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The Brookeville Times

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Town Commissioner Election

May 10, 2011 4:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. BROOKEVILLE ACADEMY

There will be an election on Tuesday, May 10, 2011 for two Town Commissioners, who will serve a two-year term beginning in June 2011.

The candidates are Katherine Farquhar, of North Street, and Sue Daley, of High Street.

All eligible Town Residents are encouraged to vote!

Under the Town charter, every person who (a) is a citizen of the US, (b) is at least 18 years of age, (c) has resided within the Town for at least 30 days preceding any Town election, and (d) is registered to vote in Montgomery County or with the Town of Brookeville is eligible. Every registered voter of the Town shall be entitled to vote at any and all Town elections.

Election Supervisor, Margaret Van Gelder, will preside over the election

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Monday, May 16, 2011 7:30PM BROOKEVILLE ACADEMY

The Town Commissioners will hold the Annual Town Meeting in the 1st floor Dining Room at the Brookeville Academy on May 16th.

Highlights of the meeting will include:

- State of the Town
- Election Results
- FY 2011-2012 Town Budget
- Update on 309 and 311 Market St.

There will be an open forum for questions and comments from residents at the conclusion of the meeting.

All Town Residents are encouraged to attend the Annual Town Meeting

Update on 309 and 311 Market Street

At a court hearing Tuesday, April 26th the property owner of 309 and 311 Market St., S. Deeds Wells, submitted a signed contract with a local company for the following services:

- demolition of two properties (309 and 311 Market Street)
- haul debris off site
- properties will be left in safe condition

Work is to begin on or about May 4, 2011 and completed within 14 to 21 days.

Mr. Wells was ordered to return to court on June 14 by which time the demolition should be completed. The Commissioners will continue to monitor the status of 309 and 311 Market Street.

Green Tips of the Month

See How Much Energy Your Individual Appliances Are Using

Ever wonder if your refrigerator is really running you into the poor house? Is your computer or TV silently sipping electricity when you are not using it? What is the lamp you just replaced with an energy-saving compact fluorescent lamp saving you? Now you can find out with the P3 Kill-a-Watt Meter -- available on loan from Town of Brookeville -- and make energy efficiency changes to decrease your overall electricity use.

The Town has a *Kill A Watt EZ* Electricity Usage Monitor, model P4460. It will be loaned to Town Residents who would like to find out how much power they are using in their day to day lives. Simply connect your appliances to the Kill-a-Watt electricity usage monitor and it will assess how efficient they really are. The unit's large LCD display counts consumption by the kilowatt-hour, the same as Pepco.

Electronics Recycling

Sunday, May 15, 12pm – 4pm at Sherwood High School

For more information:

http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/content/dep/solidwaste/collectionservices/hw/electronics-dropoff.asp

Accepted items include: Small electronic appliances, calculators, camcorders, CDs and floppy disks, CD players, cell phones, computers & computer-related items, consumer electronics, copiers, cords & cables (including chargers), digital cameras, electronic typewriters, fax machines, microwave ovens, personal digital assistant equipment, printers, projection equipment, scanners, telephones, small electronic toys, televisions and VCRs.

Sorry, we cannot accept compact fluorescent lights or appliances containing Freon at this event. Please bring these items to the drop-off sites at the Transfer Station (16101 Frederick Road).

Program for electronics recycling is open to all Montgomery County residents and businesses.

Need a Recycle Bin?

We have a supply of 21 Gallon Curbside Recycling Bins available for Town Residents. If you need a new Recycle Bin please contact Cate McDonald, Town Clerk at 301.570.4465 or townofbrookville@comcast.net

Recycling Reminder

Thank you for placing your recycle bin curbside by 7:00am on Tuesdays.

Brookeville Bypass Update

Reena Mathews, Regional Planner with the State Highway Administration (SHA), will be giving a presentation to Maryland's Board of Public Works with the hope that final approval will be given for the Brookeville Bypass and SHA can begin the engineering/design phase of the Bypass. Montgomery County has allocated \$10M, available July 1, 2011, for the design and land acquisition needed for the Bypass. *IF* all goes well, SHA may begin the next phase as early as August.

Neighborhood News

Welcome...

To the Davis Family, who recently purchased 13 North Street.

Fond Farewell...

To Richard Chandler, who moved after selling his home. We will miss you.

Have an Item for The Brookeville Times?

Let us know!! We want to hear about happenings in the Town of Brookeville. You can submit articles/photos about places you've been, work you've done, new neighbors, weddings, birth announcements, anything of interest to you and your neighbors.

Contact the Town Clerk at 301-570-4465 or townofbrookeville@comcast.net

Letters to the Editor Welcome

Brookeville Academy Rentals

As a resident of the Town, you may rent the Brookeville Academy for a reduced rate. The Town Commissioners established a reduced rental rate as a benefit for Town Residents. The rate is \$125 regardless of number of rooms, hours, or day of the week. Residents (as are all renters) are required to provide a refundable security deposit in advance of use of the Academy.

Contact Andrea Scanlon, Brookeville Academy Manager, for rates for custom rental packages at brookevilleacademy@comcast.net or 301.570.4465

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Community Events

Concert to Benefit Olney Police Satellite Station

Sunday, May 1 3:00p.m

The Sandy Spring Museum and the Chamber of Commerce invite everyone to the museum on Sunday, May 1 for the last concert in the Music Series featuring violinist Cynthia Roberts and cellist Allen Whear. The concert will start at 3:00 p.m. and cost is \$20 for museum members and \$23 for nonmembers and \$8 for students. Tickets can be purchased at the door or online at www.sandyspringmuseum.org. For more information contact the museum at 301.774.0022.

Olney Farmers & Artists Market Opens Mother's Day, May 8th

9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m on the Grounds of the Montgomery General Hospital Thrift Shop at Route 108 & Prince Philip Drive

Memorial Day Remembrance Service at Salem Cemetery

Monday, May 30 9:30 am.
Liz Brigham will be the guest speaker.
Representatives from Norman Price
American Legion Post #68 will be presenting
the colors

Mark Your Calendar!

Planning Commission

03May 7:30pm

Town Election

May 10 4pm-9pm

Annual Town Meeting

16May 7:30pm

Planning Commission

07Jun 7:30pm

Commissioners Meeting

13Jun 7:30pm

Meetings and events are held at the Brookeville Academy and are open to the public.