

Brookeville Times



Mark Your Calendars

All Events held at the Academy
(unless otherwise noted)

Beyond the ByPass Taskforce

Tuesday, January 26
7:30 pm

Family Movie Night

Saturday, January 30
6:30 pm

Planning Commission Meeting

Tuesday, February 2
7:30 pm

Commissioners Meeting

Monday, February 8
7:00 pm

Planning Commission Meeting

Tuesday, March 1
7:30 pm

Commissioners Meeting

Monday, March 7
7:00 pm
(Please note the March Commissioners Meeting will be the 1st Monday of the month)

2016 Town Directory

The latest edition of the Town Directory is now available (1 per household). If you did not pick-up your copy at the January 11th Town Meeting, please contact the Town Clerk to obtain a copy.

THE TOWN OF BROOKEVILLE PRESENTS A FREE

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

SATURDAY, JANUARY 30, 2016
6:00 PM
BROOKEVILLE ACADEMY

Watch *Big Hero 6*
with the whole family.
Free Popcorn and drinks for everyone

Come with your sleeping bag, blankets, and pillows.

Large Turnout for Jan. 11 Town Meeting

Representative from 26 homes attended the January 11th Town Meeting, which featured update on the ByPass and Town maintained roads.

The SHA revealed an alternative version of the Brookeville ByPass that is being considered to lessen the environmental impact of the project. This alternative would be to replace the traffic circle at the northern end of the ByPass with a T intersection. This would take out the option to exit onto Market Street. SHA has had informal discussion with many stakeholders, including EMS, and will be scheduling a public meeting this spring.

Josh Bryant from cph Inc., the Town's contractor for analysis and repair of Town maintained roadways, gave an overview of this project. Currently the project is in Phase 1- a topographic survey of North, Water, South, and eastern Market Street.

Schoolhouse Update

The Schoolhouse is ready for winter weather!

Roof and gutter repairs are now complete. A ridge cap was installed to mitigate the roof leaks. The gutters were removed and re-installed with new heavy-duty brackets and snow guards were added. The remaining interior remediation work will be completed next, while investigation continues into the future use of the Schoolhouse.



Comprehensive Plan

The Brookeville Planning Commission (BPC) will be updating the Town's Comprehensive Plan. The Maryland Department of Planning (MDP) requires the updated Comprehensive Plan to be submitted in October 2016.

Once the Comprehensive Plan has been revised by the BPC, there will be a public meeting for Town Residents to express their view. After the public meeting, the BPC will forward the Comprehensive Plan to the Town Commissioners for their review and acceptance. The Comprehensive Plan will then be submitted to MDP.

The BPC will be working with the Brookeville Beyond the Bypass Taskforce (BBTBTF) to update Brookeville's Comprehensive Plan.

What is a Comprehensive Plan?

A document, officially adopted by the local governing body, which spells out the manner in which a municipality, county or subarea of a county must develop. Municipal comprehensive plans must explain how anticipated growth will impact community facilities and the environment, and identify areas where growth will occur. The plan has legal significance in that zoning, provision of water and sewer, and other local actions and other actions must be consistent with its recommendations. The comprehensive plan may also be known as a "master plan", "master development plan" or "comprehensive master plan".

Brookeville Beyond the Bypass Taskforce

The Brookeville Beyond the Bypass Taskforce has the following charter: The purpose of the Brookeville Beyond The Bypass Task Force is to:

- 1) review/update the Mission/Vision for Brookeville, with an objective of involving all Town residents in this process;
- 2) To assist the BPC in submitting an updated Masterplan for the Town in 2016;
- 3) (Communications/events review. BBTBTF suggests that this is the task of a different Town Sub-committee, not the BBTBTF, but we embrace transparency and open communication for Town residents).

You may reach the BBTBTF at:

brookevillebtbtaskforce@googlegroups.com

The next BBTBTF meeting will be Tuesday January 26, 2016 at 7:30pm, chaired by Don Moore.

Community Information

Salem United Methodist Church
12 High Street



ASP Valentine's Breakfast
Sunday, February 14
11:15am - 12noon
Salem Community Hall

It's not breakfast in bed but it does get you out of cooking! Join us for pancakes, sausage, fruit, yogurt, coffee and more!

Freewill donation supports our Appalachian Service Project home-building crews this summer.



SHROVE
TUESDAY

Shrove ("Fat") Tuesday Pancake Supper
Tuesday, February 9
5:30 - 7:00 pm
Salem Community Hall

Eat in or take-out pancake supper hosted by the men of Salem including Brookeville's Commissioner Buck Bartley!
Feel free to wear your Mardi Gras beads.

First Annual No-Frills

Olney Farmers & Artists Market!

Location: 2801 Olney-Sandy Spring Rd, at the corner of Prince Phillip Dr & Rte 108, Olney, Day & Hours: Sunday, November 8, 2015, thru Sunday, May 1, 2016, from 9 am to 1 pm.

MARKET WILL BE OPEN RAIN OR SHINE

A to Z on Bats and Bees

February 14

2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Sandy Spring Museum

Picnic planning in February, in a surprising way!

First, learn about garden-friendly BATS with an exploration of their habitat, life cycle and value in pest control...after all, each bat makes a picnic out of up to 1,000 mosquitoes per hour! Then, move on to a project for our own picnic baskets this spring, courtesy of ever-helpful BEES. Create personal sets of beeswax wrap, a beautiful, functional and reusable alternative to plastic wrap.

This program is hosted by the Sandy Spring Museum Garden Club but is open to all. To join the fun, please RSVP by February 6th to GardenClub@SandySpringMuseum.org or 301-774-0022 ext. 145.

Snow Removal Information

The Town of Brookeville contracts with a snow plowing service for North, South, Water Streets, the paved section of Church Street, and the eastern portion of Market Street.

The Maryland State Highway Administration plows High Street and the western section of Market Street (MD Route 97).

During a snowstorm, no plowing begins until an accumulation of 4 inches of snow has fallen on the streets.

Residents and businesses are responsible for clearing their sidewalks, driveways and entrances within 24 hours of the end of a snowstorm.

All residents are strongly encouraged to be good neighbors by clearing the sidewalks in front of their homes, as well as assisting those who may not be physically able to do so.

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What's on the Town's Website
All the information you might need:

- FY 2015-2016 Budget
- Comprehensive Plan
- Meeting Minutes
- Permit Applications

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