

Cape St. Claire Improvement Association, Inc. Community Newsletter

# MAY 2015

## President's Message



Dear Capers,

Spring finally sprung, the Cape has been busy this past month and that won't slow down as we head into our best season of the year, summer! We were founded as a summertime community and we still have some of the best private beaches & parks that Anne Arundel County has to offer. In order to keep things that way, we need the help of our residents. The Board of Governors (BOG) and its committees have been busy getting ready for the busiest season. The 8 BOG members and CSCIA Staff can't do it all. We have to rely on volunteers and I am asking for your help! I am going to lay out some specific areas where we need assistance, so if you see something that interests you, contact the Governor in charge.

First, the Strawberry Festival Committee needs more helping hands. This is by far the largest event in the Cape. Mary Lamb and her crew could use some help: The Festival is Sat. June 6<sup>th</sup>. She could use help on both Friday, June 5<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, June 6<sup>th</sup> in the following areas:

- Festival set-up and take down, individuals with strength to help put up our fences, tents, stations for the kitchen and clean up and set up the day before.
- The kitchen for berry cutting, prep and serve.
- Help throughout the day with trash, clean-up and parking

Get to know your neighbors by helping out in our largest community annual event. Please see information about the Strawberry Festival here: http://cscstrawberryfestival.com/ and contact Mary Lamb for volunteering opportunities here: mary@cscstrawberryfestival.com

Second, in order to have the Strawberry Festival on our property, we need to do a spring cleaning. We are busy doing this now, but Scott Dembowski, could use some assistance getting the Clubhouse Fields and Main Beach looking good on Friday June 5<sup>th</sup>. We also have some other areas and parks that we want to focus attention on this spring too, so if you are interested contact Scott at parks@cscia.org

- June 5th Strawberry Festival Prep
- Work Projects at Little Magothy Park
- Work Projects at the Deep Creek Playground
- Work Projects at Main Beach
- Ongoing work in the Lake Claire restoration efforts, contact Jennifer Vaccaro at erosion@cscia.org

Third, our Events Committee could use assistance in planning for and helping during our 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade and games at the Main Beach & Clubhouse. Contact Dawn Myers and Jennifer Vaccaro at events@cscia.org to get in on some patriotic fun in Cape!

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Lastly, some housekeeping items:

- It's May, do you have your 2015 stickers & guest pass? Did you put them on your car yet? If you have not received them, you either haven't paid your Lot Maintenance Fee for 2015 which was due in March 1st or you did not complete all necessary information as requested. Contact the office and speak with Leslie at 410-757-1223. Also reference our website FAQ for more information: http://cscia.org/frequently-asked-questions/
- With use of the beaches and parks comes certain rules, review the updated policies and look for new updated signs the each location soon! Find information on our website: http://cscia.org/cscia-services/ beaches/
- Want to use the boat ramp? Put your stickers on your vehicles or use your guest pass. The guest pass is not valid for trailering at Deep Creek on Fri, Sat. & Sun. from May 22<sup>nd</sup> September 8<sup>th</sup>, 2015.
- Towing Enforcement has begun at all beaches and parks locations as announced last month.

I look forward to seeing you around the Cape at one of our many events. If you have an idea, suggestion or constructive criticism on how we as an Association can help improve our community, our properties and our events, feel free to email me at President@cscia.org. The best way to make improvements though, is to volunteer and help make a difference in the Cape!

Best wishes.

Beau Breeden President CSCIA

# BOARD IN BRIEF

April 13, 2015 - President Breeden called the meeting to order at 7:30 P.M. He offered well wishes to Corporal Larry Adams. He said it has been a busy month, with stream clean up, dealing with graffiti at the shopping center, and working with community service youth. He said he had been to a meeting regarding the new grocery store which will be moving into Bay Hills Shopping Center this fall. He also met with Sarah Gannon of County Constituent Services today,

The minutes of March 9, 2015 were approved.

The final Profit and Loss statement of February 28, 2105 was approved.

#### **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

**Beaches and Parks:** Governor Dembowski reported that Juniper bushes have been removed from the clubhouse field to facilitate more parking. The first of several new solar powered lights has been installed on the Lake Claire Fishing Pier. Graffiti was removed from several areas and the pump house behind the shopping center was painted over. A deposit was placed for phase 2 of the main beach renovation project, with that work scheduled to be completed by May 8th. Interviews for the final beach attendant positions will be held by the end of April. New rules and regulation signs are coming, to be posted at all of our beaches and parks. There has been quite a bit of brush clearing at Little Magothy Beach and at Swan Pier.

**Erosion Control:** Governor Vaccaro reported that under the leadership of Brad Knopf and Al Todd, over 40 volunteers removed over 4,000 pounds of trash from Cape streams on Saturday, April 11th as part of Project Clean Stream. The property owner of 1019 Lake Claire Drive has agreed to participate in the Friends of Lake Claire reforestation project funded by the DNR grant. Invasive removal will begin on April 24th, followed by opportunities to plant trees, shrubs and ground covers. Efforts to burn the phragmites at Lake Claire on April 4th were foiled by high winds. We are in the process of arriving at a new burn date. Friends of Lake Claire Steering Committee will meet on the 16th to review the final draft of the bylaws, mission statement and new name. Once these items are agreed upon by the full committee they will be submitted to the attorney and the group will obtain formal legal status as a 501(c)3 non-profit entity.

**Treasurer:** Governor Myers said that most of our expected income has been received.

**Events:** Governor Myers said the  $4^{th}$  of July parade permit has been applied for. She will try to put together a spring bonfire on the beach and will be holding a July  $4^{th}$  planning meeting soon.

**Clubhouse:** Governor Lamb said that a few incidents over the past month have resulted in a re-evaluation of the terms of the contract as they relate to clean-up and damage. She has applied for the building permit for the shed and hopes for a mid-May delivery. She has contacted BGE and met on-site to evaluate the lighting (existing layout, removal of poles and proposed lighting).

**Caper:** Governor Lamb said the Caper continues to struggle with timely submissions. The contracts for FY2016 are being prepared and will be mailed in early May.

**Strawberry Festival:** Governor Lamb reported that all aspects of the Festival are in place.

**Covenants:** Governor Snow said that he had 10 covenant-related calls in March and 1 in April.

**Communications:** Governor Snow had nothing new to report.

**Technology:** Governor Szczytko said that the beach attendant job inquiry has been put on the website, along with the road update. He has created a CSC news page, a zoning and covenants page, and has almost finished a Strawberry Festival page.

**Budget:** Chairman Buchet said there will be Budget Committee meetings in May, June, and July. The committee inquired about helping the Board come up with a budget.

**Buildings:** Governor Breeden said he continues approving permits, and there continues to be about a two week turn around. He has met onsite for a few previously issued permits from 2014 where differences exist between new construction and old neighbors to attempt to settle any misunderstandings.

**Security:** Governor Breeden said we were alerted to two small fires lit on Community Property that the fire department took care of. There is now surveillance in the area. Otherwise, he said, things on community property



had been quiet with the exception of an illegally docked boat at Little Magothy Piers.

**Piers:** Governor Breeden said a Piers Committee meeting discussed mud slip offerings, wait list adjustments, and move list adjustments. There were 20 new contracts this year, along with 14 new mud slips and dropping 14 off the wait list. They discussed ongoing maintenance and water hook up for the season at Deep Creek and Lake Claire, both sections requiring replacement of pipes to be due to a harsh winter and late winterization of pipes. The cost for electricity was also discussed. Volunteers helped pull the bubbler system prior to April 1st. He said that billable revenues are in line at this time and they will be reviewing cost containment practices, along with the scheduled 5 year plan for capital improvements.

**Roads:** Governor Breeden has talked with Kathy Sharp from the County. The road work on CSC Road began again on April 6th. Information will be published via social media and our website. There are plans to pour the new foundation for the guardhouse in May and then move it. Governor Breeden commented that he stressed to the County his desire for the road project to be completed this year.

**Mosquito Control:** Governor Breeden said the application was submitted and accepted by the State for annual summer spraying.

#### **OLD BUSINESS:**

Governor Vaccaro noted that she had sent all Board members the new Friends of Lake Claire bylaws to look at before the FLC meeting on Thursday.

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

Governor Dembowski said he'd received a request from a resident who works at National Geographic to film an animal-based short documentary at the inlet of the Little Magothy and asked if there were any objections from the Board. None were forthcoming and filming will take place on April 16<sup>th</sup>.

It was moved and passed that the Friends of Lake Claire be made an officially recognized organization of the CSCIA.

Governor Szczytko brought up the issue of the CSCIA taking on-line payments for things like the signboard, maintenance fees, slip fees, and clubhouse rental. There are many issues that need to be worked out, such as convenience fees and late fees...

Governor Breeden noted that there is a property on Hillendale that has repeatedly asked to be exempt from mosquito spraying, effectively preventing the entire street from being sprayed. He presented a petition signed by 21 of the 22 other residents asking that the State override the exemption. Residents cannot request an override; it has to come from the Board. It was moved and passed that the Board support the petition as written. There was further discussion of mosquito spraying and it was thought that we could have someone from State Agriculture come to the July meeting to explain the program and educate people.

Governor Breeden mentioned that the County wants to do a 20 minute segment about Cape St. Claire to run on Anne Arundel TV, which we can then upload to our website. He noted that Sarah Gannon will be at the April quarterly meeting.

#### **COMMENTS:**

Office administrator Coble had a question about the beach attendants' calendar and their ability to see when the Clubhouse was being rented for private parties.

#### ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned to a closed session at 8:40 P.M.

#### **CLOSED SESSION:**

A closed session was convened at 8:45 P.M. and adjourned at 9:15 P.M.

#### MEMBERS PRESENT:

Governors Breeden, Dembowski, Lamb, Myers, Snow, Szczytko, and Vaccaro were present. Governor Small was absent. Also present were Budget Committee chairman Buchet and member Toy.

# 2015 STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL

#### Saturday June 6th • 10am - 7pm • Main Beach

#### Parade Kicks off the Day's events at 10:00 AM from the Cape St Claire Volunteer Fire Department!!!!

As a Cape St. Claire resident you quickly realize that summer begins with the Strawberry Festival. This age old event seems to become more and more popular each year. A day filled with a Parade, Music (7 Bands), Food, Games, Crafters, Contest, Pony Rides, K9 demos, a Silent Auction and Strawberries in many forms, is on tap for this year's festivities.

We are so excited to bring back our newest features to the festival this year. We will have the traditional Moon Bounces, an Obstacle Course, Pony Rides in the Corral, Face Painting, a Coloring Contest, Dunk Booth, Soak –a – Scout, Sand Art, Bike Demo, K-9 Demo, Martial Arts Demo, Dance Demo, Games, Pizza, Pit Beef, Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Snow Balls, Smoothies, Strawberry Baked Goods Contest, Strawberry Jam/Jelly Contest, THE BEER GARDEN, Decorated Bikes, Berriest Baby, and the Princess Contest. Details and Contest Forms for all of these events are located in this publication of the Caper or online at www.cscia.org. You can also visit http://cscstrawberryfestival.com.

If you would like more information about this event please contact Mary at 410-757-0593.

Pray for SUN!!!!!

We hope to see you there!!

#### 2015 CSC Strawberry Festival

#### "Strawberries from the Kitchen Contest"

Enter your favorite Strawberry Dessert and /or Jelly/Jam

Do you have a Special Recipe, a Family Favorite? The Strawberry Festival Committee would like to invite you to enter your HOMEMADE Strawberry Themed Baked or Non-Baked Dessert or Jelly/Jam. All entries must be accompanied by the baker's information and an ingredient card for display. Entries should be dropped off at the clubhouse on June 5, 2015 between the hours of 5pm and 7 pm. Homemade goods will be displayed in the clubhouse on Strawberry Festival Day. Prizes will be awarded for the following;

• Desserts will be Judged as follows:

2 categories: Baked & Non Baked

2 groups: Adults & Children (14 and under)

• Jelly/Jams will be Judged as follows:

**2 groups:** Adults & Children (14 and Under)

All entries must be accompanied by the baker's information and an ingredient card for display. Entries should be dropped off at the clubhouse on June 5, 2015 between the hours of 5pm and 7 pm. Please call Mary at 410-757-0593 for further information.

## Strawberry Festival Parade Challenge

Saturday June 6th

Gather your neighbors, your church group, your scout troop, and your friends. The Strawberry Festival would like to increase parade participation. We challenge your "group" to create a parade float entry for judging. Let's bring the community together for another great event and make this the best parade ever. The parade begins at 10:00 am at the Cape St. Claire Fire Department. If you are interested in entering a float for judging please email Mary at capermanager@cscia.org with your details!!!!!

# 2015 Strawberry Festival Vendor Registration Form

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# 2015 Strawberry Festival Crafter Registration Form

Vendor Name	Name
Contact Person	Address
Address	Phone #
Phone #	Email
Email	Craft
Events/Games/Foods/etc to be offered including prices:	Product to be displayed:
Please indicate below the quantities and services to be provided by the Strawberry Festival Committee:	Space Requested:1st Choice2nd3rd
Ice (lbs) Max 50lbs	All craft spaces will be set-up adjacent to the
Tables Needed (\$15 each)	clubhouse. There will be a \$40 space fee for each 10 x 10 space requested. This fee should accom-
Chairs Needed (\$3 each)	pany your registration. Crafters are required to provide their own tables. A table may be rented
110 Volt Hookups	for an additional \$15. All checks should be made payable to the Strawberry Festival.
220 Volt Hookups	
Yes we would like to participate in the Parade	Registrations are limited and are assigned on a first come first serve basis.
Parade Entry	(D)



#### Send form and payment to:

Strawberry Festival 1180 Summit Drive Annapolis, MD 21409

**Necessary Fees and Forms Dues ASAP** 

For more information call Mary Lamb at (410) 757-0593

# 2015 Strawberry Festival Berriest Baby Contest Sponsored by Brown's Day Care

- ~ Are you 24 months or younger?
- ~ Do you live in Cape St. Claire?
- ~ Would you like to be in a Parade?
- Would you like to be Cape St. Claire's Berriest Baby?

Baby's Name & Date of Birth

Parent's Name	
Address	-
Phone #	Ć
Email	(

We The Parents/Guardians agree to participate in the Cape St. Claire Strawberry Festival Parade with our Berriest Baby. We understand judging is based upon the Strawberry Theme Decorations. We agree to meet at the CSC Fire Hall at 9:30 AM ON Saturday, June 6, 2015 for the Parade and Contest Presentation immediately following at the Festival on the main beach. Rain Date June 7, 2015. Contest Entry DEAD-LINE is May 15, 2015

I hereby give my child permission to participate in the parade and the festival activities. I will accept full responsibility for my child's safety.

Parent's Signature & Date

#### Return this completed form to:

'Peanut" Brown's Day Care 723 Mount Alban Drive Annapolis, MD 21409

# 2015 Strawberry Festival Decorated Bike Contest Sponsored by Quality Care Automotive

Would you like to be in a Parade?

Decorate your bike in one of the 3 themes

"Strawberries" "Star Wars" "Disney Theme"

Child's Name & Age

Parent's Name

Address

Phone #

Email

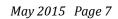
We the Parents/Guardians agree to our child participating in the Cape St. Claire Strawberry Festival Parade with their decorated bike entry. We understand judging is based upon the Theme Decorations. We agree to meet at the CSC Fire Hall at 9:30 AM on Saturday, June 6th 2015 for the Parade and Contest Presentation immediately following at the Festival on the main beach. Rain date June 7th 2015.

I hereby give my child permission to participate in the parade and the festival activities. I will accept full responsibility for my child's safety. I understand my child must wear a bike helmet.

Parent's Signature & Date

#### Return this completed form to:

Mary Lamb 1180 Summit Drive Annapolis, MD 21409



# 2015 Cape St Claire Strawberry Festival Coloring Contest

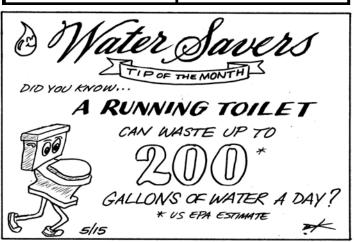
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All entries will be displayed in the Clubhouse the day of the event. Prizes will be awarded in all age groups. Please return Colored Entries to Rita's Italian Ice Cape St. Claire Location by May 31st.









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Sunday School for Children, 3 years old to 5th grade 11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship Sunday School for Children 3 years old to 5th grade with Nursery available for

Ages 0-2 years

For Youth entering 6<sup>th</sup> grade through 12<sup>th</sup> grade

6:00 p.m. Youth Group Worship

#### **MAY SERVICES**

<u>DATE</u>	<b>TIME</b>		
May 3	9:30/11:00 a.m.	"Life in the Vineyard"  SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER	John 15:1-8
May 10	9:30/11:00 a.m.	Mother's Day - "Make your mom happy – go to worship!"	I John 5:1-6
May 17	9:30/11:00 a.m.	Ascension of Jesus - "Now What?"	Acts 1:15-26
May 24	9:30/11:00 a.m.	PENTECOST – "Alive with the Spirit"  It is the Sunday to wear RED.	Acts 2:1-21
May 31	10:00 a.m.	One Service Lead by Our Youth Group	
11:30 a.m. Church Picnic (following the service) Bring a dish/dessert or just come as you are. All are welcome to join us.			

Something new this Spring: Tea and Theology

Join us Tuesday afternoons beginning April 21<sup>st</sup> from 2:30 – 4:00 pm for a cup of hot tea or a glass of ice tea for a bit of conversation and theology. Bring a question, an article you found interesting, a bit of news which may have caught your eye related to our faith and meet with others to talk about it. Oh, we will also have a little goodie to share – join us. No right or wrong answers just discussion.



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Hours: Monday-Friday 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Office: 410.757.6556 Fax: 410-349-2240

Email: <a href="mailto:aawpreschool@verizon.net">aawpreschool@verizon.net</a>
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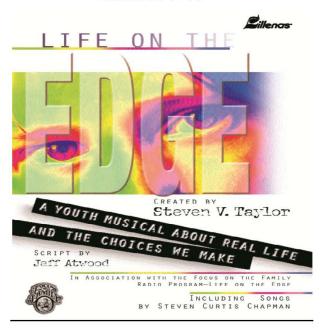
#### June Upcoming Events

Christ Our Anchor Presbyterian presents...

#### "Soul Searchers of Eastport UMC"

Date: June 11, 2015 (Thursday), Time: 7 p.m. Location: 1281 Green Holly Drive, Annapolis

Admission Free



"Life On the Edge" is based on the premise that life is hard and full of surprises. But with the nurturing care of God through relationships with family and friends, we learn how to "be there" for one another and that God is always there.

Soul Searchers (est. 1972) is comprised of elementary thru college youth, sharing the word of God and His power in our everyday life.





Vacation Bible School

June 22 - 26, 2015

9:30 am to 12 Noon

#### COME SEE GOD'S LOVE IN ACTION

This year's VBS will focus on how to serve God and others with active love. Children will participate in a reading of the scripture, Bible challenges, crafts, games and partake in snack all of which will revolve around the morning's theme.

All are welcome to join us on Sunday June 28th for our VBS celebration! Children will share some music from the week and are asked to dress in their VBS shirts

For Ages: 4 years old through 5th Grade

Registration Fee: \$25/child, \$15 each additional sibling, \$55/family for 3 or more children

Make checks payable/mail to: Christ Our Anchor Presbyterian Church, Attn: VBS Leaders, 1281 Green Holly Drive, Annapolis, MD 21409.

For registration form or questions, call (410) 974-1713 or email: <a href="mailto:coachurch@verizon.net">coachurch@verizon.net</a>.

Forms also available on www.christouranchorpc.org









June 6, 2015 Please stop by our Kids (Free) Craft Booth at The Cape St. Claire Strawberry Festival.

You are to have a "Berry" Good Time!



#### A Nonprofit is Born!

Friends of Lake Claire is very excited to announce big changes for our organization! Our Founding Board members voted unanimously on April 16th to adopt Articles of Incorporation, Bylaws and a Mission/Vision statement for our newly formed nonprofit: *Cape Conservation Corps, Inc.* This new name captures the spirit of our volunteers and welcomes *all* of Cape St. Claire to participate for the benefit of the whole neighborhood. Future projects will be located throughout the neighborhood in the coming years, rather than limited to the Lake Claire drainage area.

We are currently in the process of creating a website where you will be able to view photos of our projects, get information about upcoming events and make a tax-deductible donation to our efforts! Be sure to visit our table at the Strawberry Festival on June 6th to vote for your favorite new logo! As a nonprofit organization we are accepting official members. Our yearly dues are \$20 per person, and will help us to fund the work that we are doing in the neighborhood as well as minor administrative costs. Please join us for our FIRST annual membership meeting on June 10th at 7:00pm at the Cape St. Claire clubhouse!

#### Progress in the Reforestation Area

We are excited to welcome over 500 students from Broadneck High School at the beginning of June for a week of planting! Students from US Government classes will be earning service hours planting trees, removing english ivy, mulching, etc on several reforestation sites along Lake Claire Drive. We are also excited to welcome the property owner of 1019 Lake Claire Drive to our reforestation efforts. We began clearing invasive vines from that property in April, and planting will begin in June on that site.

#### **Phragmites**

We had our third annual controlled burn on April 18th, and it was our most successful yet! The weather was perfect, volunteers were plentiful and we burned a large area. We would like to extend a very special "THANK YOU" to the Cape St. Claire Volunteer Fire Department for their help with the burn. Without their expertise we would never have been able to accomplish so much! You can view photos and video of the pyromania on our Facebook page.

We will be ordering a wetland seed mix from Ernst Seed Company to encourage new growth of beneficial plants in the areas burned. Stay tuned to our Facebook page and email list serve for upcoming seed-scattering opportunities!



Jack Anderson uses his flame weeder to burn Phragmites

#### Project Clean Stream

Congratulations to Brad Knopf, Al Todd and the over 40 volunteers who hauled over 4,000 pounds of trash out of our Cape streams on April 11th. It was great to see so many Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts and volunteers of all ages enjoying a beautiful day improving their community! Check out our Facebook page for photos of the event.

For more information or to join our efforts, please contact Jennifer Vaccaro: <u>LakeClaire@comcast.net</u> OR Join our group on Facebook: Friends of Lake Claire

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#### Coffee at the Point

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#### Growing our Faith

Book Discussion of *Crossroads* (by the author of *The Shack*) - beginning on Tuesday, May 12th at 1:00pm in the library

Bible Study on the Gospel of Mark - beginning on Thursday, May 14th at 7:00pm in the library



# Our Annual Spring Bazaar!!!

May 2, Saturday 9am-2pm Rain or Shine

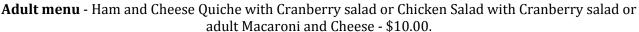


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#### **Mother & Daughter Spring Luncheon**

Saturday - May 9th, 12:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.



Child's menu - Mac and Cheese and Carrot sticks and Ranch Dressing - 4 to 11 years \$4.00. Under 4 - free. Brownie Sundae dessert, beverage included

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#### Strawberry Festival Saturday, June 6, 2015 Visit us at these booths:



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Bake Goods, Refreshing tea/lemonade

Cape Kids Corner French Fries

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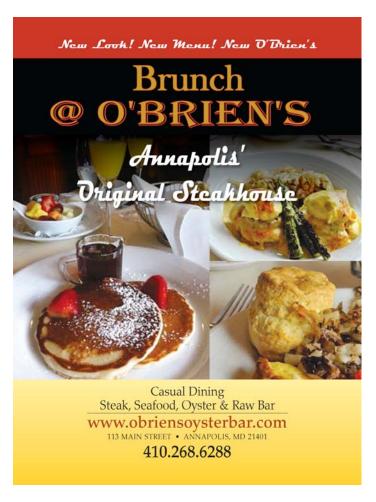
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# News from Goshen Farm Preservation Society

As promised last month, we want to share with you the history of Goshen Farm. The following article was written by Elisabeth Sloane, a local writer and volunteer with the GFPS. It is based on the research of Scott Powers, GFPS Research and History Chair. We hope you enjoy this and future articles on Goshen.



#### History in Our Back Yard

Whenever most people think of history, they usually think of lists of names, dates, old books and hours upon hours of dry lectures. But as I grew up, I began to realize that history is not confined to a book. It is in our midst. In many ways, it defines who we are today.

The first known owner of Goshen Farm was Henry Woolchurch. His first appearance in the land records of Anne Arundel County is in November 1653, when he bought the land of Richard Young along Deep Creek and the Magothy River. He very likely participated in the Battle of the Severn in 1655. In 1662 Henry was granted the land that would be called "Leonard's Neck", presumably named for Leonard Calvert. In 1669, the 290 acres that comprised "Leonard's Neck" was assigned to Alexander Gardiner and John Wray. John Wray's portion was eventually purchased by John Pettibone Gardiner in 1754 and became Goshen Farm. Thus Goshen Farm was "born" more than a hundred years before the Declaration of Independence in 1776 and included most of what is now Cape St. Claire. The house that sits on the property today was first built by John Pettibone Gardiner's son, Richard Gardiner, sometime around 1783, making the structure almost as old as our nation and one of the oldest in Anne Arundel County.

The Gardiners came from England, originally settling in Virginia in the early 1600s before they came to Maryland. Settlers came to America for many reasons; a better life, the ability to own land and freedom from religious oppression from European governments. For people like the Gardiners, America was a land rich in opportunity.

By the time the Goshen Farm House was built, America was vastly changed. No longer loyal colonies of the English crown, 1783 saw the closing of the American Revolution with England acknowledging independence for a new nation. Originally, Richard and his wife Ann lived at the farm with their five children, Richard Jr., Charles, Henry, John and Joshua, and as many as twelve slaves. The house, which still stands today, was built of rough-hewn wood. As middle class farmers, the Gardiners grew much of their own food and raised their own livestock, but their early cash crop was tobacco. Life on the farm was simple. Fireplaces in each of the four rooms provided all the heat for the family while candles provided light. No running water meant that water came from the well, which you can still visit, at the back of the house.

What makes Goshen Farm so special is the sheer volume of history it has witnessed. The now 22 acre property sits tucked away in plain sight and if you're anything like me, you might drive past it hundreds of times and never know it was there. But, a couple of weeks ago, as my car bumped up the winding dirt driveway on a cold March morning, I realized that this place is very much like so many others. Goshen Farm is our story, and like so many other stories, it is in danger of slipping away.

The Goshen Farm Preservation Society is committed to protecting not only the farm, but the history, opportunities and lessons that it teaches so that our children will not simply read about this part of our story, they will see it and experience it. Please come and visit us at www.goshenfarm.org.

A special thanks to Scott Powers and Barbara Morgan for all their research to make this article possible.

#### GARDEN CLUB

Greetings, Fellow Capers!

Can it be that Spring has finally sprung? The Cape St. Claire Garden Club thinks so, and we invite you to visit our:

#### **Annual Plant Sale**

Saturday, May 16, from 8 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the corner of Broadview and Cape St. Claire Road.

The sale features plants grown in our own Cape gardens, as well as herbs, vegetables, natives and hanging baskets. The prices are great and there will be very knowledgeable people around to answer your questions about our offerings. What greater way to honor the hope of Spring, than to plant a garden? Come out and meet us or come to our meetings, the first Tuesday of the month at 7p.m., at the Cape St. Claire clubhouse. We welcome everyone! And, once again, it's time for our Yard of the Month program! This long winter has taken its toll, but the following Capers showed the true spirit of Spring!

Congratulations to our April winners:

Area 1 Glen Millones

1062 Park Circle

Area 2 The Kings

1154 River Bay Road

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Area 4 Jeanene Winkler

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Area 5 Roy & Becky Benner 1206 Green Holly Drive

Submitted by Jeanne Klingler

#### **EPIPHANY COMMUNITY**

The Easter celebrations were wonderful! We were delighted to help out the Chrysalis house this Easter season. The celebrations will continue with a special mass and reception welcoming back Fr. Bernardi. All are invited to come! We celebrate mass every Sunday right here in the Cape St. Claire Clubhouse at 9:30am. Next month, on June 6th, we will have a fun booth at the Cape St. Claire Strawberry Festival!

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#### CAPE'NESS NUTRITION & FITNESS

It's time to start thinking about swim suit season! Are you ready? Come join us on Thursday mornings at 10am. A new session begins on May 14th.

We are starting an evening session this month as well. Cash prizes to the biggest losers! Call

Laura McIntyre at (410) 757-1354 or (443) 569-9082 for more details. On June 6th, we will have our second year at the Strawberry Festival!

#### YOUTH SAILING

Cape St. Claire Youth Sailing is accepting applications for the 2015 season. Students may start at age 8 for half day pram sailing. Older students may sign up for full day sessions in 420's up to 17 years old. No sailing experience is needed. This is a learn to sail program as well as providing instruction for more experienced sailors. The class also meets Boy and Girl Scout badge requirements. Visit www.capeyouthsailing.com for more information or follow the link from CSCIA website at www.cscia.org.

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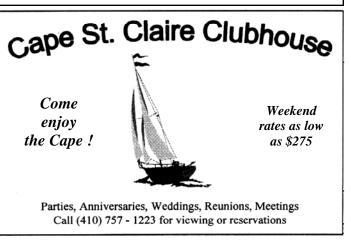


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# Monday, May 18th, 2015

Start Time: 1:00 Shotgun
Captain's Choice Scramble



#### **Schedule of Events**

- 12:00pm Arrival Time
- Shotgun Start 1:00pm
- Beer & Soda on Course Included
- Individual and Team Awards
- 6:00 PM Golf Awards, Raffles, Banquet & Dinner

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# Broadneck Baptist Church

#### Worship - Every Sunday at 10am

Nursery offered for ages birth to 4; Elementary school children attend the first part of the service, then explore and reflect on what they have heard in worship as a group.

Sing with the Choir—Sundays at 8:30am

Broadneck Baptist Church is a unique progressive Baptist community made up of people of all ages, ethnicities, backgrounds, and perspectives.

This is a place where all are welcome!

We are located in the Cape at 1257 Hilltop Drive, just across from Graul's.

Pastor Abby Thornton Hailey: abby@broadneckbaptistchurch.org



#### Being God's Hands and Feet

At Broadneck Baptist Church we believe that faith is not just something we think or feel, it's meant to be lived. We are always exploring new ways that we can be the hands and the feet of Christ.

Whether it's by packing food with My Brother's Pantry; partnering with other churches to host homeless guests for a week during the cold of the winter season; holding a community concert or cookout or providing space where kids can be artistic and creative and engage God through music and through art.

We hope that you will come visit and explore with us how you might be called to put your faith into action at Broadneck Baptist Church.

## **Upcoming Events:**

- Potluck lunch after service every last Sunday of the month
- Saturday, June 6: Cape St. Claire Strawberry Festival
- July 6-10: Music and Arts Summer Camp for Kids (No Fee)
- August 3-9: Intergenerational West Virginia Mission Trip





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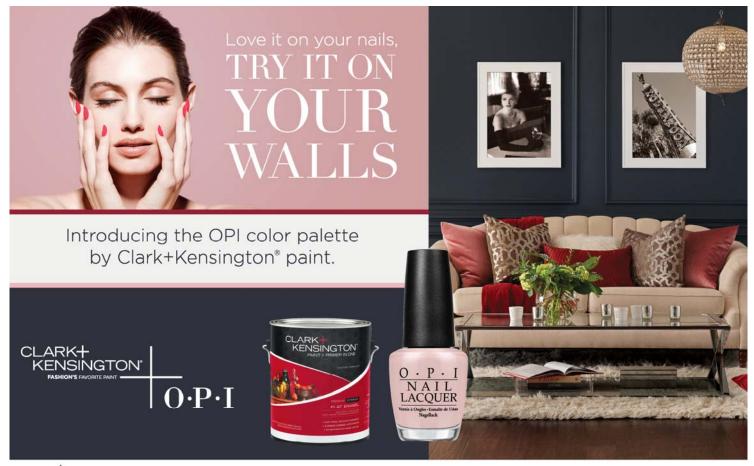
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