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#### **Inside Stories**



#### NOVEMBER 15, 2018

# Schools, Community Honor Veterans on Veterans Day

by Butch Hicks

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Greenbelt Elementary School held a Veterans Day assembly on Friday, November 9 where students honored veterans through patriotic songs and commentaries. The University of Maryland also conducted an Honor and Remember Veterans Day service and the Greenbelt community and Greenbelt American Legion Post 136 held the annual Veterans Day service at Roosevelt Center.

The two-hour elementary school program had more than 600 students in the assembly representing pre-kindergarten through fifth grade in two presentations. Music teacher Kristen Morrison led the school's choral group as they sang The Star-Spangled Banner, service songs from each military branch and other patriotic tunes.

The event's speaker was former army warrant officer and current Greenbelt American Le-



Greg Gigliotti, commander of Greenbelt American Legion Post 136, discusses why we acknowledge veterans' service to America on Veterans Day with students at Greenbelt Elementary. Students are (from left): Sean Mullen, Chibuike Okeke, Elsa Mazursky, Kaelyn Klaiber, Kionne Jules and Peter Chnczynski.

gion Post 136 Commander Greg Gigliotti. He shared information about WWI and how the American Legion evolved from that war. He said America is fortunate to have had millions of brave men and women stand for freedom since our country's founding. "We owe it to them all to ensure that their service and sacrifice is always remembered." Gigliotti then took questions from students, who were clearly interested in the military and veterans. When asked about war, Gigliotti used some conflicts to emphasize

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### American Education Week

In celebration of American Education Week, November 12 to 16, take a closer look at some of the schools serving the Greenbelt community. In this and coming issues, profiles of each of Greenbelt's public schools will showcase the varied educational programs and environments available to Greenbelt's young schol-

### **Eleanor Roosevelt Principal Praises Programs and Pupils**

#### by Elliott Davis

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Reginald Mc-Neill, principal of Eleanor Roosevelt High School, had just finished a meeting with JROTC students when he spoke

front.

Roosevelt."

students are always at the fore-

"It's just amazing to see how

hard these kids work," McNeill

said. "They want to continue to

build on the great traditions of

The high school, which Mc-



2,630, is known for its competitive science and technology and AP Capstone programs. The Capstone program helps students develop research and critical thinking skills throughout their high school careers, culminating in a 5,000-word research project and presen-

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McNeill said he likes watching students learn how they see the world through the program.

A recent addition to the school's curriculum is a Korean language course, which is a unique offering for the area. Mc-Neill said that an ESOL teacher

Neill said has an enrollment of See ERHS, page 7

# **Cassels Award Will Support GAVA School Story Project**

The Jim Cassels Community Service Award this year will support curriculum for the study of folk tales. Jeff Cassels, the son of the award's namesake, presented the award to Ingrid Cowan Hass, the president of the Greenbelt Association for the Visual Arts, for a project called Shadow Stories at Greenbelt Elementary School.

The \$1,200 award was given after the Co-op annual meeting.

"This will make a very special project for the fourth grade and the whole school," Hass said. "I really appreciate your support." Co-op Manager Bob Davis said Jim Cassels dedicated decades of his life to community service. He said the award "positively impacts the lives of the

by Ian Round

people who live in Greenbelt."

Jeff Cassels said, "I appreciate the fact that the Co-op has made it an important part of their budget." He joked, after the meeting in which Co-op leaders announced the store had lost money, "If this award is continued, you better do a good job." Hass said, "I guarantee you we'll do a good



#### Election 2018 **Results and Voter Turnout**

#### by James Giese

There was little surprise in the election results for either the five precincts in which Greenbelt residents vote or in county and state voting totals. Greenbelt proved itself once more to be a stronghold for the Democratic party as is Prince George's County. This resulted in Democrat Ben Jealous beating out incumbent Republican Larry Hogan in the governor's race by a margin in the city of 47 percent and in the county by 43 percent. Statewide, however, Hogan won by a 14 percent margin. Support for Hogan was strongest in Precinct 21-6, Greenbelt Elementary School (central Greenbelt, north end), where Jealous's winning margin was only 20 percent, and weakest at 21-8, Springhill Lake Elementary School (Greenbelt West), where Jealous beat out Hogan by a margin of 67 percent.

more residents cast ballots than in 2014 and there were 2,460 more registrations. All five precincts experienced increases in both number voting and number registered since four years ago, but the most significant increases were in Precinct 21-8, which includes Greenbelt Station, the only area of the city that has experienced

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#### What Goes On

Sunday, November 18 4 p.m. The Federal Theatre and Greenbelt Exhibit, Ribbon Cutting, Reception, Community Center Monday, November 19 8 p.m. Council Worksession, Semi-annual Transit Meeting, Municipal Building Thursday and Friday, November 22 and 23 City offices closed for the Thanksgiving Holiday

#### Turnout

Voter turnout at the Greenbelt precincts was only 190 votes less than for the 2016 Presidential election. However, because registration is higher now than then, the percentage turnout dropped from 45 to 41. In the 2014 Gubernatorial Election, the Greenbelt area voter turnout was 37 percent. At this election, 1,429

growth in housing and population during that time. There, registrations increased by 79 percent and the number of persons casting ballots increased by 170 percent.

Unfortunately, only 21 percent of registered voters turned out in the June 26 primary election. For most county offices that election chose the new officeholders as Republicans failed to nominate any challengers.

In the state and the county, about one out of every three votes were cast during early voting. Hogan supporters in the county were slightly more inclined to vote early than those voting for Jealous, but less inclined to do so statewide. Early votes are not assigned to the various precincts but rather recorded as separate precincts based upon polling place location in the tabulation of votes.

#### See **RESULTS**, page 12

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job."

A nine-point buck poses for the camera in the forest preserve behind 10 Court Plateau Place on November 12.

# **Letters to the Editor**

#### Sweet Habitat

Since moving to Greenbelt decades ago, recently I was reminded why I stayed so long. Its park-like surroundings with lots of trees, a lake, wildlife and paths to walk kept me here. So, it became a way of life: to honor the trees, respect them for the way they sustain the environment, and when necessary, to protest their removal when dubious reasons are given (other than disease and becoming a danger to property and residents). After all, taking one tree among hundreds should never be a big deal: until it is.

This time, the reasoned conclusion by a few to support the removal of a unique tree was framed by several thoughtful matters: to prevent a carport tent (described as an eyesore) from becoming a permanent fixture in a parking lot; the preference to practice gardening in sunlit space instead of partial shade; the distaste for tree sap and pine needles that may land on a coveted car; the fear of possible fire from utility lines in existence since Pepco set up shop and strung power lines up and down our streets; the reluctance to relocate a charging station for green car technology; and more, as the list went on and on.

When I learned about the secretive vote taken to cut down this towering white pine, in the midst of news covering despicable and calloused acts against more and more innocent people these days across the globe, I took notice. How can someone's dislike for another living being actually be so resolute that death becomes the best and only solution? Did anyone consider how removing this tree would impact its homeland, especially the people whose yard had become its home after Greenbelt filled up with values and voices? Or was this particular tree's fate decided upon too quickly without sufficient deliberation? In this case, its fate was too easily determined by one resident who lives near the tree, not under it. How could this happen?

And, so I'll stand by my newfound neighbors who live within walking distance. They have reached out to the neighbor who changed their lives with his request to kill off the tree in their yard, even though he apparently didn't consider how this would impact them or others. Willing to find a better way to accommodate his interests and spare their tree, they offered other solutions for him to consider. If only they had known about his plans for them and the tree, to begin with, not after the vote was taken to kill the tree in their yard.

Aren't good neighbors fashioned out of the same cloth of a nation: with respect and consideration for one another? See, this tree is unique, not because it deserves to die, but because it deserves to live . . . like everyone else on this planet in these troubled times. I am thankful for the kind of neighbors I have been lucky to have since moving here . . . the ones who are like the trees: could be a bit messy at times, but mostly sheltering and full of good will.

If life's splendor is valued, its messy side shouldn't bring it down . . . so let the Board of Directors, GHI, know. Tell them to spare this one tree, this one time. You'll be glad you voted in the name of justice for all. Many voices matter, too, not just the few.

Jean Newcomb



The Turning Point Academy story should have stated that the school is located in Greenbelt. Although their mailing address is Lanham, the physical location of the school is in

Corrections

Greenbelt.

An article in last week's paper about voting lines incorrectly labeled the polling stations. The first section is about Turning Point Academy's polling station, while the second is about Eleanor Roosevelt High School.

#### Thanksgiving Week Deadline Changes

Due to the upcoming Thanksgiving holiday on Thursday, November 22, the deadline for the News Review will change since our printer will not be available Thanksgiving morning. The Thanksgiving issue will be printed on Wednesday, November 21, for delivery on Friday. All deadlines will be moved back a day to finish the paper in time to be printed before the holiday.

See page 10 for details of the deadlines for ads, letters and stories.



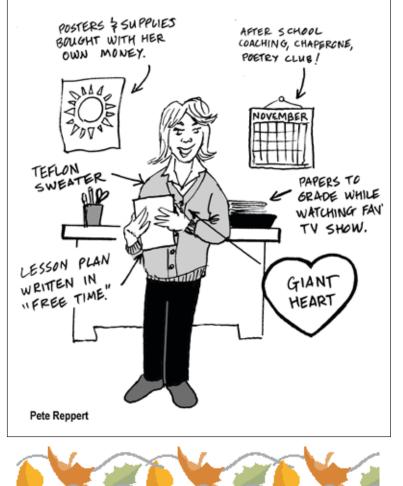
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#### THE LIFE OF A PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER



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At the GHI meeting Thursday, November 15, another vote will be taken on the fate of this white pine.



Two turtles climb a log in the Lake.

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# **Community Events**

#### ERHS Artwork On View At GAC

The Greenbelt Arts Center is currently hosting an exhibit of artwork by art class students from Eleanor Roosevelt High School. Seventeen outstanding pieces of art, gathered by art teacher Christine Wilkin and other members of the ERHS art department staff, are on display in the GAC lobby during the run of the rock musical The Toxic Avenger, sporting titles such as Saturnalia, Jack and the Box, Midnight Flame, Blood Myrtle, Cold Reminiscence and Lord Goat Man. The intricacy and finish of the wonderfully creative works - which encompass a wide variety of artistic media, including water colors, ink, collage and photography – clearly show that the student artists invested a great deal of time and effort in producing them.

The exhibit will be on display through late November. GAC's handicapped-accessible lobby is open to the public for viewing the free art exhibit (from 7 to 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, and from 1 to 2 p.m. Sundays). Persons wishing to view the exhibit at another time should call Gallery Manager Linda Thompson at 301-552-3964 to make arrangements.



#### **GHI Notes**

Thursday, November 15, 7:45 p.m., Board of Directors Meeting, Board Room.

Friday, November 16, office closed. Emergency maintenance service available at 301-474-6011.

Monday, November 19, 7 p.m., Bicycle Committee Meeting, GHI Lobby.

Tuesday, November 20, 7:30 p.m., Companion Animal Committee Meeting, GHI Lobby.

Thursday, November 22, office closed. Thanksgiving Day. Emergency maintenance service available at 301-474-6011.

Friday, November 23, office closed. Emergency maintenance service available at 301-474-6011.

#### Greenbelt Unplugged Hosts Board Games

An afternoon of board games will be hosted by Greenbelt Unplugged on Saturday, November 17 from 3 to 6 p.m. in the Youth Center conference room.

Unplug and come out to play. Meet neighbors and enjoy some laughs, some competition and lots of fun. Games will be provided, and more are welcome, so bring along some favorites.

This activity is appropriate for ages 8 and up. Contact Greenbelt Unplugged at unpluggedgreenbelt. wordpress.com with any questions.

#### Art and Craft Fair December 1 and 2

The Greenbelt Recreation Arts Program 2018 Festival of Lights juried Art and Craft fair will take place at the Community Center on Saturday, December 1 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday, December 2 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The fair will showcase the talents of about 75 regional artists, artisans and authors. Visitors will find beautiful and useful gifts for all occasions among an impressive array of handmade wares. They can also enjoy open studios, refreshments from a café operated by Greenbelt Arts Center, a hands-on craft workshop on Sunday, a prize drawing on Saturday and live music both afternoons.



Glass centerpiece by Vivien Lee of The Purple Kiln, who will be one of the new vendors at the Art & Craft Fair on December 1 and 2

#### Menu for Senior Nutrition Program

The Senior Nutrition Food and Friendship program provides lunches for seniors Monday through Friday at the Community Center beginning at noon. Meals must be reserved by 11 a.m. two days ahead so that enough food is ordered. Call 301-397-2208 ext. 4215.

All meals, which provide at least one-third of Recommended Dietary Allowances for older adults, include margarine, coffee or tea and skim milk. Menus for the week of November 19 are as follows.

Monday, November 19: Turkey à la king, corn, sliced carrots, biscuit, sliced pears, cranberry juice.

Tuesday, November 20: Sloppy Joe, battered fries, coleslaw, wheat bun, peach crisp, grape juice.

Wednesday, November 21: Sliced turkey with gravy, bread dressing, whipped potatoes, French green beans, ambrosia, cranberry sauce, sweet potato pie, orange juice.

Thursday, November 22: Closed for holiday.

Friday, November 23: Closed for holiday.



#### Thoughtful Discussion At MakerSpace

"Tis better to have loved and lost than never to have loved at all." Is that true? Do the benefits of the one-time love outweigh the pain of the loss? The thoughtful discussion group that meets at the MakerSpace on Tuesdays will not meet on Tuesday, November 20. They'll bring their hearts and minds to bear on the question of lost love on November 27 from 7 to 9 p.m. All who wish to explore that topic are welcome to share their thoughts and cheerful banter.

#### Last Farmers Market And Turkey Pickup

Sunday, November 18 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. is the last regular Farmers Market of the 2018 season. It's also the day for picking up turkeys from Ferguson Family Farms. For those who didn't order, don't panic, they usually bring a few extra. Look to the market too for all the things that make Thanksgiving the feast of plenty after the harvest is home. The sweet potatoes, pie pumpkins, gourds to decorate the table - the many details that make a satisfying feast for both stomach and eye.

The last hurrah of the season is the Holiday Market. Held Sunday, December 2, it coincides with the city's annual Festival of Lights and the Art and Craft fair held in the Community Center gym the same day. For holiday shopping, it's a combo that can't be beat – everything you need right there in town with easy parking and lots of magical choices.

#### **Toastmasters Meet**

The Greenbelt Toastmasters Club will meet on Wednesday, November 21 at 7:30 p.m. in the Social Hall of Greenbelt Community Church at Hillside and Crescent Roads. The group offers professionals, students, stay-athome parents and retirees a supportive environment to improve skills in communication and leadership. For more information call 240-542-8625.

#### **Star Party Saturday**

The Astronomical Society of Greenbelt will host a star party, free and open to the public, on Saturday evening, November 17 at the City Observatory located at Northway Fields. Attendees may expect to see the Moon, Saturn, Mars and deep sky objects such as galaxies, nebulae and star clusters currently high in the sky, viewed through the observatory telescope and astronomical camera. As always, visitors are welcome to set up their own telescopes on the hill.

Observing will begin at around 6 p.m. and continue for two hours. Attendees are asked to park in the ballfield lot, not up on the hill, unless bringing a telescope. The star party will be canceled without notice if it is hopelessly cloudy.



HOTO BY KEVIN BALCH

The Andromeda Galaxy, from Greenbelt, taken by Kevin Balch on November 3, 2018

More Community Events are located throughout the paper.

# **Utopia Film Festival**

**Presents:** 

"Art Bastard" (2015) "Oil and Vinegar" (2016)

Sunday, Nov. 18<sup>th</sup>, Wed., Nov. 21<sup>st</sup>, and Fri., Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup>, Beginning at 8 PM

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On Monday, November 19, Reel and Meal will feature Not Business as Usual at the New Deal Café. An optional vegan meal is available for purchase at 6:30 p.m., followed by the free screening beginning at 7. The documentary explores several businesses in the U.S. that utilize their profits for social good, including restaurants, health care services and clothing manufacturers. Discussion leader Jon Ellenbogen, president of Impact Capital Strategies, has created a financial advice business that is an innovative leader in the socially responsible investment world. Reel and Meal is a monthly dinner and documentary series sponsored by the Beaverdam Creek Watershed Watch Group, Prince George's County Peace and Justice Coalition, Green Vegan Networking and the Utopia Film Festival. For more information, contact Leeann Irwin at 301-486-0099 or paxirwin@yahoo.com or visit newdealcafe.com.





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November 16, 17, 23, 24 at 8PM Sunday matinees: November 18 at 2PM Ticket prices: \$25 General Admission \$22 Students/Seniors/Military \$14 Youth (12 and under with adult)

#### COMING SOON: GREENBELT ARTS CENTER ANNUAL MEETING - November 18 THE CHROMATICS 25TH ANNIVERSARY SHOW – Dec 15-16 GREENBELT ARTS CENTER-123 CENTERWAY-GREENBELT, MD (UNDER THE CO-OP GROCERY STORE)

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friends of former Greenbelt resi-

dent Elizabeth Bianchi who died

# **Obituaries**

#### Elizabeth Bianchi

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Greenbelt resident Elizabeth (Betty) Bianchi died October 17, 2018, at Julia Manor Health Care Center in Hagerstown at the age of 90. She was the widow of religious artist Peter V. Bianchi of Kenosha, Wisc.

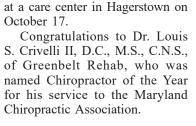
Mrs. Bianchi was born in Syracuse, N.Y., the daughter of John Farley Thomas and Kathryn (Burgun) Thomas. She had a master's degree in literature and taught school for many years before she joined the federal government, retiring as a computer analyst. She was known for her kindness, her sense of humor and her religious devotion.

After her husband's death in 2001, Mrs. Bianchi moved to Greenbelt, where her sister Dolores Petry was living. The two sisters were often seen together

at recreation department activities. Both were members of St. Hugh of Grenoble church.

Mrs. Bianchi is survived by three nephews, John Thomas of Oregon, Joseph Thomas of Spain and Michael Thomas of California, as well as a cousin, William F. Bush (Carole) of Thurmont, Md. In addition to her husband and her sister Dolores, she was preceded in death by a brother, John Robert Thomas.

A memorial mass was celebrated for Mrs. Bianchi on October 26 at St. Anthony's Shrine Parish in Emmitsburg, Md. Interment was at St. Joseph's Cemetery in Emmitsburg. Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, 1393 Progress Way, Suite 908, Eldersburg, MD 21784.





Dr. Louis Crivelli

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milestones and news in the Our Neighbors column. Send details

of your news items to editor@ greenbeltnewsreview.com.

### Co-op Begins Annual Charity Campaign

#### by Joe Gareri

Every year, many feel truly blessed around this time for family, shelter, food and friends. But in stark contrast there are people right here in the community who have very little. The Greenbelt Coop Supermarket is running its annual Give the Gift of Hope holiday season fundraiser to lend a hand to these less fortunate neighbors.

The Give the Gift of Hope campaign is a point-ofpurchase fundraiser right at checkout. Customers simply pick out as many colorful coupons as they wish and hand them to the cashier. The cashier scans the coupons, and the amount will automatically appear on the receipt. All donations are tax deductible.

The campaign will end on Sunday, January 6. Upon completion of the program, Co-op sends all funds collected to Making Change, which in turn forwards the donations to the nearby Capital Area Food Bank. The food bank is much more than a food pantry, offering wellness programs, nutrition assistance and support to needy families.

"With thousands of retailers nationwide participating in this Give the Gift of Hope holiday program, collectively we will be making a huge difference in the lives of hungry Americans. The hope is to raise as much money as possible and share our customers' generosity with those in need," says Co-op's General Manager Bob Davis.



#### Thanksgiving Eve **Interfaith Service**

An Interfaith Thanksgiving service will be held at the Greenbelt Community Church on Wednesday, November 21 at 7:30 p.m. All are welcome.

A freewill offering will be collected for the benefit of the Greenbelt Emergency Relief Fund. Checks should be made out to City of Greenbelt with the memo line saying Emergency Relief Fund.

301-345-2918

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### Thirty Scouts Collected 1,400 Pounds of Food

#### by Corita Waters

The windy Saturday didn't stop over 30 scouts from Greenbelt Cub Scout Pack 202 and Boy Scout Pack 746 from collecting 1,400 pounds of canned food from across Greenbelt. On foot and carting wagons behind them, the scouts went door to door for donations. Pack 202 also hosted a bake sale and food collection at Greenbelt Co-op Supermarket. The donated food went to Ber-

wyn Presbyterian and St. Hugh's food pantries, both of which support the Greenbelt community.

This year, the scouts used sticky notes to inform community members of the annual food drive, rather than the plastic bags used in previous years, in order to reduce the plastic bags in circulation. Thanks to all who supported the drive and who work to feed the community.



Scout Pack 202, from left: Luke Aten, Harry Bahar, Roman Taylor, Henry Turner, Callum Bedford-Dillow, Julian Bahar (peeping) and **Emmeline Bedford-Dillow (in wagon)** 



### **Thanksgiving Day Service**

**Christian Science Church Service** 8300 Adelphi Rd., Hyattsville, MD

Join us for a Thanksgiving Day Service Thursday, Nov. 22nd 10:30 a.m.







Greenbelt Community Church, **United Church of Christ** 

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Greenbelt Baha'i' Community

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"The well-being of mankind, its peace and security, are unattainable unless and until its unity is firmly

established." - Baha'i Writings

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Pastor: Rev. Walter J. Tappe

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#### At the Library

All Prince George's County Memorial Library System (PGC-MLS) branches will close at 5 p.m. on Wednesday November 21, for the Thanksgiving Day holiday. All branches will remain closed on Thursday, November 22. The Greenbelt Branch Library will reopen on Friday, November 23 at 10 a.m.

Teen Advisory Board: Monday, November 19, 4 p.m., ages 13 to 18, limit 15 participants. Volunteer and work together to make the library a better place for teens by talking about books, music, movies and suggesting things to add to the collection. Registration required; contact the branch either in person or by calling 301-345-5800.

English Conversation Club: Tuesday, November 20, 6 p.m. The club will be on hiatus after November 20 and will resume meeting weekly on Tuesday evenings starting January 8.

Weekly Ready 2 Read Storytime: Tuesday, November 20, ages 3 to 5, 7 p.m., limit 30 people. Wednesday, November 21, ages newborn to 2, 10:15 a.m., limit 15 babies with parent(s) or caregiver(s); ages 2 to 3, 11:15 a.m., limit 30 people.

Community Book Discussion: Tuesday, November 20, 7 p.m. This month's selection is Bloodsworth: The True Story of One Man's Triumph Over Injustice, by Tim Junkin.

#### Upcoming Events At Greenbelt Park

Saturday, November 17: The Wild Turkey. Join a park ranger at the campfire program to hear about the habits and diet of the wild turkey (Meleagris gallopavo), a native bird species that can be encountered in the forests of Greenbelt. The wild bird's domesticated cousin may grace the Thanksgiving or Christmas table with all the trimmings, but wild turkeys are quite shy and difficult to hunt. Campground guests and the public are welcome to a traditional campfire program in Loop B of the campground at 5 p.m.

Sunday, November 18: Whitetailed Deer. What is the difference between a horn and an antler? What do the deer eat? Meet at the Ranger Station near the campground at 9 a.m.

Thursday, November 22: Happy Thanksgiving from the staff of Greenbelt Park. The park and campground are open but the offices will be closed.

#### **Greenbelt Writers**

The Greenbelt Writers Group will hold its monthly meeting on Friday, November 16 at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Center. In addition to readings, plans will be finalized for a December holiday party and the meeting schedule for 2019 will be set up.

#### Tuckman Shows Silk At Montpelier

The work of local artist Diane Tuckman will be on view at the historic Montpelier Mansion as a part of the textile exhibit, Beyond Needleart and the Artist's Boutique, from November 5 through 29.

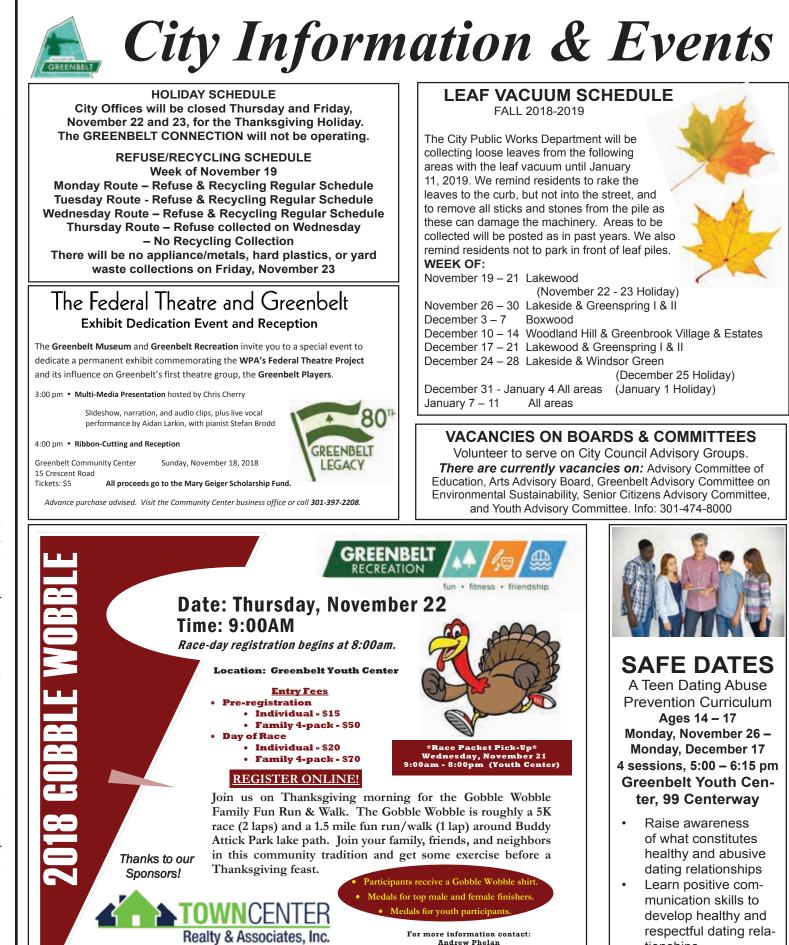
#### Dinosaur Park Holds Open House Saturday

A free Dinosaur Park open house will be offered on Saturday, November 17 from noon to 4 p.m. at 13100 Mid-Atlantic Boulevard in Laurel.

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#### Art Drop-In Sunday

On Sunday, November 18 from 11 to 1 p.m. come to Crazy Collage: Cut, Paste and Create, presented by the College Park Arts Exchange, MilkBoy ArtHouse and The Clarice. Adults and kids alike are welcome to take part in this fun arts project at the MilkBoy ArtHouse in College Park.



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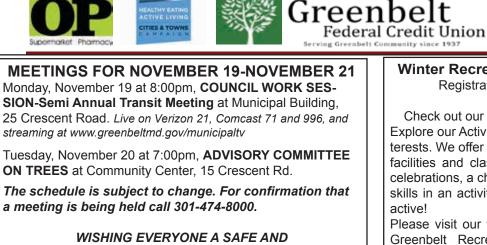
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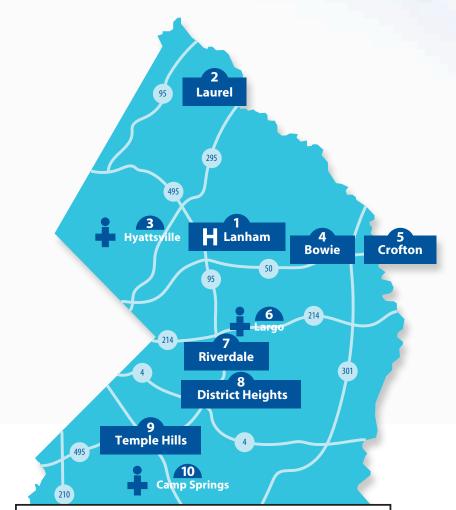
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# Am. Ed. Week Kids Sport Clean Uniforms At Magnolia Elementary

#### by Jesse Nash

A visitor to Magnolia Elementary on a Thursday morning will see children running around the sidewalk, all donning matching yellow polos and black slacks or skirts. Not a speck of dirt marks the children's uniforms.

Thanks to Nick Sundberg, long-snapper for the Washington Redskins, the elementary school became one of five pilot programs last year for his charity, Loads of Love, according to Principal Phyllis Gillens. With the success it saw in the school, the program recently expanded to 42 other schools and homeless shelters in Prince George's County.

Loads of Love puts washing machines and dryers into schools and homeless shelters for people who would otherwise worry about wearing dirty clothes to school or shelters, according to Gillens.

Members of the Magnolia Parent-Teacher Advisory Council (PTAC) have used the washers almost every week since the program's start a year ago. PTAC president, Karen Gibson-Serrette, keeps the washers running with dirtied uniforms along with clothes brought in by parents. Recently, PTAC found them especially helpful for cleaning donated uniforms for the school's uniform recycling program, Serrette said.

The school's guidance counselor, Joan Nachman, can recall many accidents and spills in the last year that were cleaned in the laundry room. While she has not yet seen any direct effects on children's attendance or grades due to the program, having the ability to wash the uniforms at school has been a help to the teachers, she said.

Washing clothes in the school is free for anyone who wants to participate, and while the program is aimed at the children who attend the school, families are also welcome to bring in their clothes, Gillens said. Still, the program has not yet caught on to the extent that Gillens and Nachman believe it should.

"It's a work in progress," Nachman said.

Over the next year, Nachman is working with PTAC to recruit more volunteers to run the washers throughout the week and she wants to reach out and advertise to more parents she thinks would benefit from the program.

Magnolia Elementary teaches just under 500 children on Mondays through Fridays from 9:15 a.m. to 3:25 p.m. It hosts basketball courts, a football field, a soccer field, arts programs, music classes and performances. Though located in Lanham, children of Greenbelt East live within its district.



**Magnolia Elementary** 

## Am. Ed. Week Arts Integration Activities Make Learning Interesting

The Arts Integration at Greenbelt Elementary School is in its fourth year. When asked about its progress, Principal Monica Gaines was happy to share her enthusiasm. "We utilize the teaching approach of integrating an art form into all content areas subjects," Gaines said. In the month of October, physical education teachers David Manfredi and Henry Robles worked with Artist-inresidence flamenco dancer Anna Menendez of Young Audiences of Maryland to teach students about Hispanic Heritage month, while teaching their unit on movement. This month, all staff members will participate in an after-school professional development conducted by Menendez. "Arts Integration provides engaging context and enhances the learning experience. Our teachers participate in professional development courses, on and off campus, to learn about implementing and integrating their arts into their lessons," Gaines explained. Arts and integration coordi-

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#### by Jamal Williams

nator and fifth grade classroom teacher Lindsey Volk is in charge of coordinating the activities involving art and sees this as a great opportunity for students to get engaged. "Integrating the arts brings content to life. Students who are otherwise disengaged access material naturally through various art forms," Volk explained. In addition, fifth grade students in Volk's reading language art classrooms have worked with digital animator George Kochell throughout the month of October. They had the opportunity to create animations as a way to demonstrate knowledge using text evidence to portray the setting, characters and plot of the story, Island Blue Dolphins. Assessments of creativity and accuracy will be the evaluation for the students.

Another example of the arts

leaux or Frozen scenes to demonstrate their knowledge. Overall, the program is a great chance for students to be more involved using aspects of art that can help them become more engaged in their work and make it fun.



**Greenbelt Elementary** 



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Cashielle Nelson

Thank you, Mr. Kent Dickerson, my Algebra II and Trig teacher at Jefferson High School in Rockford, Ill., for showing me that math can be fun and easy to understand after years of having "New Math" anxiety!

JoEllen Sarff



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who started a Korean club at the high school approached him about turning it into a class. With assistance from the World Languages Department at Prince George's County Public Schools, that became a reality in 2016.

After having success with offering Korean I the first year - which included a visit from Maryland's first lady, Yumi Hogan - the school added Korean II to the curriculum the following year. Now, McNeill said, the school is ready to expand to Korean III for the next academic year and is working to coordinate visits with students in South Korea.

'We're trying to really expand the program and students are really excited," McNeill said. "There are a lot of good cultural experiences and opportunities for our students."

McNeill, who has been at Eleanor Roosevelt High School for 20 years, is still motivated by working with a dynamic group of people that want to succeed and want to keep growing.

"It's just amazing to watch ninth graders come in and by the time they graduate, they are leading so many different organizations or are top sports players or leading in the band," he said.

In addition to expanding the Korean language offering, Mc-Neill is focused on adding and upgrading the science and technology labs at the high school in the near future so that his students and teachers have the best tools.

"Anything that a kid wants, we have it here, and if it's not, then let's start it," he said.

#### **Breakfast with Santa** At the Fire House

On Saturday, December 8, the Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary will host Breakfast with Santa from 8:30 a.m. until noon. Come and visit with Santa, tell him a wish list, have a photo taken, receive a gift for each child, create a keepsake and have fun all in one morning. There is a fee. The auxiliary will also be collecting donations of new, unwrapped toys for the Prince George's County Toys for Tots program.

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## Community Attends Annual Service to Honor Veterans

#### by Michael Revollo

Members of the Greenbelt community gathered at Roosevelt Center on Sunday, November 11, to honor the men and women who served in the military.

The event began with saluting the American flag followed by reciting the Pledge of Allegiance. Members of the Hometown USA Chorus sang patriotic songs such as America the Beautiful and God Bless America as the crowd sang along.

Those in attendance included representatives of the City of Greenbelt as well as members of the Greenbelt American Legion Post 136. Also attending was Prince George's County Councilmember Todd Turner, who was thankful for everyone who gathered on a cold morning to honor the men and women who served in the United States military.

"I appreciate that the Greenbelt American Legion Post, as well as the city of Greenbelt, comes together and does this recognition, particularly now that it's the 100th year after Armistice Day, which initially started what is now called Veterans Day," said Turner. "To think back and be reflective of what has happened over that 100 years and the service that our veterans have given us is truly astounding to be where we are today."

Turner, whose father served in the Navy in the 1950s, never served in the military himself, but gained an appreciation for his father's service and that of other veterans while in high school when he was chosen as one of the first officers in the Naval Junior ROTC program at Curtis High School in New York.

Greg Gigliotti, commander of the Greenbelt American Legion, talked about not only the struggles armed service members deal with in being away from home, but the toll it takes on their families as well.

"We also honor the families that support the man or woman who is deployed overseas because it's a big burden," Gigliotti said. "The American Legion was designed to support the communities the veterans came home to. It's significant to be a member of the Legion."

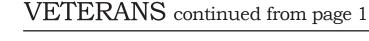
Gigliotti, who served in the military for 42 years, says the goal of the Legion is simple: help any veterans in any way they can.

"Any time there's a veteran in need and we find out about it, we always reach out to help in any way we possibly can, even if it's a matter of paying their rent."

In his time overseas, and to this day, Gigliotti is thankful for the Legion as they supported his wife while he was away with the Army. "I've been deployed three times, and my wife has done all the things to make my return as pleasant [as possible], and she had the backing of the American Legion family here in Greenbelt," he said.

While many feel saying "Thank you for your service" to veterans is a small gesture, Legion Adjutant Mike Moore feels that gesture, along with the community attending events to show their support for veterans, goes a long way.

"I think the veterans are very, very touched when the community comes together to say 'thank you for your service' even though the variability of the service is wide," said Moore. "Not everybody is a combat hero, but they all swore the oath, and they all served. That's what counts and that's what we're saying thank you for."





Music teacher Kristen Morrison conducts the school choral group at the Greenbelt Elementary School Veterans Day assembly.

that soldiers do not want war and first strive to keep the peace. Several more questions covered tanks, guns and being brave.

"It was a privilege to speak to these young students about veterans and the military. I believe they gained some appreciation about how their family members and friends who were in the military have served America."

Morrison said she hopes the Veterans Day assembly becomes an annual event. "It's important that students understand how veterans that are away from their families and the community have contributed to our nation's security and freedom."

#### UMD Service

On Friday, November 9, the University of Maryland saluted the school's veteran community through the Veterans Day service of patriotic music and commentary from the university's leadership and veterans with ties to the school. University Army, Air Force and Naval ROTC units held a vigil from noon to 3 p.m. in front of the Chapel, which is one of the school's most visible and revered icons and was dedicated in 1952 as a memorial to fallen veterans from the university.

Mike G. Moore, a U.S. Army veteran and currently adjutant and recent past commander of Greenbelt American Legion Post 136, lauded the university's commitment to supporting veterans through the school's TerpVets program. "The strong and sustained institutional commitment to the academic success of the heroes in this room who served our nation is stunning . . . It is the school of choice for 1,200 veterans and the TerpVets program helps to develop a sense of community and mutual support." **Community Ceremony** Recognition of veterans continued on Sunday, November 11 when Greenbelt, county and state officials joined Greenbelt

American Legion Post 136 officers in presentations at the annual Veterans Day ceremony held at Roosevelt Center. A chilly day lowered attendance but those participating waved American flags and showed enthusiasm recognizing veterans during rendering of honors: a full-throated Pledge of Allegiance and resounding voices from the Hometown USA Chorus's rendition of the national anthem. Everyone showed customary respect for taps preceded by a rifle volley salute.

Since Mayor Emmett Jordan and some city councilmembers were away attending a National League of Cities meeting in Los Angeles, Councilmember Rodney Roberts presented the city proclamation honoring veterans to Greenbelt American Legion Commander Greg Gigliotti, Sons

of the American Legion Squadron 136 Commander Jerry Darnell and Auxiliary Unit 136 President Elizabeth Darnell.

County Councilmember Todd Turner was also at the event. He sponsored the Veterans Listening Session with Senator Chris Van Hollen held at the Greenbelt American Legion Post. State Delegate Anne Healey shared her comments supporting veterans.

Gigliotti reaffirmed veterans contributions to world peace. "It's America's veterans who make the world much safer. From defeating communism, fascism and imperialism, to liberating slaves, keeping the peace during the Cold War and battling terrorism today, veterans have accomplished remarkable things throughout our nation's history. We gather at events like this to honor not just recent generations of veterans but every man and woman who has honorably served since the American Revolution. Today is a day for all Americans to recognize those who have saved our many freedoms - the veterans of the United States military."



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American Legion members, police and community leaders place memorial wreaths during the Veterans Day ceremony at Roosevelt Center.

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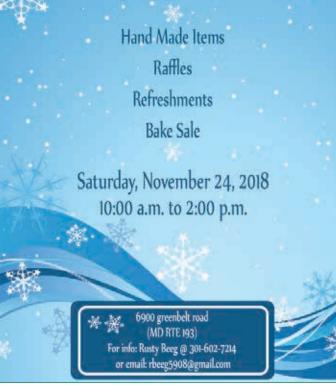


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# **Police Blotter**

#### Based on information released by the Greenbelt Police Department, www.greenbeltmd.gov/police

Dates and times are those when police were first contacted about incidents.

#### Robbery

October 31, 11:40 p.m., 5900 block Cherrywood Lane. Three men approached a man who was walking to a residence and one demanded his backpack. They fled after obtaining it.

#### Theft

October 31, 10 p.m., 9300 block Edmonston Road. Money was removed from a residence.

November 2, 3:28 p.m., 6000 block Greenbelt Road. A loss prevention employee at Target dropped his wallet. Surveillance footage later showed that a woman inside the store picked it up and exited the store.

November 6, 4:46 p.m., 8100 block Miner Street. A parcel package was taken from the front stoop of a residence by a man who rode up on a silver and black bicycle. He is described as black, having short dreadlocks with gold tips, wearing a green hooded jacket, green pants with a stripe down the legs and blue sneakers.

#### Trespass

November 4, 2:10 p.m., 6000 block Greenbelt Road. A 25-yearold nonresident was arrested and charged with trespass after he was seen on the grounds of Beltway Plaza after having been banned from the mall by agents of the property. He was released on citation pending trial.

#### Burglary

November 5, 8 p.m., 9100 block Edmonston Road. Clothing, shoes, a suitcase and electronic equipment were taken from a residence.

November 5, 11:28 a.m., 9000 block Breezewood Terrace. A 17-year-old Greenbelt youth was arrested and charged with fourth degree burglary and trespass after he was observed inside a vacant apartment by a maintenance worker. The youth fled but was detained nearby and positively identified. He was released to a guardian pending action by the Juvenile Justice System.

#### Vehicle Crime

Two vehicles were recovered. A 2010 Chevrolet Camaro stolen from the 6100 block Breezewood Court on November 5 was recovered November 7 by D.C. Metropolitan police in the 2000 block West Virginia Avenue, N.E.

A 2005 Buick Rendezvous SUV reported stolen May 27

Parkway was recovered November 7 by Prince George's County police in the 9500 block Muirkirk Road in Laurel.

Noises alerted two vehicle owners that thefts were being attempted. In the 6100 block Springhill Terrace on November 2 at approximately 2:35 a.m. a man heard his vehicle alarm go off, looked outside and saw a man inside his vehicle. He went outside and confronted him. By then the man had exited the vehicle and was carrying some property that belonged to the owner. The owner told the man to drop his property. The man complied and fled on foot.

On November 2 at about 2:55 a.m. a woman heard a loud noise outside and looked out and saw a man attempting to break into her vehicle. He was unable to gain entry and fled on foot. He is described as a Hispanic man, 5 feet 8 inches tall with a medium build, with long hair in a ponytail, wearing a gray sweater and blue jeans.

In other thefts, rear Md. tag 4DM4271 was taken in the 5900 block Cherrywood Terrace. In the 6200 block Springhill Drive power tools were taken after a window in a work van was broken out. Two notebook type computers were taken from a possibly unlocked work truck in the 5200 block South Center Drive.

#### Sobriety Checkpoint Wednesday, Nov. 21

Greenbelt police will conduct a sobriety checkpoint within the city on Wednesday, November 21, the night before Thanksgiving. This is one of the deadliest nights for motorists due to drunk drivers and motorists not wearing seatbelts.

Officers will look for drunk drivers and those whose seat belts are not buckled. They will remind motorists of the consequences of drunk driving and tell drivers whose seat belts are not buckled that wearing a properly buckled seat belt is the best defense against impaired drivers.

The Checkpoint Strike Force Campaign is funded by the Maryland Department of Transportation. Contact MPO Scott Yankowy at 240-542-2114 or syankowy@greenbeltmd.gov for

# Co-op Has Net Loss in FY18, Plans for New Roof and Solar

by Ian Round

After two straight years of profits, the Greenbelt Consumer Cooperative announced a net loss of \$38,645 during Fiscal Year 2018 at its annual meeting November 10. At the meeting, members voted to keep three people on the board of directors and approved an amendment to the bylaws, allowing the Co-op to accept loans to replace its leaky roof.

Treasurer Joe Timer said the results are "discouraging," and that "Co-op will continue to be challenged and will encounter threats to its long-term viability." He said the loss was caused by "a compilation of small factors, rather than a major shock."

"It's increasingly difficult to retain our customer base and store sales," General Manager Bob Davis said. "I can't make any promises, only that we'll work hard to make this thing successful."

Timer said the Co-op has lost money seven of the past 10 years. The board was unable to add to employees' retirement accounts, give employees bonuses

history and culture. These short

films will be shown in the theater

ries: 80 Years in 80 Seconds, is

funded with the help of a \$5,000

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Caitlin McGrath said she con-

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general," said McGrath.

"We thought because we were

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or pay patronage dividends but it did increase wages and salaries. "I don't see any patronage funds being repaid in the next several years," Timer said.

Timer said it costs about \$800 every time the roof needs to be patched. He said a new roof would cost roughly \$150,000.

"There are patches on top of patches right now," said Marketing and Outreach Coordinator Joe Gareri.

In order to pay for the new roof, the board amended its bylaws to allow members to lend the Co-op up to \$10,000. The previous cap was \$2,000. The Co-op will pay 4 percent "annual interest until an agreed date within 15 years," according to the bylaws, and will accept loans until it owes \$20,000 per year in interest. After some debate, members voted unanimously for the amendment.

The board will consider installing solar panels when a new roof is installed. Timer said they would cost up to \$450,000.

Members asked about the risk associated with these loans and questioned how the store would pay them back.

'Solar would go a long, long way," Gareri said. Timer said the Co-op saved \$9,000 during FY18 by switching from fluorescent to LED lights.

"If this co-op goes bust in five years, you will not get your money back," board member Bill Jones said.

After the store made \$45,606 in Fiscal Year 2017, the board paid \$21,000 in employee bonuses and added \$10,000 to employee retirement accounts. The store had \$1,698,895 in total assets at the end of FY18, down 1.8 percent from the previous year.

Timer and Jones were re-elected to the board. Donna Peterson, who was appointed to the board in March, was elected for the first time.

The Co-op's Fiscal Year runs from July 1 to June 30 of the following year. The annual meeting is held in November so that the board and the outside auditors have time to close out all of the accounts and give an accurate picture of the store's financial health.

# Greenbelt's Film History Eighty Seconds at a Time

#### by Dan Novak

Old Greenbelt Theatre (OGT) come. The fourth film will be is in the process of producing completed sometime before the 10 short documentaries explornew year, according to McGrath. ing Maryland media history, art "This is the first time we'd

ever tried to produce anything like this," she said.

The 80 Years series is also a unique project for Preservation Maryland, according to Megan Baco, the organization's director of communications and former OGT board member, who remarked that the organization primarily funds the preservation of physical structures.

Why not use the opportunity of a theater to tell people about preservation and the history of the theater?" she said.

While A History of Moviegoing in Maryland is the only film in the series currently being shown, the theater also showed a documentary in the spring about Maryland baseball history to coincide with the beginning of the baseball season.

by the theater last February, where people were invited to bring in their old home movies to be digitized free of charge. McGrath said her team will put together footage from some of the home movies for a forthcoming 80 Years piece.

'One of the reasons we did that day was to get people thinking about home movies as important historical documents," McGrath said.

Other films in the works include one about Maryland movie landmarks, a profile of a former light board operator at the Old Greenbelt Theatre and another featuring children's work created during an experimental film workshop.

"It's a lot of fun to do these little things," McGrath said. "We work with movies all the time but it's fun to not just screen



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Another film promoted Digithree of the films, each produced in-house, with seven more to tization Day, an event sponsored well."

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# **Sports**

# A Victory, But then a DefeatERHS Volleyball SeasonFor ERHS Girls Soccer TeamEnds With Wins and A Loss

#### by Patrick Gleason

The Eleanor Roosevelt girls soccer team endured a week of contrasting emotions. The week started with an Election Day regional championship victory against the Parkdale Panthers. Zosia Nicholson struck early for the Raiders, heading in a beautiful cross off the foot of senior Jamie Kraske. Soon after Parkdale evened the score on a break away by Kultumi Conteh, whose speed challenged the Raiders backline throughout the first half. After halftime, the Raiders reasserted themselves, controlling possession though they failed to capitalize, with several missed chances. Junior centerbacks Zion Albright and Louisa Ellison kept Conteh in check until senior forward Daniela Luna finally broke through for the Raiders, chipping a shot over the Parkdale keeper with only 10 minutes remaining. The Raiders added an insurance goal

a few minutes later when senior Amina Bejja blasted a shot from the right side into the side netting. The only thing that could slow the Raiders celebration was the fog that persisted throughout the night.

On Saturday the Raiders hoped to build on last year's state semi-final appearance - and they looked poised to do so for the first 15 minutes against the formidable Perry Hall Gators. But, after conceding a goal to the Gators, the Raiders were unable to respond and they allowed in another goal not long after, making for a long afternoon for keeper Stephanie Ijomor. Though the season-ending loss left the Raiders short of their ultimate goal, the team walks away from the season having successfully defended their league, county and region championships - and they return 16 players for next season.



Eleanor Roosevelt girls soccer team poses after their victory over the Parkdale Panthers.

#### Montpelier Offers Scout and Family Day

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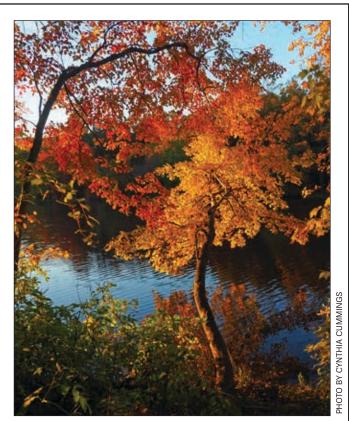
A wonderful week followed by a bitter semifinal loss.

The good news - the Eleanor Roosevelt High School volleyball team blasted through the 4A South regional with methodical wins over Wise, Bowie and Laurel last week. The Raiders won all eight sets against Bowie this season and repeated as 4A South champions. These wins led them to Monday night at Ritchie Coliseum.

A fantastic match but a disappointing loss: The Raiders (19-2) faced Urbana and the teams seemed to match up very well. Roosevelt played a poor first set, adjusting to the first solid defensive team that they'd played

in close to four weeks. But then came the classic - the second set. The set had eight lead changes and both teams had chances to win the set at the end. Urbana finally prevailed 31-29. And they followed that with a 25-21 win in the third set, preventing the Raiders from appearing in the championship match for the first time since 2001. Urbana's Trinity Burge played both outside hitter and setter, amassing an astounding 18 kills, 17 assists, and 14 digs. She willed her team to the win.

Roosevelt graduates five seniors but will return plenty of talent in 2019 including Jourdan Page who led the team with 171 kills.



Fall foliage at the Lake

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No count is available for Greenbelt early voting, but there is no reason to believe it would differ significantly from that of the county.

Absentee and provisional ballots are also treated as separate counts and there is no information on Greenbelters who voted that way. Statewide, about three percent of the votes cast were absentee or provisional ballots.

Democrats might wish to take note that the strongest support for their candidates was in the Springhill Lake and Turning Point Academy precincts. But at 34 percent each, these precincts had the lowest voter turnout rates.

#### Results

U.S. Senator Ben Cardin, Democrat, easily won re-election in the state with 64 percent of the vote, in the county with 90 percent and in the city with 87 percent. His strongest support in the city came from Springhill Lake Elementary School at 94 percent and his weakest at Greenbelt Elementary at 78 percent.

Steny Hoyer was once again elected to the Fifth Congressional District seat, capturing 86 percent of the Greenbelt vote and 87 percent of the district vote. With the Democrats winning a majority of Congressional seats nationwide, Hoyer is expected to become Majority Leader of Congress as Nancy Pelosi steps up to be Speaker of the House, positions the pair previously held from 2001 to 2003.

With strong support from Greenbelt and the county, Maryland Comptroller Peter Franchot and Attorney General Brian Frosh coasted to re-election. Nearly three times as many voters in Greenbelt cast ballots for Republican Hogan than for either Republican challenger to these two state offices, an indication of the large number of Democrats who supported Hogan.

#### **School Board**

There was only one race resulting in the defeat of an incumbent – that for the District 2 member of the Board of Education. In that non-partisan race, challenger Joshua Thomas beat out incumbent Lupi Grady by 14 points. Thomas won all Greenbelt precincts, but his margin of victory was only two votes at Greenbelt Elementary School as compared to 330 votes in Precinct 21-18, Turning Point Academy (southern Greenbelt East). Citywide he won by a 10-point margin.

#### **County Elections**

Franklin and Calvin Hawkins easily won election, with their Republican challenger gaining 14 percent of the Greenbelt vote. Unopposed, District Four Councilmember Todd Turner was reelected.

In the race to elect three delegates from Maryland Legislative District 22, all incumbents were re-elected with Tawanna Gaines being well ahead of Anne Healey and Alonzo Washington in Greenbelt and also in the district, but by a smaller margin. Republican challenger Winnie Obike received 12 percent of the Greenbelt vote. Paul Pinsky was re-elected to another term as that district's State Senator, taking 93 percent of the vote against Libertarian Lauren Drew.

#### **Ballot Questions**

The 11 county ballot questions were all approved as were two state questions. Greenbelt voters strongly supported Question 1 to require that proceeds from legalized gambling supplement other funds allocated for public

education. Ballot Question 2, to allow voting registration on the same day as the election, passed by a somewhat smaller margin, with the two Greenbelt Center precincts exhibiting greater opposition to it than in other city precincts.

2018 Gubernatorial Election--Greenbelt Precincts (Unofficial Results for All Ballots Counted at Polling Places)

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	21-3 Community Center		21-6 Greenbelt Elementary		21-8		21-13		21-18				All	All
					Springhill Lake Elementary		Eleanor Roosevelt High School		Turning Point Academy		Five Precincts		All County/ District	All State/ District
Offices/Candidates	Votes	%	Votes	%	Votes	%	Votes	%	Votes	%	Total	%	%	%
Governor			L	1				. <u> </u>	I	ı	I			
Hogan/Rutherford - Republican *	415	30%	442	39%	172	16%	226	22%	234	25%	1,489	26%	28%	57%
Jealous/Turnbull - Democratic	936	68%	676	59%	902	83%	795	77%	672	72%	3,981	73%	71%	43%
Quinn/Smith - Libertarian	10	1%	5	<1%	10	1%	2	0%	6	1%	33	<1%	<1%	<1%
Schlakman/Chambers - Green	18	1%	7	1%	3	<1%	4	0%	2	<1%	34	<1%	<1%	<1%
Comptroller														
Phukan - Rep.	177	13%	190	17%	66	6%	70	7%	70	8%	573	10%	9%	28%
Franchot - Dem. *	1,168	84%	906	79%	990	91%	972	94%	832	90%	4,868	87%	91%	72%
Attorney General														
Wolf - Rep.	159	11%	207	18%	51	5%	69	7%	62	7%	548	10%	9%	36%
Frosh - Dem. *	1,197	86%	901	79%	1,021	94%	945	91%	842	91%	4,906	88%	91%	64%
U.S. Senator														
Campbell - Rep.	142	10%	160	14%	34	3%	65	6%	56	6%	457	8%	7%	31%
Cardin - Dem. *	1,186	86%	889	78%	1,019	94%	939	91%	838	90%	4,871	87%	90%	64%
Vohra - Lib.	13	1%	15	1%	8	1%	5	<1%	7	1%	48	1%	<1%	1%
Simon - Unaff.	26	2%	51	4%	18	2%	10	1%	10	1%	115	2%	2%	3%
U.S. Congress - 5th District														
Devine - Rep.	136	10%	153	13%	30	3%	55	5%	51	5%	425	8%	10%	28%
Hoyer - Dem. *	1,135	82%	876	77%	1,018	94%	947	92%	837	90%	4,813	86%	87%	70%
Pulcher - Lib.	14	1%	25	2%	11	1%	7	1%	11	1%	68	1%	<1%	1%
Elder - Grn.	85	6%	66	6%	20	2%	9	1%	12	1%	192	3%	1%	1%
State Senator - District 22									·					
Pinsky - Dem. *	1176	85%	932	82%	1011	93%	938	91%	843	91%	4,900	88%	93%	
Drew - Lib.	141	10%	131	11%	55	5%	57	6%	46	5%	430	8%	7%	
House of Delegates District 22 (3 elec	cted) **													
Obike - Rep.	197	14%	224	20%	63	6%	88	9%	91	10%	663	12%	5%**	
Gaines - Dem. *	1,039	75%	807	71%	883	81%	827	80%	741	80%	4,297	77%	34%**	
Healey - Dem. *	962	69%	797	70%	713	66%	709	69%	631	68%	3,812	68%	30%**	
Washington - Dem. *	980	71%	821	72%	780	72%	759	73%	676	73%	4,016	72%	31%**	
County Executive														
Alsobrooks - Dem. *	1,195	86%	925	81%	1,015	93%	946	91%	843	91%	4,924	88%	99%	
County Council - At Large (2 elected)	**													
Folarin - Rep.	220	16%	261	23%	76	7%	122	12%	90	10%	769	14%	8%**	
Franklin - Dem. *	920	66%	748	65%	859	79%	775	75%	704	76%	4,006	72%	47%**	
Hawkins - Dem. *	923	67%	714	63%	772	71%	742	72%	657	71%	3,808	68%	45%**	
County Council - District 4														
Turner - Dem. *	1,165	84%	887	78%	1,021	94%	939	91%	825	89%	4,837	87%	99%	
Board of Education Dist. 2 (Non-part	isan)													
Grady	593	43%	362	32%	469	43%	513	50%	258	28%	2,195	39%	43%	
Thomas *	595	43%	637	56%	505	46%	411	40%	588	63%	2,736	49%	57%	
Question 1 - Gambling Revenues														
For *	1,163	84%	939	82%	975	90%	895	87%	787	85%	4,759	85%	93%	
Against	137	10%	130	11%	60	6%	68	7%	59	6%	454	8%	7%	
Question 2 - Same Day Voting, Regis	tation													
For *	1,066	77%	822	72%	917	84%	837	81%	721	78%	4,363	78%	85%	
Against	239	17%	257	23%	120	11%	125	12%	125	13%	866	16%	15%	
Total Voting (unofficial)	1,385		1,142		1,088		1,034		929		5,578			
Total Registration	2,920		2,261		3,178		2,634		2,704		13,697			
Turnout	47%		51%		34%		39%		34%		41%		52%***	N/A

For most county races, there were no challengers to the Democratic candidates, including that for county executive where Angela Alsobrooks won. There was, however, a Republican challenger in a county council race. For the two new at-large positions on the county council, Democrats Mel

precinct votes consist of only votes cast at each polling place, early votes and absentee ballots cast are not included but are included in county/state totals;

Precinct 21-18 includes the residents of Hanover Apartments which are not located within the Greenbelt city limits;

precinct percentages are percent of all ballots cast for each precinct, not votes cast only for that office;

county and state percentages are percentage of total votes cast for each office, resulting in higher percentages for offices where many voters abstained from voting;

\*\* county percentages are not adjusted for multiple votes being cast to elect 3 state delegates and 2 at-large county councilmembers.

\*\*\* state and county tallies include early voting but apparently do not report absentee or provisional ballots as of November 10.

