WFMD-930 AM FREDERICK, MD

QUARTERLY ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST THIRD QUARTER, 2008

October 7, 2008

WFMD-930 AM Quarterly Issues / Programs List Issues

WFMD-930 AM provides its listeners with programming and public service announcements that address issues of concern to our local community. Among the issues determined to be of most concern to the community during the preceding calendar quarter were:

- COMMUNITY ISSUES: The impact of gas prices on local tourism dollars and local festivals such as Festival of the Greens and In The Streets. Also Chase Hilgenbrinck discusses his decision to give up soccer and attend Mount Saint Mary University Seminary to become a Catholic priest.
- EDUCATIONAL: Hood College will be preparing for their Fall 2008 Semester, along with Frederick Community College, Mount Saint Mary's University, and Frederick County Public School's starting their year without teacher's contracts.
- ENTERTAINMENT: The Weinberg Center talks about their new season and renovations, also their Capital Project that kicks off in September.
- ENVIRONMENTAL: Mt. Airy's single stream recycling and plans to go countywide with the concept.
- FINANCIAL: A reminder that folks can still get their IRS stimulus checks, and a discussion of Bill Pratt's book to instruct college students on the principals of personal finance.
- HEALTH: A discussion of teenage smoking and the CDC's recently issued report.
- PUBLIC AWARENESS: Slot machines and their impact on Maryland, how local groups are assisting the poor in Frederick during tight economic times, the arguments regarding the death penalty in Maryland, The mission of local group CASA De Maryland, and the importance of emergency preparedness.

WFMD QUARTERLY ISSUES 3rd QUARTER 2008

WFMD PUBLIC AFFAIRS SHOW, airs Saturday 7-7:30am

ISSUE	PROGRAM/TITLE	DESCRIPTION	DATE/TIME	DURATION
Public Awareness	Slot Machines	Discussion centered around slot Machines. Josh Cohen of Anne Arrundel County outlined reasons for	07/05/08 7:00 am r opposing slots	30 min.
Environmental	Single Stream Recycling	Commissioner Gray talks about Mt. Airy's single stream recycling, and Plans to take Countywide in the Fall	07/5/08 7:00 am	30 min.
Health	Teenage Smoking	Discussion centered on reaction to CDC report that decline in teen Smoking had flattened and what program in place to discourage teens from	5	30 min.
Entertainment	The Weinberg Theater's New Season and Renovations	S Discussion on performances coming for 2008/09 season and renovations taking place in theater	07/19/08 7:00 am	30 min.
Financial	IRS Stimulus Checks	A reminder to some folks they can Still obtain their stimulus checks if They have not done so	07/19/08 7:00 am	30 min.
Community Issues	Tourism	The impact of gas prices on local Tourism, and also the progress on Developing new visitor's center	07/26/08 7:00 am	30 min.
Educational		Centers on enrollment at Hood, and whether the school has facilities to Serve increasing number of students	08/09/08 7:00 am	30 min.

Public Awareness	Assisting Poor in Frederick During Tight Economic Times	Talking about the increasing number of people needing help during the economic downturn	08/02/08 7:00 am	30 min.
Educational	Frederick Community College	Dr. Eaton talks about the upcoming Fall 2008 Semester scheduled to begin On August 25 th	08/09/08 17:00 am	30 min.
Public Awareness	Death Penalty in Maryland	Vickie Shebert talking about her feelings on death penalty and the Commission Studying the Death Pena Report due Dec. 15th to the Governor	08/16-17/08 7:00 am ltys's	30 min.
Educational	Preparing for the First Day of School	How the school system gets ready for the 2008/09 academic year without the Board of Education having a contract	e7:00 am	30 min.
Educational	2008/09 School Year at Mount Saint Mary's University	Dr. Powell talks about enrollment projections, how the school is getting ready for new academic year, and the school's Catholic character		30 min.
Public Awareness	The Mission CASA De Maryland	Discussion of work done by CASA De Maryland on behalf of immigrants And about resistance CASA De Mary	7:00 am	30 min.
Public Awareness	Emergency Preparedness Month	Discussion centered around the importance of developing an Emergency plan and having an emerg	09/06/08 7:00 am gency kit	30 min.
Entertainment	Weinberg Center Capital Project	Discussion centered around the Capital Campaign which kicks off on Friday, Sept. 19th	09/13/08 7:00 am	30 min.
Community Issues	Festival of the Greens	Festival of the Greens is a new Public Art project and how citizens can Participate	09/13/08 7:00 am	30 min.
Community Issues	In The Street	Planning and preparation for the	09/20/08	30 min.

		In The Street festival	7:00 am	
Community Issues	Chase Hilgenbrinck	Talks about why he decided to give Up soccer and become a Catholic	09/27-28/08 7:00 am	30 min.
		Priest. He is attending Mount Saint I University Seminary	Mary	
Financial	A Book to Instruct College Students on the Principals of Personal Finance	Bill Pratt talked about some college students not knowing about personal finance and his book entitled, "Extra Credit the 7 Things Every And Cash"		30 min. now About Credit, Debt,

PSA 3rd QUARTER—PUBLIC AWARENESS 00:00 TO 23:59 MON-SUN

54 hours quarterly local news 36 hours quarterly local traffic 22 hours quarterly local weather

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Backcountry Dutch: German Heritage and Decorative Arts in Frederick County, an exhibition exploring the influence of eighteenth and nineteenth century German immigrants on the culture of Frederick County, will inaugurate the new special exhibitions gallery at the Museum of Frederick County History. There will be a preview on Friday evening from 7pm till 9pm and the exhibit will run through November. The event will feature an outdoor beer garden, German music and a book signing by Margaret Denton, author of Frederick County German Heritage. The opening event is free and the public is welcome to attend. The Museum of Frederick County History is located at 24 East Church Street in Frederick and for more information please call 301.663.1188 or visit www.hsfcinfo.org

June 28th thru July 6th

The Kutztown Folk Festival will be held at the fairgrounds in Kutztown, PA. The family-oriented festival that celebrates Pennsylvania Dutch folklife, now in it's 59th year, is the oldest continuing folklife festival in America. For more information please call 888.674.6136 or 610.683.1597

Wednesday, July 2nd

The Historical Society of Frederick County's monthly discussion group, First Wednesday Genealogy, will meet from 10am till noon. They will meet on the first Wednesday of each month at the Frederick County Archives & Research Center, located at 24 E. Church Street in Frederick. This program is offered free of charge to Historical Society of Frederick County members. For non-members, the usual \$3 daily research fee will apply. Reservations are not necessary. For more information please call Marie Washburn at 301.663.1188 or email mwashburn@hsfcinfo.org

Thursday, July 3rd

The Great Frederick Float sets sail from 5pm till 9pm at Carroll Creek Linear Park. Developed by several volunteers including a Downtown Frederick merchant and Downtown residents, the Great Frederick Float offers an evening of fun, children's activities, live entertainment and a boat parade along Carroll Creek. Human-powered boats decorated in red, white and blue by families, businesses and nonprofits will be ready to compete for your vote starting at 5pm. For more information please call 301.698.8118 or visit www.downtownfrederick.org

The National Museum of Civil War Medicine will be presenting a free lecture series in their lecture hall. The lecture series will take place every Thursday night in July and August at 7:30pm. Admission is free, but space is limited and is first come, first served. The series begins with a presentation by Museum Executive Director George Wunderlich, titled *Sex in the Civil War*. For more information on the lecture series please call 301.695.1864 or email education@civilwarmed.org

Friday, July 4th

The Gaithersburg Independence Day celebration will be held from 5pm till 9:45pm. Bring a blanket, bring a picnic and bring the whole family to the Montgomery County Fairgrounds, featuring the Powerhouse Band. The fireworks start at dusk. No cars will be allowed in the Fairgrounds. Walk in at Chestnut or Dalamar Streets, the Perry Parkway entrance to the fairgrounds will be closed. In the event of rain, the fireworks will be held on Saturday, July 5th. For more information please call 301.258.6350 or visit www.gaithersburgmd.gov

The Friends of Mullinix Park will sponsor Founders Day / July 4th Celebration from noon till 6pm at the park. There will be games for kids, face painting, a DJ, line dancing, and karaoke. There will also be food and drinks available. Bring a lawn chair, and for more information please call Lynda Weedon at 301.662.7762

Saturday, July 5th

The Mount Airy Lions Club will a will sponsor a July 5th Jam at the Jimmie Cone a benefit car show from 4pm till 9pm at the "Jimmie Cone" ice cream store located at Rt. 144 and South Main Street, Mount Airy. The proceeds from the event will benefit 11 year old Jacqueline Hobbs who is currently under treatment for cancer. For more information please call 301.418.1041 or 301.829.2112

The Skyline Boys Quartet from Purcellville, VA will be performing at the First Baptist Church of Sharpsburg in Keedysville. The church is located on Rt. 34 between Boonsboro and Sharpsburg, and the concert is free and brings at 6pm. For more information please call Pastor Tom Crogan at 301.432.6138

Harpers Ferry National Historical Park invites visitors to experience America's Picnic: Celebrating the Glorious Fourth. This special event showcases a Harpers Ferry of the past – an 1860 town decked out in patriotic finery to celebrate Independence Day. Volunteers and staff in historic costuming will help set the mid-century scene. For more information please call the Information Center at 304.535.6029. Events start at noon.

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The Division of Fire and Rescue Services for Frederick County MD has an open hiring process for Firefighter-Recruit candidates. This is a full-time, career entry-level placement, with no experience required. To apply for Firefighter-Recruit, bring a completed Frederick County Employment Application form and your driver's license to the written examination at Tuscarora High School. Minimum age requirement is 19 ½ years on the written exam date. Other requirements include high school graduation (or the equivalent) and a valid driver's license. Up to 150 applicants will be accepted on each of those 2 testing dates. To learn more about this exciting career opportunity and get the necessary forms to become a candidate, visit the Frederick County website at www.co.frederick.md.us/jobs or call Frederick County Division of Human Resources at 301.600.1070

The Celebrate Damascus Kick Off Parade will be held starting at 7pm on Friday at Damascus High School (line up at 6pm). Heading down Rt. 27 to the Damascus Volunteer Fire Dept. Carnival Grounds on Lewis Drive. Community groups, local businesses, tractors, fire engines, classic cars, bands and more will join together. Afterwards, stay for free live entertainment and food for sale by Damascus Volunteer Fire Dept. On Saturday, there will be a Flea Market and Car & Truck Cruise In and Display for all makes of vehicles at Damascus Chevy, 26100 Woodfield Road in Damascus from 10am till 4pm. Admission is free and the first 200 registered cruisers get a dash plaque and goodie bag. Other activities include oldies music, raffles, games, food and a community flea market. For the parade call Tammy Newman at 301.253.3464, for the flea market call Jerry Warfield at 301.253.5690, or visit the website at www.hmccc.50g.com

Also on Saturday there will be an oldies dance from 8pm till midnight. Entertainment will be by The Shades and the cost is \$15 per person. Advance purchase is suggested. For more information, or for tickets, please call Linda at 301.829.0171 or Tammy at 301.253.3464

Saturday, July 12th

Fox Haven Farm in Jefferson will hold their Growing Green Field Day from 10am till 3pm. This event is free and open to the public. Enjoy presentations, demonstrations and tours on environmentally friendly practices on this organic farm. Come and meet local producers and learn how to purchase food grown responsibly and locally. For directions and more information please visit www.marylandsmallfarmcoop.com

"The Rocky Horror Picture Show" returns to the Weinberg Center for the Arts in true Rocky Horror style. The evening includes live music, a costume contest, and free make-up provided by The Temple: A Paul Mitchell Partner School. Doors open at 9:30pm and the evening will being with music by local band Plaeground, the costume contest at 11:15pm, a special performance by The Satanic Mechanics, and the movie at midnight. Tickets are \$8 for adults, \$6 for students and seniors. The movie is rated R. To purchase tickets, call the Weinberg Center for the Arts at 301.600.2828 or stop by the Box Office Tuesday thru Friday from 10am till 4pm and on Saturday from 10am till 2pm. Tickets are also available online at www.weinbergcenter.org

St. Joseph's Sodality is sponsoring a Yard, Bake and Food Sale from 8am till 2pm at St. Joseph's Parish Hall on DePaul Street in Emmitsburg. Donations of yard sale items or baked goods may be dropped off at the hall Thursday and Friday evening from 6pm till 8pm.

The Brunswick Eagles Club will host a Breast Cancer Charity BINGO. Doors open at 4:30pm and bingo starts at 6pm. Tickets can be purchased at the door for \$20.

Saturday, July 12th and Sunday, July 13th

The 13th Annual Catoctin Challenge Bicycle Ride to benefit Habitat for Humanity will be held. As in years past, there will be an option of a short or long ride. The long ride will be held on Saturday, and the long on Sunday. On Saturday night, dinner will be provided and there will be three bands including Joe Grushecky and the Houserockers from Pittsburgh, along with the annual Catoctin Challenge's "Jeanette & Linda Show". For more information please call Teri at 301.698.2449 or email her at teri@frederickhabitat.org

Rose Hill Manor Park will hold their 4th Annual Civil War Encampment. On Saturday, the event will be from 10am till 4pm and on Sunday from 10am till 3pm. Admission is \$3 per person. There will be living history demonstrations, music, Manor tours, and children's activities. The battle will be at 2pm on both days, a church service at 10:30am on Sunday, and evening camp tours from 7pm till 9pm on Saturday. Rose Hill Manor Park is located at 1611 North Market Street, and for more information please call 301.600.1650 or visit www.rosehillmuseum.com

The 15th Annual Howard County Pow-Wow will be from 11am till 7pm on Saturday, and from 11am till 6pm on Sunday. This is dedicated to the memory of George "Sonny" Jacobs (Lumbee Tribe). Admission is \$5 for ages 3-12 and \$8 for ages 13 and up. This is a rain or shine event. For more information please all the show promoter at 252.257.5383 or email powwow@vance.net or call the Howard County Fairgrounds at 410.442.1022

Monocacy National Battlefield will hold "A Soldier's Life on Campaign" for the 144th Anniversary of the Battle of Monocacy. They will hold a living history event at the Gambrill Mill Farm featuring Union and Confederate encampments similar to those during General Jubal Early's raid on Washington. There will be artillery demonstrations at 1pm on both days, and infantry demonstrations throughout the day. The visitor center will be open from 8:30am till 5pm and the event programs start at 10am. This is not a reenactment and the event is free.

Sunday, July 13th

The Union Mills Homestead will host its Annual Ice Cream Sundae Social from 1pm till 4pm. The Littlestown Municipal Band will provide the music, a clown, face painting, and wagon rides will provide the fun. The gift shop and blacksmith shop will be open and stoneground flours from the historic Shriver Grist Mill will also be available. Guided tours of the Shriver Homestead and Grist Mill will being at 12noon for a small fee. Come, bring the family, and enjoy the day along the millrace at the Union Mills Homestead located 7 miles north of Westminster and 14 miles south of Gettysburg. For more information please call 410.848.2288

July 15th, 22nd and 29th

The U-13 Maryland Predators Baseball team will be conducting tryouts for the 2008 Fall and 2009 Spring season. Tryouts will be held at Lewistown Elementary School and dedicated players that are committed to playing travel baseball won't want to miss this opportunity. Try-outs are for players that were born on or after May 1, 1995. For more information or to register please email predatorsbaseball@comcast.net or Tim Wiles at 240.215.3737

Saturday, July 19th

Mt. Tabor Church of Rocky Ridge will hold a festival at Mt. Tabor Park, home of the big slide. There will be good home-cooked food, soup, sandwiches, homemade pies, ice cream and tea starting at 4pm. There will also be games, including bingo, and music by Blue Grass Chapel Band starting at 7pm.

Taney House to host *A Milliner's Trade* from 10am till 4pm. Lynnette Miller from Miller's Millinery in Lancaster, PA will demonstrate the art of historic millinery. These activities are included in regular admission of \$3 for adults, and all children are free. The Roger Brooke Taney House is located at 121 South Bentz Street in Frederick. For more information please call 301.663.7880

Walkersville High School's Marching Lions will hold a car wash outside the MyBank branch on Rt. 26 at Monocacy Boulevard from noon till 4pm. People are invited to bring their vehicles to be cleaned for a \$5 donation. All proceeds support the award-winning marching band, which competes in the Tournament of Bands circuit. Fundraisers like this each season help to pay for transportation and equipment. For more information please all Vivian Laxton at 301.845.0286

Graceham Moravian Church, located at 8231 Rocky Ridge Road in Thurmont, will be holding a Peach Festival from 4pm till 8pm. Food will be available including fried chicken platters, sandwiches, peach pies and ice cream. There will also be games for children and live music. For more information please call 301.271.2379

The Glade Valley Grange will sponsor a Community Yard Sale at the WalMart parking lot on Rt. 26. Set up starts at 8am. To reserve spaces the cost is \$10 for a single and \$15 for a double, and please contact Joany Jackman at 301.845.8917 for more information. All the community is welcome to participate and all proceeds support the local community for educational events, scholarships and community charities.

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Sunday, July 20th

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Sunday, July 27th

Trinity Lutheran Church, located at 16 North Main Street in Smithsburg, will have Vacation Bible School from the 27th through Thursday, July 31st. It will be each day from 6:15pm till 8pm, and a light dinner will be served from 5pm till 6pm. The theme is A Blast from the Past. For more information please call Pam Staley, Director, at 301.766.4746 or the church office at 301.624.7460

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Crayons

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Wednesday, July 30th

Mother Seton School will be holding an open house from 11am till 2pm and from 5pm till 7pm. Mother Seton offers a quality education in a loving Catholic Christian environment with classes for Pre-K through grade 8. Bus transportation, before and after care, financial aid and specials are offered. All faiths are welcome. For more information about the school please visit www.mothersetonschool.org or call 301.447.3161

Gilchrist Hospice Care-Howard County location, located at 5537 Twin Knolls Road, Suite 433 in Columbia will sponsor a 60 minute session titled "Understanding Grief" from 5pm till 6pm. This session will help participants understand the long lasting feelings and what to expect after a loved one dies. The program is free but pre-registration is required. To register, or for more information, please call Hospice of Howard County at 410.730.5072

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Friday, August 1st

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Saturday, August 2nd

The Annual Garfield United Methodist Church Picnic will be held from 11am till 4pm. Entertainment for the day will be provided by the Down Home Gospel Singers. Items available at the food stand will include pit beef and country ham sandwiches, French fries, steamers, hot dogs, homemade soups, ice cream and an assortment of other mouth watering delights. There will also be baked goods and a "white elephant" table. The picnic area is located on Garfield Road at the intersection of Brandenburg Hollow Road, which is just north of Wolfsville. In case of rain, the picnic will be held at the church on Stottlemyer Road about one mile from the picnic area. The public is welcome. Come early and bring a friend.

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The Silver Run-Union Mills Lions Club and The Union Mills Homestead will host their 38th Annual Old Fashioned Corn Roast Festival from 11am till 5pm, rain or shine. The price for the meal ticket is \$12 for adults, \$6 for children. The meal includes a serving

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Thursday, August 7th thru Sunday, August 10th

The Vicksburg Quartet of Duncansville, PA will sponsor their 33rd annual Pennsylvania State Singing Convention at the Morrisons Cove Memorial Park in Martinsburg, PA. Admission and parking is free and their will be concession stands on the grounds. Camping sites will also be available for \$13-\$16 per site per night. Folks are reminded to bring lawn chairs. The event starts at 6pm on Thursday and ends at 10 on Sunday. For more information please call 814.695.9356, email pssc.mb.net or visit http://pssc.nb.net

Friday, August 8th

Habitat for Humanity of Frederick County's Women Build Committee will sponsor a summer basket bingo at the Vigilant Hose Company Fire Hall, located at 25 West Main Street in Emmitsburg. The doors open at 5:30pm and the games will start at 7pm. Advance tickets are \$20 and tickets at the door are \$25. There will be 20 regular games, four special games and two raffles. All baskets will be filled. For more information please call Lisa Wease at lisalabanana@yahoo.com for seat reservations. And for further information please visit www.frederickwomenbuild.com

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Saturday, August 9th

There will be a fried chicken and country ham dinner, served buffet style, from 12:30pm till 6pm. This event will be all you can eat plus dessert, and it will be held at Providence UMC Fellowship Hall, located at 3735 Kemptown Church Road in Monrovia. The cost is \$10 for adults to eat in, \$11 for carryout, \$5 for children ages 6-10, and children under 6 eat free. The Browningsville Band will be performing at 6pm from the pavilion. Bring along your lawn chairs. There will also be baked goods for sale and refreshments available at the concert.

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Sunday, August 10th

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Monday, August 11th

The University of Maryland Cooperative Extension Frederick County Office will host a free presentation for Frederick County homeowners at the Extension Office on Montevue Lane from 6pm till 8pm. They will provide resources and tips on foreclosure prevention and the Agency's foreclosure assistance program. Information will also be provided on refinancing and bankruptcy procedures. A question and answer period will follow, along with the opportunity for one on one time with individual presenters as time allow. For more information or to reserve a space, please call 301.600.1599

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Tuesday, August 19th

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Thursday, August 21st

The National Museum of Civil War Medicine will hold a discussion on Lincoln's Gettysburg Address at 7:30pm. The lecture is free and will be held at the Museum. Seating is limited. For more information please call 301.695.1864 or visit www.civilwarmed.org

Thursday, August 21st thru Saturday, August 23rd

All Saints' Episcopal Church will hold their 10th Annual Book Sale from 10am till 7pm on Thursday, 10am till 5pm on Friday, and from 10am till 1pm on Saturday. Please use the Court Street entrance and for more information please call 301.668.2826

Saturday, August 23rd

Faith Christian Fellowship will host free Homeschool Informational Seminars. 9am till 10:15am will be for people considering homeschooling, and 10:30am till 1:30pm will discuss curriculum options. Sessions will be presented by Amy Huffman, owner of Home and School Connection Educational Stores. The church is located at 16726 Lappans Road in Williamsport, and for more information please call 301.766.0699

Sunday, August 24th

Faith Baptist Church will be holding their Community Picnic from 1pm till 6pm. The church is located at 2212 Jefferson Pike in Knoxville, MD. There will be family activities for all ages, basketball, volleyball, a waterslide and lots more. This event is free, and for more information please call 301.834.7755

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Applications accepted:

May 1st thru August 1st

Donations accepted:

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County-Wide Yard Sales to benefit the PPF, Inc.

P.O. Box 3683

Frederick, MD 21705-3683

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You can also call 301.526.6285. Private lessons at the FCHS are also available. For more information please call 301.694.8300 or visit www.fchs.org

Amateur artwork wanted for exhibit. Capture the beauty of one of America's national treasures – Monocacy National Battlefield – on canvas or through the lens of your camera! You don't have to be a professional to exhibit your masterpiece! Fifteen amateur photographs, sketches, or paintings will be selected for exhibit in the park visitor center during the month of March 2009. All artists/photographers must visit the park during regular hours of operation and remain in the areas open to the general public. Criteria for entry and selection include:

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auction during the event as well. The event will be from 7pm till 11pm, with doors opening at 6:30pm. There will be thousands of dollars in prizes, and for more information please email <u>texaspoker@ymail.com</u>

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The Erik Lerch Foundation is sponsoring a fundraising quarter auction to benefit Jacqueline Hobbs, who has been diagnosed with Neuroelastoma. The event will be held at 7pm sharp. The doors open at 6pm. It will be held at St. James Church, located at 1307 North Main Street in Mt. Airy. The cost is \$15, and you will receive \$10 in quarters when you arrive. There will be over 80 items to be auctioned and multiple vendors present with their products. For tickets or for more information please call Charlene Sterner at 443.277.5485 or Judy Gue at 240.674.1961

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Saturday, September 6th

Marvin Chapel United Methodist Church and Kids Come First Pre-school present a "Back to School Jamboree" from 9am till 2pm. There will be children's activities, a petting zoo, and food available. The church is located 1 mile north of Md. Rt. 144 on Woodville Road at Plane #4. Thrift Store will also be open. Raindate for the event is Saturday, Sept. 13th from 9am till 2pm.

Go around the world in 15 blocks from 5pm till 9pm as part of the September First Saturday in Downtown Frederick. This new international theme is designed to give visitors a cultural experience as they explore what Downtown Frederick has to offer. The evening includes international music, dancers, and activities from countries and regions from around the world including France, Asia,

Greece, Central South America and more. Start the evening in England at Carroll Creek and feel like royalty with a crown making activity. Next, travel to India on the 0-99 block of South Market Street where saris will be on display and henna tattooing will be available for a small fee. At the Square Corner, visitors will have a hard time deciding what country to visit next. In Australia, the first block of W. Patrick Street, visitors can hear the sounds of traditional Australian instruments. Guests can take a right to the first block of E. Patrick and visit Germany to enjoy a "stein-making" activity and build or tear down the Berlin Wall. First Saturday attendees can go straight ahead to visit Central South America in the 0-99 block of N. Market to watch flamenco dancing demonstrations and learn more about the Frederick Sister Cities' Brazil Day. There will also be much, much more! For more information please contact Downtown Frederick Partnership at 301.698.8118 or visit www.downtownfrederick.org

Tranquility Farm Equestrian Education and Renewal Center in Thurmont will be hosting a large animal rescue training class from 9am till 4pm. The cost of the class is \$50, which includes lunch. We also ask attendees to donate a Southern States gift card that will go directly to the horses of Tranquility Farm. For more information please call 301.271.3400 or email tqfarm@aol.com

The FSK Mall will hold "Kids are Heroes Day" from 10am till 4pm. Many of the local "heroes" will be there to spread the word about their non-profit causes as well as to collect donations for them. At 1pm there will be a recognition ceremony where all heroes will be given a certificate up on stage. These children are mostly from various elementary and middle schools located in Frederick County. For more information please visit www.kidsareheroes.com

Dove nominated Seventh Day Slumber will headline the Third Annual Picnic in the Park. This event is a completely free picnic and concert for Frederick City and the surrounding areas hosted by the Frederick Church of the Brethren. This year's picnic will include three great bands. Seventh Day Slumber from Nashville, Reilly from Philadelphia, and Frederick Church of the Brethren's own Living Water Band. In addition there will be moon bounces, children's games and free food. The event will be held from 3pm till 7pm on Baker Park and for more information please call 301.662.1819

The second annual charity ride to benefit the Parent-Child Center in Hagerstown will take place starting at 11am. The ride will leave the Improved Order of Red Men, Tribe 84 on Route 68 in Williamsport. Registration opens at 9am and entry cost is \$25 per motorcycle, and \$15 for each passenger. The ride will cover approximately 45 miles, and will end at the Cancun Cantina on Dual Highway in Hagerstown. There will be food, door prizes and a silent auction at Cancun Cantina. For more information please call Mike Hansen at 301.331.0036

St. James Lutheran Church will hold a basket bingo at the Union Bridge Community Center, with doors opening at 5:30pm and games starting at 7pm. Tickets cost \$10 in advance and \$12 at the door. There will also be light fare available. For more information, or to purchase tickets, please call Stephanie at 410.635.6872 or Pam at 410.635.6626

Washington County Hospital and the American Heart Association will host free screenings from 8am till 11am at Elgin Station Community Center in Hagerstown. Adults 18 and older can be screened to determine risk of diabetes and cardio-vascular disease. Blood will be drawn to test for cholesterol and blood sugar. In order to have your blood checked, you must be fasting from food or

drink, except water and prescribed medicine, for 14 hours before the event. Blood pressure checks, weight and body mass index, and health information will also be included. A light breakfast will be provided. Registration is encouraged by calling 301.790.8907

The "Music In The Mountains" summer military band concert series concludes on Saturday. The Harpers Ferry National Historical Park and the Harpers Ferry/Bolivar District Veterans Association co-sponsor this immensely popular concert series. The final performance will feature the U.S. Marine Band "Free Country" ensemble. The concert will be held on the Mather Training Center lawn, Fillmore Street, in Harpers Ferry. It is free to the public and begins at 6pm and lasts until approximately 7:30pm. Bring chairs, blankets, and picnic baskets (no alcohol, please) and relax under the majestic trees on the grounds of old Storer College.

St. Benjamin's Luther Church in Westminster will hold a Touch-A-Truck Rally from 11am till 3pm. This is a rain or shine event and is a free community event. The idea involves allowing youngsters to climb into all kinds of trucks, work the horns and talk to the drivers. Children are expected to have a grown up accompany them. There will also be music provided by Mile 9 and food for sale. If you have any questions please call Kristen McMasters at 410.840.0457 or the church office at 410.848.3311

Sunday, September 7th

Tom's Creek United Methodist Church will hold Rally Day and Bring a Friend to Church day at 9:15am. They are located at the intersection of Simmons Rd. and Tom's Creek Church road. Everyone is welcome.

First Baptist Church of Sharpsburg is having a "Singspiration" at 6pm. Featured musical group will be the "Souls of Praise" from Asbury United Methodist Church in Frederick. This is a free event. The church is located along Rt. 34 south of Boonsboro between Keedysville and Sharpsburg. Look for the lighthouse. For more information please contact Pastor Tom Crogan at 301.432.6138

Mountain View Baptist Church in Hagerstown will host The Rochesters from Blacksburg, SC in concert at the 9:30am and 10:30am services. The church will be celebrating its 30th Anniversary that day. Following the 10:30am service will be "Dinner on the Grounds" and at the 7pm service the special singers from Mountain View Baptist Church will be singing. A nursery will be provided for all children under age 4. They church is located at 12107 Walnut Point Road in Hagerstown. For more information please call 301.582.1468 or Interim Pastor Lynn Munson at 301.797.4458. You can also visit www.mountainviewbaptist.com

John R. Webb, VFW Post 3285 and BSA Moose Troop 371 will hold The Patriot Day Flag Retirement from 2pm till 6pm. The event will be held at VFW Post 3285 located at 5901 Old National Pike in Frederick. The event is open to the public and will include a Scout Encampment from 2pm till 5pm, hot dogs and hamburgers from 4pm till 5pm, and the Flag Retirement ceremony from 5pm till 6pm. If you know someone how has a United States Flag that is in need of retirement, please bring it to the Post Home or contact VFW Post 3285 at 301.663.3372 to arrange to have the flag(s) picked up.

Antietam Bible College, Biblical Seminary and Graduate School located at 15 High Street in Hagerstown will start their fall semester on Monday the 8th. Registration is \$40 for full time students and \$30 for part time. Registration for the fall semester will close on September 12th.

Daunted by the college application process? Join Elizabeth Weiss for this interactive question and answer session designed to explore myths and legends surrounding the application process at the University of Maryland at College Park. Learn about recruitment efforts for the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources and the diverse Bachelor of Science majors offered which prepare students for careers in our changing world. Class will be held at the Maryland Cooperative Extension Frederick County Office at 330 Montevue Lane in Frederick. For more information, or for more information, please call 301.600.1599

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Maryland Theatre presents "Wind Down Friday Nights". This musical event will take place, each of the Friday nights listed below, from 5pm till 8pm in the Maryland Theatre court yard and will offer a wide range of talented local entertainment. Gates open at 4:30pm and the entrance fee is \$5 per person. The Maryland Theatre is a non profit organization and proceeds from this event will benefit theater efforts to acquire a new sound system. For more information please visit www.mdtheatre.org

July 25th Jackson Brothers & Van Showe

Aug 1st The Greg Dahbura Band

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The Frederick Foodbank is in need of donations of non-perishable food items, especially pastas, rice, spaghetti or tomato sauce, cereal, canned fish like tuna, and canned meats. The Foodbank is located at 14 East All Saints Street in Frederick and donations should be delivered to the rear loading dock. All donations are tax deductible and monetary donations are also accepted. For more information please call Sarah McAleavy at 301.600.6263 or contact her by email at smcaleavy@cityoffrederick.com

The Frederick County Landmarks Society needs your help with it's annual Schifferstadt Oktoberfest celebration. Sponsors of the event are currently being accepted at all levels. Benefits of sponsoring may include free food and drink passes, your corporate name featured on the Frederick County Landmarks Foundation website, or on the banners at the event, corporate identity in print advertising for Oktoberfest, display areas for your business at this year's welcome desk, and of course the satisfaction of knowing you and your business raised funds to help us Save the Past For Frederick County's Future. If you are interested please call 301.668.6088

The Frederick County Landmarks Society wants your artistic talent to be a part of this year's Schifferstadt Oktoberfest. This fall celebration of German food, drink and music features homemade arts and crafts for display and sale. For a \$150 application fee, your own work can be a part of this annual and popular juried art show. Tables fill up quickly so to get more information please call 301.668.6088

A local Relay For Life team, raising money for the American Cancer Society, is joining Glory Days Grill for a fundraiser. They will be collecting receipts for dine-in or carry-out from September 1st thru March 31st. Glory Days will then donate 10% of the sales to the Relay For Life team. For more information please call Vickie Harmon at 301.360.8865

The Frederick County Humane Society will be holding puppy and dog classes to be held at their large new training facility, located at 217 West Patrick Street in downtown Frederick. All trainers are APDT-certified and classes use positive-reinforcement training methods. Parking is available on the street and behind the facility. Classes begin in September for all training levels. Canine Etiquette is for dogs ages 5 months and up, designed to teach the basics as well as offer older dogs an opportunity to brush up on their training. Puppy Preschool is for puppies between 8 and 20 weeks of age, designed to give puppies time to socialize and learn some basic behaviors that they need to know while owners get advice/help with puppy issues. Rally O classes are now on the schedule for dogs ready to move on with their training. Introduction to Tricks/Agility, Coming When Called and Loose Leash Walking Workshops also will be offered. Most classes run for 7 weeks. In all beginner courses, dogs stay home for the first class so humans can concentrate. To register, or for more information, please visit www.rightstartmaryland.com or email trainer Michelle Mange at rightstartmaryland.com or email trainer Michelle Mange at

You can also call 301.526.6285. Private lessons at the FCHS are also available. For more information please call 301.694.8300 or visit www.fchs.org

Amateur artwork wanted for exhibit. Capture the beauty of one of America's national treasures – Monocacy National Battlefield – on canvas or through the lens of your camera! You don't have to be a professional to exhibit your masterpiece! Fifteen amateur photographs, sketches, or paintings will be selected for exhibit in the park visitor center during the month of March 2009. All artists/photographers must visit the park during regular hours of operation and remain in the areas open to the general public. Criteria for entry and selection include:

- 4. Artwork must be no larger than 16" by 20"
- 5. All photographs must be framed.
- 6. All artwork must be brought to the park visitor center between February 8-14, 2009.

For more information please call 301.662.3515

Wednesday August 13th, 27th and September 17th

The Emmitsburg Food Bank is partnering with the Maryland Food Bank and Priority Partners hosting three food distributions in the Emmitsburg Food Bank parking lot from 4pm till 8pm. No appointments or income guidelines are necessary. Each household will receive no cost information about priority partners, no cost health care programs and a minimum of 20 lbs or food. For more information please call 717.642.6963

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Wednesday, September 10th

The National Museum of Civil War Medicine will host the proclamation of the first Frederick Patriots' Days at 10:30am in front of the Museum at 48 E. Patrick Street in downtown Frederick. The Honorable William J. Holtzinger, Mayor of the City of Frederick will read the proclamation declaring September 10, 11, and 12 as days to honor the Patriotic contributions of Frederick citizens. The dates have been chosen to reflect the contributions of Francis Scott Key, who on Sept. 12th wrote what was to become our National Anthem. The actions of Barbara Fritchie reportedly took place on September 10th, and these acts of gallantry and patriotic zeal bookend September 11th, a day of remembrance for the lives lost in the terrorist attacks on our country. All are welcome to attend this proclamation ceremony and celebration. The National Museum of Civil War Medicine will offer free admission and a 10% discount on purchases at the Museum gift shop to all veterans, active duty and retired military personnel, professional and volunteer Frederick County firefighters and Frederick City, County and State Police Officers. For more information please call 301.695.1864

Thursday, September 11th

Habitat for Humanity of Frederick County is holding the 5th Annual Bob Mulvey Memorial Golf Classic at the Musket Ridge Golf Club in Myersville. Players can register online at www.tournevents.com/index

Slots are filling up fast! For more information please call Bev Shelton, Tournament Director at 301.748.3208 or email at bshelton@frederickhabitat.org

Friday, September 12th

The Historical Society of Frederick County will hold its fourth annual History Symposium, Backcountry Dutch: a German Colonial Heritage Symposium from 9am till 3:15pm at Frederick Community College. The symposium will focus on various aspects of German cultural influences on the region. The symposium fee is \$85, and \$75 for Historical Society members, and registration is

required. Refreshments and lunch are included with registration. Registration forms including more information are available at the Historical Society's Museum of Frederick County History located at 24 East Church Street. For more information please call 301.663.1188 or visit www.hsfcinfo.org

Clear Spring High School FFA Alumni will hold a concert at Clear Spring High School starting at 7pm. The Lewis Family with Bluegrass and Gospel music with opening act by a local group, Not Forgotten. Tickets will be \$10 at the door or \$12 in advance. Tickets can be purchased by calling 301.766.8086 or 301.766.8082

Maryland State Delegate Sue Hecht and Frederick County Commissioner President Jan Gardner will be the featured speakers at a luncheon workshop hosted by the Women's Business Network of Frederick. "Working With Elected Officials: How Do You Get Your Voice Heard? How Do You Get a Seat on the Board?" will address the time, research, and commitment necessary to make a difference in your business and your community. The luncheon will be held at Dutch's Daughter Restaurant from 11:30am till 1:30am. The luncheon is \$25 for members of the WBN, \$40 for non-members, and an additional \$5 for those registering at the door. For more information please call Karen Justice at 301.241.4720 or visit www.wbnfrederick.org

The Fourth Annual Monocacy Montessori Communities Golf Classic will be held to benefit the Monocacy Valley Montessori Public Charter School. Tee time is 12pm. The event will be held at the Glad Valley Golf Club, located at 10502 Glade Road in Walkersville. For more information please call 301.898.5555

Saturday, September 13th

Rose Hill Farm, located at 3223 Old National Pike in Middletown, will hold their End-of-Summer Blues Fest from 5pm till 8pm. Music will be provided by Hard Swimmin' Fish, and food will be provided by Canapes Catering. There will also be games and children's activities, and a huge raffle table with products and gift certificates. Proceeds are to benefit Small Angels Rescue, a nonprofit, all volunteer rescue group for small animals. Tickets will be \$10 for adults, and children 7 and under are free. For more information please call 301.668.0404

The Boonsboro Band Boosters will hold an Ol' Fashioned Carnival from 10am till 6pm behind Alex's Convenience Store off Main Street in Boonsboro. \$1 games include ring toss, tic-tac-toe, lollipop pick, duck pond, fish bowl, and much more! There will be a variety of prizes for all ages. Everyone is welcomed.

Ravenwood Lutheran Village and The Village at Robinwood would like to announce the first Farm Day for area families and seniors to enjoy themselves. This will be a free day of pony rides, barrel train rides, a petting zoo, and all sorts of fun things for the whole family. Ravenwood Village is located behind Food Lion just off Frederick Street in Hagerstown, and the event will be from 9:30am till 12:30pm. For more information please call 301.790.1000

Vietnam Veterans of American, Chapter #304, Frederick County will hold a basket bingo fundraiser at the Woodsboro American Legion. Doors open at 12:30pm and games start at 2pm. Tickets are \$20 and there will also be door prizes and food available. For more information, or to purchase tickets, please call 301.845.4296 or 301.898.8416

St. Stephen's Church will hold their Annual Fall Festival from 2pm until. They are located at 25445 Highfield Road in Cascade. There will be delicious food, a raffle, an auction, balloons for children and live entertainment by David Snader.

St. James Episcopal Church, located at 1307 N. Main Street in Mt. Airy, will hold a fall plant sale from 9am till 3pm. The sale will include mums of various varieties and colors, market packs of winter pansies, asters and ornamental cabbage and kale. The sale will be held outside the church, weather permitting. In the event of inclement weather it will be held inside. For more information please call Susan Winters at 410.489.9323

Pleasant Grove United Methodist Church will hold their Peach Festival starting at 4pm. The church is located at 3425 Green Valley Road in Ijamsville, with chicken and ham platters being served up till 7pm. The Browningsville Band starts playing at 6pm.

Te' & Je' Music will be passing out FREE bookbags filled with free school supplies and free haircut coupons to underprivileged and middle class children at WalMart on Guilford Drive in Frederick. For more information about this event please call Daun-Te R. Dottery St. at 301.693.4407 or email tejemusic@yahoo.com

Mountain View United Methodist Church will hold a yard sale and bazaar from 9am till 3pm. The church is located at 11501 Mountain View Road in Damascus and most every will be \$1 or less. In addition to craft items there will also be gift baskets, canned goods and a bake table. For more information please call 301.831.6139

The Kiwanis Club for Suburban Frederick will hold a silent/live Charity Auction from 6pm till 9:30pm at the Quality Inn (formerly the Holiday Inn) located at 999 W. Patrick Street in Frederick. Proceeds will benefit the club's charitable fund which is a component of the Community Foundation of Frederick County and will aid needy children of Frederick County. Included in the auction will be a 3-day Rehoboth Beach weekend townhome, \$1000 worth of aesthetic medical services, antique prints, sports collectibles, art, automotive services, salon and spa services, P. Buckley Moss, restaurant gift certificates, new golf clubs, golf foursomes, Weinberg tickets, and much more. The cost is \$5 per person which includes soft drinks and hors d'oeuvres. For more information please call 301.228.2279

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Saturday, September 13th and Sunday, September 14th

The Washington County Museum of Fine Arts announces the 2nd Annual Autumn Arts Festival in the Park. Exciting events and activities are scheduled for each site and throughout City Park from 10am till 5pm each day. Food will be available near the WCMFA parking lot all weekend and at other locations throughout the park. For more information please call 301.739.5727

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Sunday, September 14th

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Hospice of Frederick County is holding an educational In-Service from 2pm till 4pm on how food can either positively or negatively impact your mood and energy level as well as your ability to relax when needed most. Sometimes it's as easy as eliminating a few offending culprits, but other times it means we incorporate specifically therapeutic foods. The discussion will include specific foods, meal arrangements, timing of meals, supplements and more. This is a no cost program and will be held at the Hospice of Frederick County office located at 516 Trail Avenue, Suite C. Registration is required. For more information, or to register, please call 240.566.3038 or email dkhara@fmh.org

Thursday, September 18th

Lion's Stadium is looking for MVPs. Most Valuable Patrons (MVPs) who really can save the day by helping to sponsor Walkersville High School's much needed transformation of 32 year old Lion's Stadium into a new Lion's Pride Stadium. Becoming a Walkersville MVP can be as fun and easy as joining friends and neighbors for games, food, and music designed for the whole family right before every home varsity football game. Each fundraising pre-game party benefits the Lion's Stadium Renovation Project. You don't need to pay admission, and you don't need to attend the football game. All you need to do it come have fun. The event will be from 5:30pm till 7pm right before each varsity Lions home football game (9/18, 9/26, 10/10, 10/31, 11/7). For more information please call 443.604.7438

Friday, September 19th

St. Timothy Council 12255 Charities will hold their 4th Annual Charity Golf Classic and Deck Party at Glade Valley Golf Club, located at 10502 Glade Road in Walkersville. Registration starts at noon, with a shotgun start at 1pm. The cost is \$85 per golfer or \$320 for a registered foursome. Fee includes 18 holes, cart, prizes, and admission to the Deck Party which starts at 5:30pm. The Deck Party will include grille-style picnic dinner. For more information please call Dirk Griffin at 301.631.9064 or email dirk@griffwood.net

Or you can call Greg Loss at 301.898.4101 or email him at geloss@comcast.net

Catoctin High School's Wrestling Program will hold a basket bingo at the Thurmont Activities Building. Doors open at 5:30pm and games start at 7pm. Tickets will be \$15 in advance and \$20 at the door. To purchase tickets please call Karen at 301.271.2026 or Michelle at 301.271.1830

Saturday, September 20th

The Winters Mill High School Class of 2009 is holding their second annual bingo fundraiser featuring handbags and accessories by Vera Bradley. The event will be held in the Winters Mill Cafeteria with doors opening at noon and bingo starting at 1pm. Tickets are \$12 in advance and \$15 at the door. For more information please call Wes Winters at 410.386.1500 or email wlwinters@k12.carr.org

Lighthouse Ministries Church of God, located at 28912 Ridge Road between Mt. Airy and Damascus, will hold a flea market from 8am till 3pm. For more information please call Gilbert Shifflett at 301.698.5335 Raindate for the event is Sept. 27th

The Friends of Happy Retreat is sponsoring a tour of four Washington Family Homes located in Jefferson County, WV. It is a little known fact that George Washington and his family helped settle the part of the Shenandoah County that is now Jefferson County, and were instrumental in the development of the county and the county seat, Charles Town. Four of the Washington family homes will be open to the public for a rare look at the Washington legacy in the Shenandoah Valley. Tickets are \$20 in advance, and \$25 the day of the event, and \$8 for an individual home. For more information please call 304.724.7956 or visit www.happyretreat.org Proceeds go to support the operating of Friends of Happy Retreat, a non profit agency dedicated to saving Happy Retreat which is the home of Charles Washington, found of Charles Town, WV and the youngest brother of George Washington.

The 30th Annual Martinsburg Band Spectacular will be held at 3pm. There will be thirteen performing bands, Exhibition bands including MHS Bulldog Band performing "RENT" and The Shepherd University marching Rams. The event will take place at Martinsburg High Coburn Field in Martinsburg, WV. Admission is \$6 for adults, \$4 for students/senior citizens, and ages 5 and under are free. For more information please email bandspectacular@mhsbb.com

The Strong Tower Christian Church is sponsoring a Women's Conference titled "E.S.P.". The conference will focus on Emotional healing, Self empowerment, and Perseverance for women. The event will be held from 10am till 3:30pm at New Dimension Worship Center, located at 919 North East Street, Suite B in Frederick. Admission is free and a luncheon will be provided at no cost to participants. Reservations must be made by calling 301.706.2942

Frederick County Chief of Police Kim Dine and State's Attorney Charlie Smith will be the guest speakers at this year's "So No To Drugs" event at the Frederick Rescue Mission from 5pm till 7:30pm. This event is to bring awareness to the community about the drug problem in the area, as well as educate the local community about the dangers of drugs and alcohol. They also want to bring light to the types of treatment available. It will take place at 419 West South Street in Frederick, and the event is completely free. It will include the guest speakers, live music, children's activities, food and more. For more information please call Emily Moore at 301.695.6633 ext. 222 or email emoore@therescuemission.org

Williamsport Moose Lodge 2462 presents "Teen Night" from 8pm till 11pm. Dance to your favorite tunes by DJD Barthel. All high school age 9th-12th grade students please bring school ID. The cost is \$3 per person, and there will be hot dogs and soft drinks available. Appropriate attire and behavior required or you will be asked to leave. The event will take place at 119 N. Conococheague Street, and for more information please call 301.223.7072

The Indian Association of Frederick is celebrating its annual gala, The Festival of India, at the Frederick Armory in Baker Park from 5pm till 10pm. The event will showcase food, fashion, music, and entertainment representing the Indian sub-continent. The event is being attended by the dignitaries from Frederick and around the area. The event is free for all. Please come and enjoy your Saturday evening and get to know the culture and heritage of India. See the Henna painting, taste the incredible Indian food, and come and join us as we teach you some of the Indian folk dances. We hope to see you there.

The Knights of Columbus will be collecting unused or unwanted bikes, bike parts and accessories, as well as portable electric sewing machines to benefit Bikes for the World. They also request a \$10 donation per bicycle to help defray shipping costs. The collection site will be St. Johns at Prospect Hall located at 889 Butterfly Lane in Frederick. It will be held from 9am till 12pm. For more information please call 301.928.1083

The Rockingham Male Chorus will kickoff their 5:38 Concert Series at Frederick Church of the Brethren. The church is located at 201 Fairview Avenue in Frederick, starting at 5:38pm. This group of over 30 men are traveling from the Shenandoah Valley to share a wonderful evening of worship of music. All are welcome at this free concert. For more information please call 301.662.1819 or visit www.fcob.net

Saturday, September 20th and Sunday, September 21st

The Harpers Ferry National Historical Park invites you to join the park's living history staff and volunteers of the 2nd U.S. Cavalry for special programs from 11am till 4pm and from 12pm till 3pm each day. For more information please call 304.535.6748

Sunday, September 21st

Locust Valley Bible Church will hold Revival Services at 9:30am Sunday School, 10:30am Morning Worship Service, and 7pm Evening Service. Also at 7:30pm Monday through Wednesday. Bringing the special music of the Wyler Family and Rev. Doug Wyler. A staffed cradle roll is available each evening for pre-school aged children. The church is located at 1323 Marker Road in Middletown. For more information please call 301.371.7476

The 16th Annual Car and Truck Show, hosted by the Heart of Maryland Classic Chevy Club, will be held to benefit The Alzheimer's Association of Greater Maryland Chapter. The event will be held at the MVA in Frederick, and car registration and spectator admission is by donation. For more information please call Earl Chesley at 240.446.6657. Please, no tents allowed on blacktop.

Bells Chapel United Methodist Church will hold their Annual Homecoming starting at 11am. Dinners will be served following the morning service. The church is located at 850 Mt. Ephraim Road in Dickerson, MD.

Monday, September 22nd

The Maryland Cooperative Extension Frederick County Office, in partnership with the Frederick Community Action Agency, A HUD-Approved Housing Counseling Agency, will host two free presentations for Frederick County homeowners at the Extension Office on Montevue Lane this fall. The first will be at 7pm and will offer homeowners 62 years and older an opportunity to learn more about Reverse Mortgages as an option to foreclosure. The event will be held at the MCE Frederick County office located at 330 Montevue Lane in Frederick. For more information, or to register, please call 301.600.1599 or email llsmith@umd.edu

The Arc of Frederick County will be on the links at the Hollow Creek Golf Club in Middletown for the 17th Annual Captain's Choice Golf Scramble. The annual event is a large component of the organization's fundraising budget and usually hosts 100-125 golfers. A foursome is \$500 and includes all greens fees, bag drop/cark service, range balls, complimentary beverage cart service, locker room service, continental breakfast, catered luncheon and prizes, prizes. For more information on The Arc services or to play or sponsor please contact Leah Crace-Jones at 301.663.0909

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Wednesday, October 1st 9am-12pm

Thursday, October 2nd 9am-12pm, 6pm-8pm

Friday, October 3rd 9am-12pm

Monday, October 6th 9am-12pm, 6pm-8pm Tuesday, October 7th 9am-12pm, 6pm-8pm

Wednesday, October 8th 9am-12pm

Thursday, October 9th 9am-12pm, 6pm-8pm

Friday, October 10th 9am-12pm

Late applications will be taken on Monday, October 20th from 9am-12pm and 6pm-8pm.

Please bring the following information with you when you come.

For EACH adult in household:

Proof of all income and bills, picture ID or birth certificate, Social Security cards for all adults

For EACH child in household:

Birth certificate or medical card with DOB, Social Security card, clothing and shoe sizes

The Salvation Army is located at 223 West 5th Street in Frederick and please call for more information at 301.662.2311

Let Liberty Play will be holding a Buy a Brick Campaign to purchase playground equipment for Liberty Elementary School. You can purchase a personalized brick that will be displayed in a new patio, located in front of the school. Available brick sizes are 4" x 8" which holds up to 3 lines / 15 characters per line for a cost of \$125, and a 24" x 24" brick that holds up to 8 lines and 20 characters per

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Friday, September 26th

New Midway / Woodsboro Elementary will be hosting it's Family Fall Festival from 4:30pm till 7pm. There will be pony rides, a moon bounce, face painting, arts and crafts, hourly performances, cake walks, games, and lots of food. Everyone is welcome. For more information please call 410.775.1248

Friday, September 26th thru Sunday, September 28th

The Reston Regional Library will hold its semi-annual Used Book Sale at 11925 Bowman Towne Drive in Reston. Hardcover books will being at \$1.50, trade paperback books from \$1 and rack paperback books will be \$.50. There will be thousands of books to choose from and all proceeds benefit the library and its programs. For more information please visit http://restonfriends.blogspot.com Or call 703.860.0125

West Virginia's Mountain Heritage Arts and Crafts Festival will take place from 10am till 6pm on Friday and Saturday and from 10am till 5pm on Sunday. Enjoy attractions including wine tasting and sales for off-premise consumption of selected West Virginia

wines, Bluegrass entertainment and the main feature of the festival, the lovingly created work of approximately 200 juried artists and craftspersons from 23 states. Watch for the familiar Mountain Heritage Arts and Crafts Festival signs and follow them to Sam Michael's Park, just off Rt. 340 between Harpers Ferry and Charles Town. Admission is \$6 for adults, and \$3 for children ages 6-17. For more information please call 800.624.0577 or 304.725.2055

Saturday, September 27th

Nashville songwriter Neal Coty will perform a benefit concert for St. Johns Lutheran Church at 7pm in the Church Sanctuary. Tickets will be \$15 each and for more information please call 301.271.7613

The Auxiliary of the Middletown Volunteer Fire Company will have an all you can eat breakfast from 7am till 10am at the Middletown Fire Hall. The menu will include pancakes, sausage, chip beef gravy, scrambled eggs, fried potatoes, toast, coffee, milk and juice. The cost will be \$6 for adults and \$3 for children.

The Mt. Airy Lions Club will have a yard sale and flea market from 8am till 3pm. The event will be held at the Mt. Airy Volunteer Fire Company Carnival grounds at the intersection of Rt. 27 and Twin Arch Road. Space rental is \$45 the day of the event. Spaces vary in size depending on location. There are also a number of covered spaces available. Food will be served all day. Monies earned from this event are donated back to the community. For more information please call 301.829.LION

The 15th Annual National Public Lands Day will be held at Cunningham Falls State Park in the Manor Area in Thurmont. Volunteers will trim vegetation, clear trails, plant trees, pick up trash, and remove invasive plants. Adults and children of all ages can participate. All volunteers should bring boots, gloves, and insect repellant. The event will be held rain or shine. For more information please call 301.271.7574

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If you have any questions please call Tiffany at 240.784.1148

Saint Anthony's Yard Sale and Flea Market is back. The first Sunday of the month starting in May and running through November. If you wish to rent space it will be \$20 for a 25' by 25' area. If you pay in advance for the season you can save \$20. There are only 45 spaces available. For more information or to reserve your spot please call Leo at 240.529.2737

The Marvin Chapel Thrift Shop is now having a bag sale. Fill a bag with clothing for \$5 (unless specially marked). Hours continue to be 10am till 2pm on Fridays and 9am till 1pm on Saturdays. Marvin Chapel is located at 5101 Woodville Road near Mt. Airy at Plane #4.

The Frederick County Humane Society offers a year round Pet Food Bank for county residents in need of some temporary assistance with feeding their animals. Those needed pet food are encouraged to stop by the new office, located at 217 West Patrick Street in Frederick. Go around to the back door and ring the bell for assistance with the Food Bank. Pet food is available for cats and dogs. Food bank donors are asked to give sealed bags and/or cans. Bags of cat litter are also welcome. For more information please call 301.694.8300 ext. 0 or visit www.fchs.org

The Frederick Soup Kitchen, operated by the Frederick Community Action Agency, is desperately in need of volunteers to staff the soup kitchen and serve food to homeless individuals and needy families. The Frederick Soup Kitchen serves a free evening meal seven days a week to as many as 110 hungry people a night. Volunteers are needed Monday thru Friday from 5pm till 7pm to serve prepared meals and then clean up. Volunteers must be at least 14 years old and are especially needed on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday evenings. For more information or to sign up to volunteer, please call Sarah McAleavy at 301.600.6263 or by email at smcaleavy@cityoffrederick.com

The Frederick Foodbank is in need of donations of non-perishable food items, especially pastas, rice, spaghetti or tomato sauce, cereal, canned fish like tuna, and canned meats. The Foodbank is located at 14 East All Saints Street in Frederick and donations should be delivered to the rear loading dock. All donations are tax deductible and monetary donations are also accepted. For more information please call Sarah McAleavy at 301.600.6263 or contact her by email at smcaleavy@cityoffrederick.com

The Frederick County Landmarks Society needs your help with it's annual Schifferstadt Oktoberfest celebration. Sponsors of the event are currently being accepted at all levels. Benefits of sponsoring may include free food and drink passes, your corporate name featured on the Frederick County Landmarks Foundation website, or on the banners at the event, corporate identity in print advertising for Oktoberfest, display areas for your business at this year's welcome desk, and of course the satisfaction of knowing you and your business raised funds to help us Save the Past For Frederick County's Future. If you are interested please call 301.668.6088

The Frederick County Landmarks Society wants your artistic talent to be a part of this year's Schifferstadt Oktoberfest. This fall celebration of German food, drink and music features homemade arts and crafts for display and sale. For a \$150 application fee, your own work can be a part of this annual and popular juried art show. Tables fill up quickly so to get more information please call 301.668.6088

A local Relay For Life team, raising money for the American Cancer Society, is joining Glory Days Grill for a fundraiser. They will be collecting receipts for dine-in or carry-out from September 1st thru March 31st. Glory Days will then donate 10% of the sales to the Relay For Life team. For more information please call Vickie Harmon at 301.360.8865

Amateur artwork wanted for exhibit. Capture the beauty of one of America's national treasures – Monocacy National Battlefield – on canvas or through the lens of your camera! You don't have to be a professional to exhibit your masterpiece! Fifteen amateur photographs, sketches, or paintings will be selected for exhibit in the park visitor center during the month of March 2009. All artists/photographers must visit the park during regular hours of operation and remain in the areas open to the general public. Criteria for entry and selection include:

- 13. Artwork must be no larger than 16" by 20"
- 14. All photographs must be framed.
- 15. All artwork must be brought to the park visitor center between February 8-14, 2009.

For more information please call 301.662.3515

FCPS parents and guardians are cordially invited to any of the following events to chat with Superintendent Dr. Linda Burgee and learn more about the school system:

Oct. 7th 7pm-8:30pm Walkersville High

Nov. 20th 1pm-2:30pm C. Burr Artz Library (Community Room)

Jan. 13th 7pm-8:30pm Linganore at Oakdale High

The snow date, if needed, will be February 10th from 1pm-2:30pm at 7630 Hayward Road in Frederick.

The Salvation Army will be accepting Christmas Assistance Applications according to the schedule listed below. Toys and clothing will be provided for children birth through 12.

Monday, September 29th 9am-12pm, 6pm-8pm Tuesday, September 30th 9am-12pm, 6pm-8pm

Wednesday, October 1st 9am-12pm

Thursday, October 2nd 9am-12pm, 6pm-8pm

Friday, October 3rd 9am-12pm

Monday, October 6th 9am-12pm, 6pm-8pm Tuesday, October 7th 9am-12pm, 6pm-8pm

Wednesday, October 8th 9am-12pm

Thursday, October 9th 9am-12pm, 6pm-8pm

Friday, October 10th 9am-12pm

Late applications will be taken on Monday, October 20th from 9am-12pm and 6pm-8pm.

Please bring the following information with you when you come.

For EACH adult in household:

Proof of all income and bills, picture ID or birth certificate, Social Security cards for all adults

For EACH child in household:

Birth certificate or medical card with DOB, Social Security card, clothing and shoe sizes

The Salvation Army is located at 223 West 5th Street in Frederick and please call for more information at 301.662.2311

Let Liberty Play will be holding a Buy a Brick Campaign to purchase playground equipment for Liberty Elementary School. You can purchase a personalized brick that will be displayed in a new patio, located in front of the school. Available brick sizes are 4" x 8" which holds up to 3 lines / 15 characters per line for a cost of \$125, and a 24" x 24" brick that holds up to 8 lines and 20 characters per line for a cost of \$500. Business logos are also available, and all inscriptions submitted are subject to FCPS approval. For more information please email letlibertyplay@gmail.com or you can call 240.236.1800

The Way Off Broadway Theatre, Frederick's only year round professional theatre, is abuzz with excitement as it prepares to open the area premier of *Thoroughly Modern Millie*. There will be performances every Friday and Saturday evening and matinees on the 1st, 3rd and 5th Sunday of each month. Friday evening tickets are \$42, Saturday evening tickets are \$44, and Sunday matinee tickets are \$40. For more information please call 301.662.6600 or visit www.wayoffbroadway.com

Thursday, October 2nd

It's not too late to sign up for The Frederick County Commission for Women's Fourth Annual Women's Golf O.P.E.N. at Musket Ridge. Plan on a fun-filled day with lots of prizes, a Beginner's Academy, Champagne reception and dinner. Proceeds will support the Commission's Woman to Woman mentoring program. Call Betsy Pakenas at 301.696.8248 for details.

Would you hit 100 holes of golf for a good cause? Dedicated supporters of The Arc of Frederick County and St. Thomas More Academy are hoping so. The Golf Marathon 100 will be held at the Glade Valley Golf Club in Walkersville. Supporters are looking for 40 golfers who will tee off at dawn to a shotgun start. The goal is for each golfer to play 100 holes of golf at a pace of approximately two hours per round. This may take up to 8 hours. Each golfer finds people to pledge money for each hole they play with the end goal being \$2500 being raised by each golfer. For more information please call Leah Crace-Jones at The Arc of Frederick County at 301.663.0909

Thursday, October 2nd thru Saturday, October 4th

Saint Anthony Shrine in Emmitsburg will be holding a yard and bake sale. Space will be available if you are interested in selling your own items. The cost will be \$15 for one day, \$25 for two days and \$30 for all three days. You must bring your own table or tables. Food and baked goods will be available starting at 8:30am on Friday and Saturday. For more information please call Helen Reaver at 301.447.6431 or the Parish Office at 301.447.2367

Friday, October 3rd

St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Harney, MD will hold their 3rd Annual Basket Bingo at the Harney VFW Post 6918 Pavilion 5801, Conover Road in Taneytown. Doors open at 5:30pm and the first game starts at 7pm. For more information, or to purchase tickets please call 410.756.2613 or 717.359.7919. The tickets are \$12 per person.

Friday, October 3rd thru Sunday, October 5th

The Social Ministry team at Evangelical Lutheran Church will be holding a used book sale to benefit the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America's Disaster Relief Response program. The church is located at 31 East Church Street and the sale will be in Trunk Hall, the fellowship hall located behind the sanctuary. All the proceeds go to the ELCA Disaster Response. The sale will be from 10am till 6pm on Friday, from 10am till 5:45pm and then from 7:15pm till 8pm on Saturday, and from 9am till 11am on Sunday. Books will be

sold for 50 cents to \$1. In addition to books there will be videos, music tapes and CDs, games and puzzles. For more information please call Karen McNitt at 301.371.9130 or email KMcNitt@aol.com

The National Museum of Civil War Medicine hold their Sixteenth Annual Conference on Civil War Medicine. This three day medical conference will feature unique lectures on the medical story of the Civil War, a Friday night dinner, and a Saturday bus tour. Registration fee benefits the National Museum of Civil War Medicine. For more information please call 301.695.1864 or visit www.civilwarmed.org

Saturday, October 4th

Junior Fire Co. No. 2 Inc will hold their Open House from 12pm till 5pm. They are located at 535 N. Market Street in downtown Frederick. There will be face painting, information on fire prevention, free blood pressure checks, lunch for sale, and much more. For more information please call Betie Abrecht at 301.371.5349

The Old Opera House in Sheperdstown is holding their Annual Autumn Auction from 5:30pm till 9:30pm at the Clarion Hotel and Conference Center. There will be fine arts, antiques, gift certificates, collectibles, furniture and a variety of other items available. Tickets will be \$45 for an evening that includes a delicious buffet dinner, cash bar and loads of fun. Tickets can be purchased through the Old Opera House box office or you can call 304.725.4420

St. James Episcopal Church of Mt. Airy will hold a basket raffle from 9am till 4pm. The church has collected prizes from community members and local businesses which they will make available to the public during the Mt. Airy Fall Festival. Most of the items will be located at the church as 1307 S. Main Street. For more information please call 301.829.0325

St. Matthews United Methodist Church will hold a soup-sandwich bake sale and a blessing of the animals from 12pm till 2pm. The church is located at 443 West Franklin Street in Hagerstown and they invite the public to bring their appetites and their pets. The blessing of the animals begins at 12:30pm and all well behaved pets are invited to attend. To place advance orders please call 301.739.2653. The Humane Society of Washington County will also be in attendance with adoptable animals, and PetCo will provide yummy treats. All pets should be on leashes or in carriers. For more information about this event please call 301.739.3718

St. James Lutheran Church will hold a basket bingo at the Union Bridge Community Center. Doors open at 5:30pm and games start at 7pm. For more information, or to purchase tickets, please call Stephanie at 410.635.6872 or Pam at 410.635.6626. Tickets will be \$10 in advance and \$12 at the door.

The Frederick County Humane Society will hold its Grand Opening and Ribbon Cutting Ceremony at 9:30am at its new facility at 217 West Patrick Street. Members of the general public are invited to tour the new facility, which features a large dog training area with a padded floor, and meet with representatives of local animal rescue organizations. The Open House will last until noon. For more information please call 301.694.8300 ext. 0

Damascus Sons of the American Legion Squadron 171 invites members and guests to a dinner dance with pig roast and chicken dinners with all the fixins. Dinner will be from 6pm till 8pm and dancing will be from 8pm till 11pm. Music will be by DJ Parott and Desert Wind. For tickets or for more information please call Chris Raab at 240.793.1398, Tony Koontz at 301.831.6746 or the Legion at 301.253.0769. Tickets are \$25 per person or \$10 for kids ages 6-15. The legion is located at 10201 Lewis Drive in Damascus.

The Woodsboro Historical Society will hold an antique appraisal from 6:30pm till 8:30pm at the Historical Society located in the old Post Office facility at 7 North Main Street. Professional appraisers Barry and Jean Hagen will evaluate items at a charge of \$5 per piece to benefit the Historical Society. For more information please call 240.285.4949

Tom's Creek United Methodist Church will hold a buffet breakfast and pork sale from 6am till 11am. The church is located off Route 140 between Taneytown and Emmitsburg. The cost will be \$7 for adults and \$3.50 for children ages 5-10. The menu includes sausage, pancakes, scrambled eggs, home fries, chip beef and sausage gravies, fruit, coffee and orange juice. For more information please call 301.447.6384, 301.447.2403 or 443.605.2675.

The Jeremy Foundation was established in June 2003 to ease financial burdens and to secure funds for families with children receiving treatments for cancer. To help with the mounting cost associated with this disease the Jeremy Foundation is sponsoring a 5K walk/run in Mt. Airy to raise funds to financially assist these families. For more information about this event please visit www.jeremyfoundation.com

Fine Arts in the Valley will hold their Special 10th Anniversary Exhibition including past and present members. Come meet the artists during gallery walk from 5pm till 9pm at Frederick Cellars, located at 221 N. East Street in Frederick. For more information please call 301.668.0311

Saturday, October 4th and Sunday October 5th

The Wolfsville Ruritan Club will be having their 36th Annual Catoctin Antique Gas Engine Show from 9am till 5pm both days. It will be held at the Wolfsville Ruritan Community Park in Wolfsville. The show will feature antique tractors, farm machinery, cars, trucks, a working saw mill, flea markets, and craft booths. Country food will be available including slippery pot pies, soups, steamers, barbecue beef, pulled pork, sausage, French fries and fruit pies. New exhibitors are welcome and there is no charge to display machinery and vehicles. No admission fee. Proceeds from the event will be used for community activities and park maintenance. For more information please call Nelson Buhrman at 301.416.0648 or Kevin Spade at 301.293.2281

The Barnyard Jamboree, A Family Festival of Fun will be held at 13674 Greencastle Pike in Hagerstown. There will be several events and exhibits and for more information please call 301.791.0011

The Children's Museum at Rose Hill Manor will hold their Fall Festival from 10am till 4pm on Saturday and from 12pm till 4pm on Sunday. They are located at 1611 North Market Street in Frederick. There will be children's old fashioned toys and games, hands on crafts like candle making, foil punch, and more. The blacksmith will be at the forge and the carriage museum will be open. For more information please call 301.600.1650

The Frederick County Farm Museum Association of Rose Hill Manor Park will be holding tractor pulls, cake auctions, kiddie pedal tractor pull, hayrides, farm exhibits, demonstrations, animals, music, food, crafts and more. They will be open from 10am till 4pm on Saturday, and from 12pm till 4pm on Sunday. For more information please call 301.600.1650

Sunday, October 5th

The Frederick CROP Hunger Walk will take place with 12:30pm and 1:30pm start times. Walkers of all ages will cover the 10K route through downtown Frederick, starting from Grace UCC located at 25 East Second Street. 20% of proceeds will go to support the Food Bank, and 5% will go to Meals-On-Wheels. For more information please email jfoster@grucc.com or call Rev. Joseph Foster at 301.662.3312 or 301.620.1678

You are invited to join Frederick Presbyterian in a celebration of World Music and Worship at 3pm. Featured music includes bagpipes, Spanish guitar, hammer dulcimer, drums, as well as Evensong. Stay afterwards to enjoy fellowship and refreshments. The church is located at 115 W. 2nd Street and for more information please call 301.663.5338

Members of the US Navy, US Marine Corps, US Coast Guard, the US Merchant Marine, and the public will come together to honor Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, "Patroness of the Sea Services". The Annual Pilgrimage for the Sea Services is hosted by the Daughters of Charity, and supported by a committee of retired Naval Officers and their spouces,. The mass begins at 3pm in the Basilica at the National Shrine of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, located at 333 South Seton Avenue in Emmitsburg. The Seton Shrine will be open between 10am and 3pm for tours. For more information please call 301.447.6606

Sunday, October 5th thru Tuesday, October 7th

The 35th Annual Linagnore-New Market Community Show will take place at the new Linganore at Oakdale High School just outside of New Market. Sunday, entries will be received from 4pm till 9pm. Monday the show opens at 6:30pm. The Linganore High School FFA Ambassador program will be held from 7pm till 7:30pm. And at 7:30pm the cake and flower auction begins. On Tuesday from 9:30am till 2pm the show is open to the public. There will be a spaghetti dinner from 4pm till 7:30pm and the cost is \$6 for adults, \$2 for children ages 4-10, and children under 4 are free. At 6pm the Red Rooster pedal tractor contest will be held, as well as other games and activities for the kids until the show closes at 8pm. For more information please call 240.566.9400

Monday, October 6th

The Hospice of Frederick County's Bereavement Program is holding Grief Awareness from 6:30pm till 8:30pm. This program is at no cost and will be held at the Hospice of Frederick County office located at 516 Trail Avenue, Suite C. Reservations are required, by calling one of their Bereavement Services Coordinators at 240.556.3030 or you can email lkinna@fmh.org or dwareness-from 6:30pm till 8:30pm. This program is at no cost and will be held at the Hospice of Frederick County office located at 516 Trail Avenue, Suite C. Reservations are required, by calling one of their Bereavement Services Coordinators at 240.556.3030 or you can email lkinna@fmh.org or dwareness-frederick Coordinators at 240.556.3030 or you can email lkinna@fmh.org or dwareness-frederick Coordinators at 240.556.3030 or you can email lkinna@fmh.org or dwareness-frederick Coordinators at 240.556.3030 or you can email lkinna@fmh.org or dwareness-frederick coordinators at 240.556.3030 or you can email lkinna@fmh.org or dwareness-frederick coordinators at 240.556.3030 or you can email lkinna@fmh.org or dwareness-frederick coordinators at 240.556.3030 or you can email lkinna@fmh.org or dwareness-frederick coordinators at 240.556.3030 or you can email lkinna@fmh.org or dwareness-frederick coordinators at 240.556.3030 or you can email <a href="mailto:lkinna@f