican National Committee, and Maryland Republican Party.

Rob was an avid sportsman competing as a gymnast at Pennridge High School and

continuing as a sailor, boater and piloting his own Cessna.

Surviving are his brother, George R. Eckardt of Palm Desert, California, his niece Kristin Eckardt of Boston, Massachusetts, his nephew Scott Eckardt, and Scott's wife Season, of Auburn, California and their daughters August & Saige, and his niece Kerri Eckardt Liljegren and Kerri's husband, Jeff Liljegren of San Francisco, California and their daughter Greta and sons Peter and Henry.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Good Shepherd Church in Hilltown, PA.

Curtis DeWayne Rutherford, Sr.

On Wednesday, December 3, 2014, Curtis "Curt" Dewayne Rutherford, Sr. of Pasadena, MD, formerly of Odenton, MD. Beloved husband of Jacqueline M. Rutherford, loving father of Curtis D. Rutherford, Jr. and Crystal L. Day. Son of Willie and Donald Fischbach and the late Theodore E. Rutherford, Sr. Brother of Theodore E. Rutherford, Jr. and Danny L. and Paul J. Rutherford and Karen M. Beeman. He is also survived by many nieces and nephews and his devoted pets Shadow, Max and Link.

If desired, memorial contributions may be made in his name to St. Jude's Childrens Research Hospital, 1 St. Jude Place Building, P.O.Box 1000, Dept. 300, Memphis, TN 38148.

Barry B. Hartsock

Barry B. Hartsock, 55, a lifelong resident of Pasadena died on November 30, 2014 at Baltimore Washington Medical Center. He was born on November 5, 1959 in Baltimore, MD to Irene Ford and the late Ralph Hartsock. Barry is survived by his mother Irene Ford of Pasadena, his brother Gary Hartsock of Pasadena, and his sister Donna Hartsock of Millersville. Services and interment are private.

Neighborhood Notes

- Thank you to **Rick & Roberta Watts and Cyndi Gottschalk** for delivering the December issue of The Barnacle.

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