

# The Caper

Our 56<sup>th</sup> Year

Cape St. Claire Improvement Association, Inc. Community Newsletter

May 2012

**Don't forget to put your CSCIA stickers on your left rear bumper**

## President's Perspective

Message from the President and Chair of the Beaches and Parks Committee

Spring has sprung in the Cape!

With the great weather we've had this Spring, the beaches and parks have been in full swing extra early this year. Due to the increase in use, we decided to bring in the porta-potties a month earlier than usual, and our beach attendants will be starting on May 5th.

To help everyone get the most enjoyment from our great beaches and parks, please keep a few things in mind. No glass bottles are allowed on the beaches, and with all of the various debris that washed up during last year's storms, we recommend everyone wear water shoes when using the beaches and when going into the water.

No motorized vessels are allowed on Cape beaches. This includes boats, personal water craft and motorized skiffs. No boats are allowed to anchor in the designated swim area off of the Main Beach. And speaking of the swim area, we'd like to thank Ms. Ann Miller at Maryland DNR for providing Cape St. Claire six new

"swim area" buoys for our Main Beach. We also understand that a Cape resident named "Matt," who works at DNR, was kind enough to provide a quick delivery of the buoys. Thanks Matt! The bouys will be placed in the water by the end of May.. Hopefully, we'll be able to remove "Chessie the Tree Monster" from the water off of the Main Beach by then also. It shifts weekly and can be dangerous to climb on, so please keep off of it and tell kids to keep clear.

Fishing is allowed only at the Lake Claire Pier, which was built specifically for Cape residents to use for fishing and crabbing. Fishing is not allowed on any other Cape pier or beach, with the exception of the beach area all the way down next to the inlet at the Little Magothy River.

Parking is often at a premium during the warm months, and the CSCIA has a duty to protect the Cape's assets so that they are clean and available for Cape residents to use. This means that vehicles that are not displaying current Cape stickers or a current Cape guest pass may be towed. Maintenance fees were due by March 1, 2012 and the black and white 2011 stickers and passes will expire on May 1, 2012. Your \$10 fee gets you two stickers and one guest pass. One additional

sticker may be purchased for \$5.00. All vehicles must be registered in your name or Cape address. Any maintenance fee paid after March 1, 2012 is also subject to a \$5.00 late fee. PLEASE display your CURRENT stickers and passes when using the beaches and parks. The last thing we want is to have a good neighbor's car get towed because of a sticker or guest pass issue. And remember that guest passes are not valid for trailering at Deep Creek on weekends and holidays

## Dates to Remember

- 5/12 Ravens Roost Bull Roast
- 5/19 Garden Club Plant Sale
- 5/19 Spring Bazaar –CSCUMC
- 5/19 Italian Dinner—St. Andrews
- 6/10 Rock the Block-Christ our Anchor
- 6/9 Strawberry Festival
- 6/16 Delivery of purchased Rain Barrels
- 6/23 Community Yard Sale

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from Memorial Day to Labor Day. Our intent is to protect our community assets and have them readily available for residents and their accompanied guests to enjoy.

Wishing everyone a wonderful Spring!

**BOARD IN BRIEF**

**April 9, 2012**

The April 2012 CSCIA Monthly Board of Governors meeting was convened on April 9, 2012 at 7:34 P.M. in the Cape St. Claire Clubhouse, Cox Meeting Room.

**President's Remarks:** After brief remarks, President Mooneyhan turned the meeting over to Vice-President Biondi. Vice-President Biondi addressed a resident who was present to reiterate

his disagreement with the Board's recent denial of his variance request.

President Mooneyhan noted that Ron George and Cathy Vitale will be speaking at the April membership meeting.

President Mooneyhan noted that we now have over 1600 votes in favor of changing the covenants. She will be contacting the state for further guidance.

President Mooneyhan advised that the CSCIA State Farm agent has retired. A new agent will be assigned so we will be requesting an agent in or near Anne Arundel County with waterfront experience.

**Minutes and Profit and Loss Statements (P&Ls):**

**March 12, 2012 CSCIA**

**Monthly BOG meeting minutes:**

Governor Gardner made a motion to approve the March 12, 2012 minutes. Governor Biondi seconded the motion and it was unanimously approved.

**February 29, and March 31, 2011 Profit and Loss Statements (P&Ls):** Governor Biondi made a motion to approve these P&L statements. Governor Newman seconded the motion and it was approved with 1 abstention.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

**Buildings:** President Mooneyhan commented that there had been 3 requests for decks this week and all were approved. She thanked Governor Biondi for his help on building issues

**Piers:** Vice-President Biondi re-

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***The Board of Governors***

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**Budget Committee:**

Michael Buchet  
David Toy  
Scott Nogal

ported that all but a couple of contracts have been received and that there have been several requests for sub-leases. The piers account is in the black and doing well.

**Treasurer:** Governor Myers commented that things were going smoothly and that she will be meeting with our CPA soon.

**Mosquito Control:** Governor Gardner received an email from the State relative to requesting mosquito spraying. The State is looking to cut costs and will spray only where indicated by active traps. Spraying will start next month, probably on Tuesdays or Thursdays. Governor Gardener will stay on top of the situation.

**Personnel:** Governor Gardner

said there were matters she wanted to discuss in a closed session.

**Caper:** Governor Lamb noted that the Caper is doing well and that advertising is good.

**Clubhouse:** Governor Lamb reported that there had been a wastewater main backup on Easter Sunday that resulted in some minor flooding. A plumber has been contracted to address the problem.

**Signboard:** There was discussion of replacing the Cape sign. President Mooneyhan and Governor Lamb spoke favorably about a sign at the entrance of Broadneck Park. Concerns were raised relative to the sign being installed at a height which would deter vandalism.

**Website:** Governor Newman reported that he had a legal matter which needed to be discussed in closed session.

**Beaches & Parks:** Governor Dembowski commented that residents are pleased that the port-a-pots have arrived early. He noted that the patch of bamboo at Deep Creek has been cleared by the adjacent resident and native trees and bushes have been replanted. Governor Dembowski commented that roaming towing of illegally parked vehicles has begun and the beach attendants will be starting on April 28.

**Roads:** Governor Campbell commented that while there are new markings on Cape St. Claire Road, to date no tree removal has begun.

**Membership:** Governor Veno

# There Was No Doubt!

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commented that he would like to reserve the Cape sign to announce the upcoming membership meeting. He also noted that he would post a temporary sign at the Green Holly sign location at least a week in advance possibly mentioning the guest speakers.

## OLD BUSINESS:

The BOG thanked Governor Biondi for the research he did on the request by Broadneck Grill to serve liquor outside for Cinco de Mayo. Governor Biondi moved that, in view of the fact that permission is legal according to the Liquor Board, and that the CSCIA is indemnified against any liability, the BOG grant permission for Broadneck Grill to use two parking spaces to serve

outdoor drinks for Cinco de Mayo. The motion was seconded by Governor Veno and approved with an 8-1 vote by the BOG.

The bamboo at Lake Claire was mentioned by Governor Campbell. There was discussion of the difficulties related to eradication. Governor Dembowski commented that he would talk to the tree removal people about eradication.

Governor Newman commented on the legality of the "no loitering, no skateboarding, no bicycles" signs along the sidewalks at the shopping center. President Mooneyhan said she would discuss the issue at the next BOLA meeting.

Governor Veno noted that the residents near the intersection of Latrobe and St. Margaret's would like the intersection reviewed for sight distance issues and stop sign placement. Governor Lamb commented that she believes the County may have studied the intersection pre-

viously. This led to a general discussion of the problems of speeding and failure to stop that is epidemic in the Cape. Governor Veno moved that the Roads chairman look into options for speed control at the intersection of Latrobe and St. Margaret's. Governor Biondi seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

Governor Myers pointed out that the times on the County "school hours" sign at the elementary school are incorrect. Governor Lamb will ask the county to address this issue.

A resident attended the meeting to discuss the brush on a CSCIA lot on Little Magothy View. He was concerned about the clearing of and disposal of brush, leaves, and branches left by BG&E's cutting crews. He inquired about he and his neighbors helping to clear and maintain the lot. Governor Dembowski thanked him for his willingness to help and explained that the BOG would discuss the issue

**Adjournment:** Governor Newman made a motion to adjourn from the regular monthly meeting and enter into a Closed Session meeting. Governor Dembowski seconded the motion and it was unanimously approved. The regu-



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lar April 9, 2012 CSCIA Monthly BOG meeting was adjourned at 8:45 P.M.

**Closed Session Meeting:** A Closed Session meeting was convened at 8:48 P.M. and adjourned at 9:23 P.M.

**Attendance:** Governors Biondi, Campbell, Dembowski, Gardner, Lamb, Mooneyhan, Myers, Newman, Veno. Also present were Budget Committee members Buchet, Nogal, and Toy.

## **The Strawberry Festival A Cape St. Claire Tradition**

Cape St. Claire residents young and old look forward to that Saturday in Spring when they gather along Cape St. Claire Road with SUNSHINE to watch as the Cape St. Claire Strawberry Festival Princess and her court lead the community parade to the festivities on the main beach. This age old festival offers community fun for everyone in the family. This year's festival is scheduled for Saturday, June 9th, with a rain date of Sunday, June 10th. This year's festival offers local children the opportunity to enter

one of many contests. As in years past, the most popular contest the festival has to offer is the bike-decorating contest. This contest gives Boys and Girls the opportunity to decorate their bikes in one of three themes. The decorated bikes gather at the fire department and ride together in the parade. Once they reach the festival grounds the bikes are judged and everyone receives an award. In years past this contest only awarded prizes to the "Best" decorated bike in each theme category. As the children became more creative, the decisions became more difficult and the disappointed faces were heart breaking. After much discussion the Festival Committee came to the conclusion that the festival was not about disappointment and children who took the time to decorate their bike would receive a prize.

Our youngest residents, ages 24 months and younger, have the opportunity to enter a contest of their own. Babies, with the help of their parents are given the

opportunity to decorate themselves and their ride in the Strawberry Theme. The "Berriest Baby" contest allows families the opportunity to show off their youngest members and their decorating creativity. This contest offers prizes for all of the pre-registered applicants and a special award for the "Berriest Baby"

Probably the most prestigious contest is that of the "Strawberry Festival Princess." The Strawberry Festival Princess contest gives the young women in the community the opportunity to tell their audience about their life in Cape St. Claire. The contestants are asked to submit an essay which talks about their contributions to the community, along with their ideas for the future. This contest offers a savings bond to the princess along with a tro-

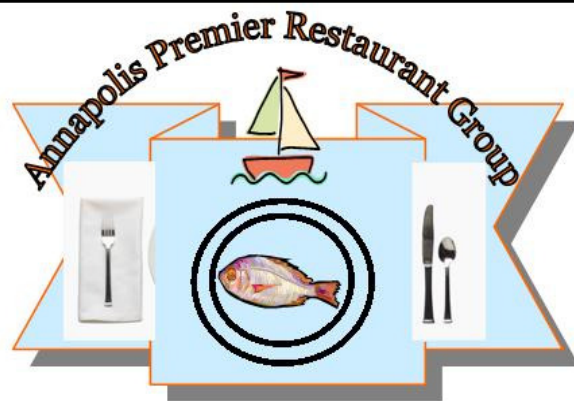
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**Returning to the Festival This year** is the STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL's JUNIOR PRINCESS Contest. If you are a Cape Resident entering the 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> or 8<sup>th</sup> grade in the Fall of 2012 this is your opportunity to shine. The contestants are asked to submit an essay which talks about their contributions to the community, along with their ideas for the future. This contest offers a savings bond to the princess along with a trophy for her and her court.

**Returning to the Festival This year** is the STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL's LITTLEST PRINCESS Contest. If you are a Cape Resident entering the 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> grade in the Fall of 2012 this is your opportunity to shine. The contestants are asked to submit a 200 word essay which talks about their contributions to the community, along with their ideas for the future. This contest offers a savings bond to the princess along with a trophy for her and her court.

This year's festival will also bring back the community watermelon-eating contest. Residents of all ages may find their place at the

watermelon table various times through out the day. Contest will be run and prizes will be awarded to those who can eat their piece of watermelon the fastest, without using their hands.

If competition is what you are looking for and you feel as though you and your partner are on the move, try your luck at the sac races. 2 Person teams are welcome to sign up as often as you like. Each race will determine a winning team who will defend their title against other teams. Before the sunsets there will be an elimination run to determine the fastest team in Cape St. Claire.

Next to the Bay you will find the Pony Rides. This amazing attraction allows children of all ages to experience the outdoors. Make sure you bring proper shoes for this attraction!

Also inside of the festival gates residents will find live music on stage all day. In addition the annual Moon Bounce will be available to the

children all day, free of charge.

Your local businessmen and women sponsor all of our contest and free attractions. Please take the time on Festival Day to read the schedule of events and thank the sponsors for their support.

In addition, to the many contest and activities mentioned the Strawberry Festival offers a variety of games and food booth on the main beach. Local church, scout and community groups sponsor the food and game booths in an effort to raise funds for their organization. Many of the games created and foods prepared are a result of the hard work of the youth in Cape St. Claire.

If you are looking to get you strawberry fix do not forget to visit the Strawberry Kitchen where volunteers are busy making

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## COMMUNITY YARD SALE

Interested in taking part in a one stop, community yard sale? Well, here is your chance. June 23rd. 7am-2pm, at the club house. Event will be held in the rear corral at the club house. Space will be \$10.00. Left over money will be donated to locate charity.

Vendors welcome. For more information please contact Jenn Crews-Carey at [Dovechocolatejenn@gmail.com](mailto:Dovechocolatejenn@gmail.com) or [410 353 3692](tel:4103533692) after 6pm, please leave message.



## Christ Our Anchor Church Rock the Block

Cape St. Claire residents and friends are invited to "Rock the Block" on June 10, 2012 at 11AM at Christ Our Anchor Presbyterian Church located at the intersection of Green Holly and College Parkway.

Join Pastor Steve Tisinger and the COA Praise Band for a joyful contemporary Christian worship experience on the grounds in front of the church. Come see what's happening right in your own backyard!

Everyone in attendance is invited to a picnic immediately following the service also on the church grounds. There will be food, fun and activities for everyone. Bring a chair, a friend (or not) and come on down to 1281 Green Holly Drive, to join the Christ Our Anchor family to "Rock the Block."

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## Celebration of Children Service - May 20th, Sunday 9am

Following the service will be a  
picnic with hamburgers and hot-  
dogs provided.

The purpose of the service is to  
honor and recognize all teachers  
in our preschool  
ministry and our rotational Sun-  
day School. We will also dedi-  
cate classroom sets of  
Bibles and gift certificates to chil-  
dren who will be promoted. This  
is an opportunity  
for all high school and college  
graduates to participate and re-  
ceive recognition. The

community is invited to celebrate  
with us at both the service and  
picnic. This marks  
the closing of our Sunday School  
classes until Fall.

## St. Andrew By The Bay Italian Dinner Night

St. Andrew by the Bay will host  
an Italian Night Dinner on Satur-  
day, May 19<sup>th</sup>, 2012 in the Parish  
Center at 701 College Park-  
way. Time will be 6:30 pm. Cost  
is \$10 for adults, and \$5 for chil-  
dren 2-12. Menu will include  
spaghetti and meatballs, with  
salad and bread and des-  
serts. Coffee, Tea, and Lemonade  
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## Garden Club

How lovely spring has been! The azaleas are bursting into bloom in gardens all over the Cape, and we are ready to congratulate our April Yard of the Month winners on their particularly beautiful, colorful yards:

Area 1: Mr. and Mrs. Terry Williams, 1044 Little Magothy View

Area 2: Mr. and Mrs. Stan Zdun, 1123 Crestview Drive

Area 3: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Souhrada, 1028 Lake Claire Drive

Area 4: Mr. Rodney Frederick, 1216 Hilltop Drive

Area 5: Ms. Kitty Donovan, 1166 Gateway Drive

The Garden Club has begun its busiest season of potting plants from our gardens for our loyal shoppers who attend our annual **PLANT SALE**. This year's will fall on **Saturday, May 19<sup>th</sup>, 8am-2pm** (rain date Sunday, May 20<sup>th</sup>). Please join us in the grassy area across from Grauls to browse the stalwart per-

ennials, groundcovers, trees, and shrubs dug from our gardens, colorful annuals, herbs and vegetables, and an exciting collection of native perennials for your gardens. Visit our blog for a preview slideshow of photos. New this year: we will have on offer bags and buckets of locally-made compost that shoppers can take home along with their plants. Adding a scoop of compost to each planting hole will enrich and loosen the soil and give the plant a much better chance to establish and thrive in your yards. We look forward to seeing you again at our sale – thank you all for your support!

We took a break from potting and watering to attend our busy April meeting. A warm welcome to our 3 newest members, Kelly, Janet, and Jennifer! We all began the meeting by pruning the crepe myrtles in the overflow parking area behind the clubhouse. Many of you readers might remember that the Garden Club assisted a local scout troop in purchasing the trees, which the scouts then planted. The trees are growing beautifully, and boy did they need a trim! (We'd like to thank Nick of Super Landscaping for hauling away the pile of pruned limbs on his

way out of the Cape the next day.) After our business meeting, we held a workshop on identifying spring-flowering weeds like chickweed, henbit, purple deadnettle, forget-me-not, and burdock. (Fear not – if you missed this but would like to learn more, visit our blog – address below. Also on our blog, you can also see photos of Yard of the Month winners, find planting instructions, and see month-by-month to-do lists for the garden.) And we ended the night with a silent auction of some choice plants for our members.

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, May 1<sup>st</sup>, 7pm in the Clubhouse meeting room. New faces always welcome to join in the fun! Please email [flokell@verizon.net](mailto:flokell@verizon.net) with any questions.

The Garden Club continues selling beautiful and sturdy **RAIN BARRELS** on behalf of Goshen Farm Preservation Society. For \$95 you can water your gardens during the parching summertime heat, support the preservation of a historic property right here in the Cape, buy a sturdy product made in America from a barrel that would otherwise be land-filled – it is truly a win-win purchase. You must pre-order your

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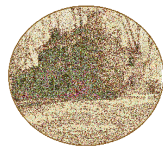
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Submitted by Audrey Lengbeyer



## Goshen Farm Preservation Society

In 1965 the Cape held several preludes of what was to be. In the 50s the social organizing belonged to the Women's Activities Committee. They planned parties for children, started the Teen club, and held dances for adults complete with live music and a floor show. However, there were three fund raising events which were important for everyone: the Flower Mart, May Mart, and the Bazaar. The Flower Mart was usually at the Club House the first weekend in May to coincide with Annapolis' big flower mart. Baskets, seedlings, and planters were sold, and of course there was a bake sale.

The May Mart was bigger and it marked the end of the winter, and welcomed the summer folks. Food was sold by the only 3 organizations around then: the Volunteer Fire Department and Auxiliary, the Methodist Church which met at the Club House, and the WAC. Since most women were in all 3 organizations, they were working triple time. There were games of chance like a cake walk, and ring toss, and a horse shoe tournament in the park which ran all day. Jars with pictures of teen girls were placed at the Variety Store, Lawson's, and the gas station, and the person with the most money on the day of the Mart was crowned Queen of the May. The biggest event was the Bazaar, which had all that the May Mart had plus a merry-go-round, pony rides, and, sometimes, even a

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small Ferris wheel. Later in the afternoon there was a “bathing beauty” contest to choose Miss Cape St Claire. In 1957, as if this was not enough summer fun, the Fire Department started its annual Carnival which was held in the area where McDonald’s and Wendy’s sit now. This carnival ran for two weekends in mid summer. In 1965 a new resident from Texas joined the WAC and brought with her the idea of a Strawberry Festival combining the Flower, May Mart and the Bazaar. Before 1975 the Strawberry Festival was a one day event much like it is today, but after 1975 it became a two day party. Unfortunately organizing a two party of this magnitude can be overwhelming and the festival did not happen for several years in the mid eighty’s. When it resumed it was brought back to a

one day event.

The Goshen Farm Preservation Society was awarded an extension on our \$150,000 Bond until June of 2013 for renovation of the Farm House. Please help us to reach this goal by donating to the cause. You can do this on our website through Network for Good – or at one of our upcoming events including the Strawberry Festival, the St. Margaret’s Joust, our Open House in September or our Halloween Ball in October. No amount is too small. For more information please visit us at [www.goshenfarm.org](http://www.goshenfarm.org) or email us at [goshenfarm1783@gmail.com](mailto:goshenfarm1783@gmail.com)

Submitted by  
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Mark Your Calendar for Saturday,  
June 9<sup>th</sup>

11 am to 7 pm for the Annual  
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*Cape Saint Claire  
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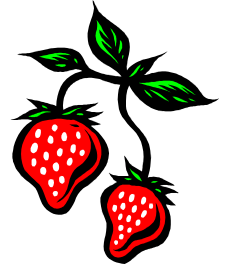
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**RIVERBAY ROAD**



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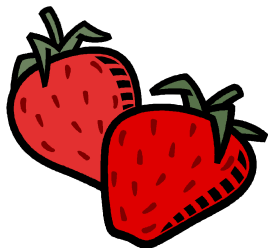
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- Crafters are required to provide their own tables.
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- All Checks should be made payable to the Strawberry Festival
- Registrations are limited and are assigned on a first come, first serve basis.

**SEND FORM AND PAYMENT TO:**

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*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?***

***Have Your Parents Fill out This Form and Return It To  
"Peanut" at  
Brown's Day Care  
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***Baby's Name*** \_\_\_\_\_ ***Birth Date*** \_\_\_\_\_

***Parent's Name*** \_\_\_\_\_

***Address*** \_\_\_\_\_

***Phone Number*** \_\_\_\_\_

***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 9, 2012 for the Parade and Contest Presentation immediately following at the Festival on the main beach. Rain Date June 10, 2012 Contest Entry DEADLINE .... May25, 2012***

***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***



**WANTED CAPE ST. CLAIRE 2012**  
**STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL**  
**JUNIOR PRINCESS**

Are you a young lady entering 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, or 8<sup>th</sup> grade in the fall of 2012 ?

Are you active in your Cape St. Claire Community?

If you can answer yes to the above questions, the Strawberry Festival Committee is looking for you!! The Strawberry Festival Committee is looking for a young lady to represent our wonderful community at this year's festival. If you are interested please submit a 500 word essay entitled, "My Favorite Place is Cape St. Claire" along with this form and a picture of yourself to:

Cape St. Claire Strawberry Festival  
1180 Summit Drive  
Annapolis, MD 21409

The essay should summarize what you like about the Cape and what you can contribute to make it a better place for everyone in the community.

All entries must be submitted by May 15, 2012.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

School you will be attending in the fall of 2012 \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_



**WANTED CAPE ST. CLAIRE 2012  
STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL  
LITTLEST PRINCESS**



Are you a part of the Cape St. Claire Community?

Are you a young lady entering 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> grade in the fall of 2012 ?

If you can answer yes to the above questions, the Strawberry Festival Committee is looking for you!! The Strawberry Festival Committee is looking for a young lady to represent our wonderful community at this year's festival. If you are interested please submit a 200 word essay entitled, "Cape St. Claire a Fun Place to Live" along with this form and a picture of yourself to:

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1180 Summit Drive  
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The essay should summarize what you like about Cape St. Claire.  
submitted by May 15, 2012.

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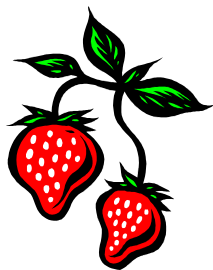
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School you will be attending in the fall of 2012\_\_\_\_\_

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# WANTED CAPE ST. CLAIRE 2012 STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL PRINCESS

Are you a Cape Resident?

Are you a young lady entering 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> or 12<sup>th</sup> grade in the fall of 2012 ?

Are you active in your community?

If you can answer yes to the above questions, the Strawberry Festival Committee is looking for you!! The Strawberry Festival Committee is looking for a young lady to represent our wonderful community at this year's festival. If you are interested please submit a 500 word essay entitled, **"Cape St. Claire a Wonderful Place to Live. As Strawberry Festival Princess I Plan to....."** along with this form and a picture of yourself to:

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The essay should summarize what you like about the Cape and what you can contribute to make it a better place for everyone in the community.

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Name\_\_\_\_\_Age\_\_\_\_\_

Address\_\_\_\_\_

School you will be attending in the fall of 2012\_\_\_\_\_

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All contestants should be available to ride in the parade on Saturday, June 9, 2012 (rain date June 10th)

If you should have any questions or comments please contact Mary at (410) 757-0593



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Mary Lamb 1180 Summit Dr. Annapolis MD 2409***

***Child's Name*** \_\_\_\_\_ ***Age*** \_\_\_\_\_

***Parent's Name*** \_\_\_\_\_

***Address*** \_\_\_\_\_

***Phone Number*** \_\_\_\_\_

***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 9, 2012 for the Parade and Contest Presentation immediately following at the Festival on the main beach. Rain date June 10, 2012.***

***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.***

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