

the *Sea Breeze*

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Hillsmere Community Pool Is Open!

The community pool opened on Memorial Day Weekend, and despite the unseasonably chilly start, we had a great kick-off weekend. Hillsmere residents who are not yet pool members were invited to try out the pool on Saturday and Sunday. New pool members from Black Walnut Cove were welcomed this year. And, on Monday the pool hosted a great Memorial Day party, with food donated by our local Smokehouse Bar & Grill, music, and games.

The pool is open from Memorial Day through Labor day, and is also host to our community swim team, the Hillsmere Hammerheads. We have a great committee of volunteers working on all aspects of the pool operations. If you would like to be a part of making the pool a great place to be, please join the pool committee - there are lots of ways to help.

It's not too late to join the pool, either. Several types of membership options are available, including family, individual, and single-use passes. See page 14 for the Pool Committee Report, membership information, upcoming events, and swim team news.

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Photo by Nuala O'Leary

Elle and Lucas O'Leary sun on the deck while they wait for their first dip of the season.

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President's Message

~ Christian Elkington, President



May at the Board

While most Board Meetings are routine, occasionally they are not. Last year the Board established a Communications Committee, chaired by Philip Jones. One task was to put in writing longstanding rules and policies, which have been communicated from Board to Board without ever being formalized in writing. The first two of these policies – editorial standards for *the Sea Breeze* and Board Meeting standards – have now been adopted by the Board and are published on pages 8 & 9. Most of this is not new, but it is now available to the entire Community. We also approved the establishment of a committee, chaired by Joanne Brew, to establish emergency response teams: HEAT (Hillsmere Emergency Assistance Team). We have always, as a community, helped as needed in an emergency. This initiative, hopefully, will formalize that effort and insure that we are better able to supplement professional assistance after major storms and unexpected events.

South River Days Celebration

Hillsmere has been a corporate member of the South River Federation (SRF) since its inception. Over the years we have benefited directly by our association with the SRF. They have helped us obtain funding for the installation of our rain gardens, monitored the safety of the water off our beach, and represented our interests before the County Council. This year HSIA is co-sponsoring the annual South River Days Celebration on Saturday, June 15th from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the Hillsmere community beach. The Celebration will include kayaking on the South River from 9 a.m. – 11 a.m., followed by a picnic. It is your opportunity to kayak the South River, check the clarity of the water off our beach, and enjoy a picnic lunch.

Everyone is invited. If you plan to attend, please RSVP by email to Sarah Boynton at sarah@southernriverfederation.net. This is your opportunity to say thanks and join the members of the SRF from other communities that border the South River for a fun activity for the whole family.

Operation Clearwater

HSIA will, once again, be participating in the South River Federation's Operation Clearwater. The bacteria count at our beach will be sampled each Wednesday and the results will be posted at the beach and emailed to the community weekly.

In the past, our bacteria count has been one of the lowest among the communities that border the South River, but it has occasionally been above the safe level immediately after a heavy rain. The State Department of Natural Resources recommends that you refrain from swimming in the Bay and its tributaries for 48 hours after any significant rain.

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(President's Comments, continued from page 2)

Summer Waterfront Education and Enforcement Program (SWEEP)

The Anne Arundel County Police Department will be enforcing posted community rules again this summer. Their emphasis will be on illegal drinking, enforcing community property closing times, trespassing, and illegal parking. If you plan to visit the beach or marina facilities you must have an HSIA vehicle sticker or you risk being cited.

Fourth of July

Finally, the Board voted to open the beach in the evening on the 4th, so that those who desire can watch the fireworks across the South River skyline. Preparations have not been finalized, but there will be something to eat and something to see. Security will be present and no personal fireworks will be allowed. Watch emails and the Community signboard for additional information.

THANK YOU to Emily Auerswald for coming up with the idea of a book drop at Hillsmere beach and to Richard, our Assistant Manager, for building the book drop with materials donated by the store.



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HSIA Community News and Events

~ Jean Somers, HSIA Administrator



Don't miss these great upcoming Community Events this summer
(For more details, please turn to the Entertainment Report, on page 7)



Happy Hour at the Beach – Come join your neighbors, Friday, June 14, 5 - 8 p.m., for our June Happy Hour at the beach. Our next Happy Hour is scheduled for Friday, July 12, 5-8 p.m.

Ice Cream Social! Welcome the start of summer season, Saturday, June 22 at 7 p.m. at the Beach. Brusters will be back with 5 delicious flavors this year. Please bring a topping to share.



4th of July Bike Parade. The parade starts at 10 a.m. at the Key School parking lot on the corner of Hillsmere and Carroll Drives. **PLEASE NOTE: the lower section of Hillsmere Drive will be closed to vehicle traffic during the parade.**

Dumpster Days -- Dumpster Days are scheduled for our community from noon on Friday, July 19 until 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, July 20. More information, instructions, and directions are on pages 11& 12 of this issue.



Pool Passes – Thank you to everyone that has signed up to join the pool this summer. The pool looks great and we are looking forward to a great season of fun in the sun! If you sent your paperwork in the mail for pool passes, we will process the paperwork as soon as possible and contact you when we leave your pool passes at the pool. If you still want to join, the lifeguards have the forms. You can complete the forms and leave the forms and payment with the lifeguards. They will put it in a drop box. Please remember that all pool members must be HSIA members too. Please contact pool@hillsmershores.net or call 410-263-4456 if you have any questions.

Call for Graduates -- Do you have a graduate you would like to recognize in *the Sea Breeze*? Just email the Editor at seabreeze@hillsmershores.net or call the 24-hour voice mail at 410-263-4456. Give us the name of your graduate, school, degree earned, and date of graduation. We'll proudly announce your graduate !

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Hillsmere's Little Free Library is Open!

The Hillsmere Little Free Library, located under the willow tree at the Community beach, opened for business at the Happy Hour last month. Community resident and librarian, Emily Auerswald, came up with the idea to bring the LFL project to our neighborhood. The K&B True Value on Forest Drive donated materials and built the structure, and Emily and her family decorated it with materials found on Hillsmere's beach.



Little Free Library is a movement started by Todd Bol of Hudson, WI and Rick Brooks of Madison, WI in 2010, and has grown to include little libraries in most states and dozens of

countries. LFL's mission is to promote literacy and the love of reading through free book exchanges and to foster a sense of community and connection. You can learn more, and see other cool neighborhood LFLs, at www.littlefreelibrary.org.

How does it work?

- ~ The LFL is stocked with a variety of books, suitable for children and adults
- ~ You stop by and take a book you'd like to read. No need to register or sign-out books
- ~ You can return the same book when you are done, or you may contribute other books
- ~ Books are always free

CONGRATULATIONS HILLSMERE GRADUATES



- ◆ Patrick Miles, graduated from high school (homeschool).
- ◆ Peter Miles graduated, summa cum laude, from The Catholic University of America with a B.S. in Architecture.
- ◆ Philip Miles graduated, magna cum laude, from Anne Arundel Community College.



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Notice: 2013 Anne Arundel Co. Adult Mosquito Service

You have received this notice either because your community participated in the 2012 program or is on the wait list. Your community must have a completed 2013 application on file with MDA in order to receive service. Contact Mosquito Control if you need an application.

Your community will receive service on Thursday Nights

The 2013 program will begin with technician training on May 29 – June 13.

Regular season activity will begin on June 16 and continue into September.

Spray trucks may be in your community and spraying as part of training between June 2 and June 13.

Any training involving spraying will only be done on your community's assigned service night.

Monitoring the adult mosquito population before spraying is required. The minimum thresholds for spraying are measured in landing counts as 3 mosquitoes attempting to bite in 2 minutes, or 12 female mosquitoes collected overnight in an unbaited light trap.

Spraying will only be done when an MDA employee has determined the need to spray. Please refer to the Standard Operating Procedures that you received with your application and the Maryland Department of Agriculture web site for more information.

For more mosquito control information see:

http://mda.maryland.gov/plants-pests/Pages/mosquito_control.asp

Or call 410-841-5870

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Entertainment Committee

Ice Cream Social



Celebrate summer with the **Ice Cream Social!** Join us Saturday, June 22 at 7 p.m. at the Beach. Brusters will be back with 5 delicious flavors this year. The social will run until the ice cream is gone, so don't be late! Please bring a topping to share. We hope to see you there.

Next up is the annual **4th of July Bike Parade.** The parade starts at 10 a.m. at the Key School parking lot on the corner of Hillsmere and Carroll Drives. Refreshments will be served at the beach! Come show off your red, white and blue bikes, scooters, and boards!



**** Please note, the lower section of Hillsmere Drive will be closed to vehicle traffic from 9:45 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. on July 4. Residents on nearby streets should plan to exit the neighborhood via Harbor or Beach Drives during that hour. Thank you for your cooperation.**

Happy Hour at the Beach – Come join your neighbors on Friday, June 14, 5 - 8 p.m., for our June Happy Hour at the beach. Our next Happy Hour is scheduled for Friday, July 12, 5-8 pm. We will supply hot dogs, buns, condiments, hot grills, paper plates, napkins, soft drinks and coolers full of ice. You bring a plate of Happy Hour style food to share, some lawn chairs, and your favorite adult beverage. Come enjoy good food, conversation with your neighbors, and our great beach facility. Hope to see you there! If you would like to help with or plan future community Happy Hours, please contact Noel Gasparin at beach@hillsmershore.net.




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(Adopted by the HSIA Board of Directors May, 2013)

The Sea Breeze is a community newsletter. Its goal is to provide information to the Hills-mere Shores Community on topics of interest to the residents. Except for the publication of the Special Tax Budget, the Sea Breeze is not a paper of record. The Sea Breeze is a primary source of communication with the community; it is not and shall not be the sole method for communicating with the residents of the community.

The Sea Breeze will be published using generally accepted publishing and editorial standards including, but not limited to, attribution of all articles, protection of the privacy of property owners and residents and reportorial standards without bias. The standards shall permit, but do not require, publication of editorials and opinion pieces by members of the Board, HSIA Committees or community members on major community issues or decisions.

The Sea Breeze shall be published on a regular basis as directed by the Board of Directors. The regular schedule of publication is monthly except that the December/January and July/August issues shall be combined for a total of ten issues per calendar year. Special issues may be published to address emergent events or issues as directed by the Board.

The editor shall be the sole judge of the acceptability of material submitted for publication and shall be free to edit for both length and content articles and other material submitted for publication. Originators of edited or rejected material shall be advised of the changes prior to publication.

Advertising, announcements, or articles that solicit funds, support political candidates or parties, promote the interests of outside groups or organizations shall not be permitted without the approval of HSIA Board of Directors.

Each resident shall be entitled to publication of two (2) announcements or personal ads per year without charge.

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The Board of Directors of Hillsmere Shores Improvement Association (HSIA) shall place on the agenda and consider issues passed by a majority (quorum present) of members of the community at all regular and special meetings of the Corporation.

Issues requiring a vote of the Board shall be recorded in the minutes of the appropriate meeting and published. At meetings of the Board of Directors, all votes shall be recorded by name unless unanimous.

Substantive issues initiated by correspondence, to include email, shall be included on the agenda of the regularly scheduled meeting of the General Membership of the Corporation.



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DUMPSTER DAYS

- ♦ ***Please read this information carefully. You may want to hold on to this issue of the Sea Breeze for Dumpster Days instructions.***
- ♦ ***Please note that the dumpsters will be delivered by noon on Friday, July 19 and removed by 1 pm on Saturday, July 20.***

Dumpster Days are scheduled for Friday and Saturday, July 19 and 20. The dumpsters will be located adjacent to the community pool. **The dumpsters will be delivered by noon on Friday, July 19 and removed by 1 pm on Saturday, July 20. Please make sure the dumpsters are in place before hauling any items to the dumpster area. If we have a large amount of rain, dumpsters could be relocated to the beach parking lot.**

Please be courteous and follow all directions to maintain a smooth flow of traffic. We will be using a clockwise traffic pattern, the same as in previous years (please see the map on the reverse side of this page). To avoid excessive damage to the grounds, **do not enter or exit the dumpster area from Harbor Drive.**

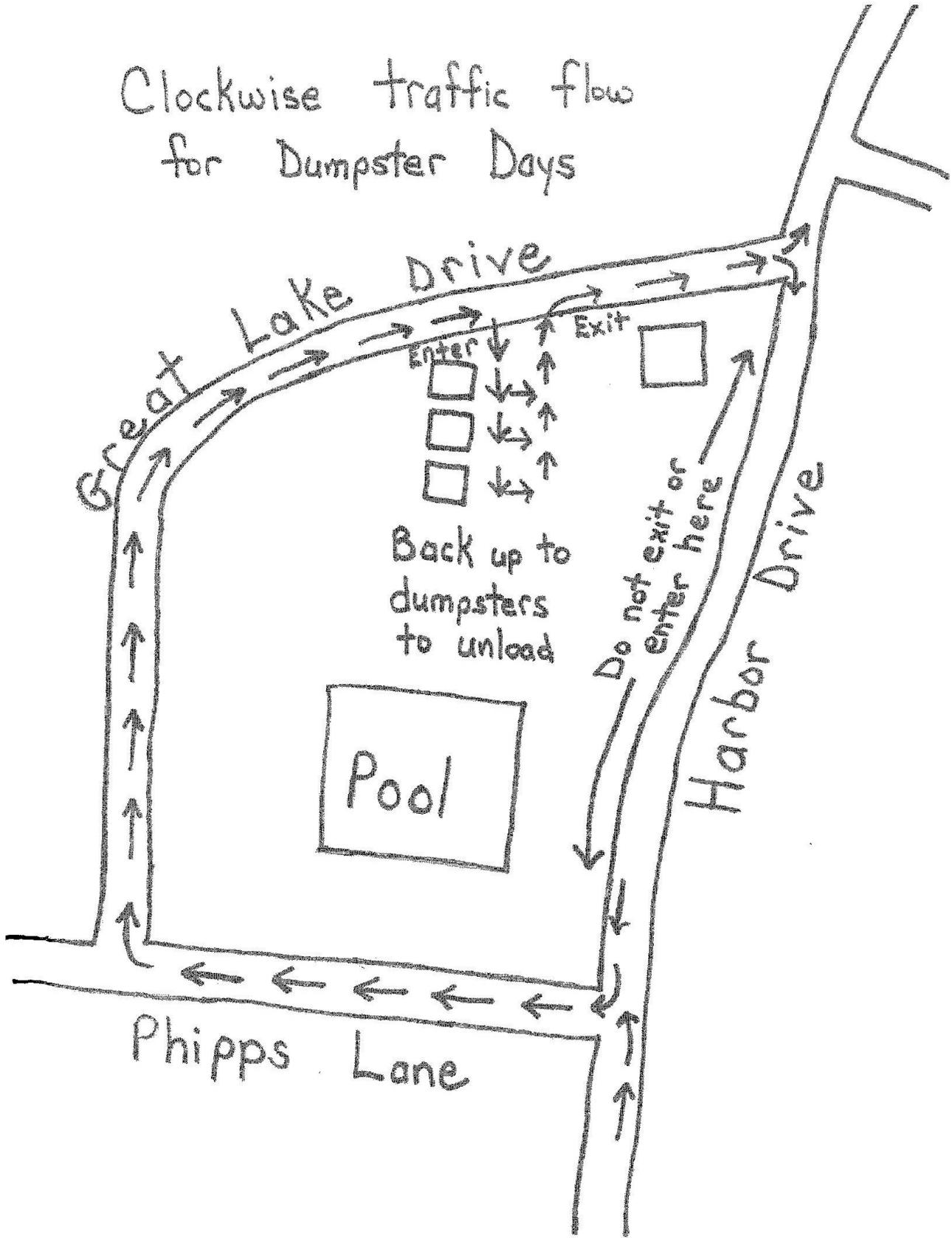
If anyone can volunteer to help supervise loading of the dumpsters or the flow of traffic, please call the HSIA information line at 410-263-4456.

Please follow these guidelines:

1. Do not bring children.
2. Watch for, and do not interfere with, County trucks and bulldozers in the area.
3. Do not leave waste materials outside the dumpsters or allow them to protrude above the top of the container.
4. Do not put too much heavy material in one container. Fill the containers completely from the rear to the front.
5. Do not put garbage or similar trash, hazardous materials, tires, liquids, pressurized containers, refrigerators, air conditioners, boats, trailers, logs or tree trunks into the dumpsters. Tie or bundle light material so it won't blow around. Disassemble large items such as swing sets and other similar items. Cut tree trimmings into 3-4 foot lengths.
6. Do not put material into the containers after dark.
7. Do not block flow of local traffic on Great Lake Drive.



Clockwise traffic flow
for Dumpster Days



Welcome Committee

~ Kathy McFadden, Welcoming Committee Chair



We are off to a great start. The committee members have been busy delivering 20 bags this past month to new neighbors in our community.

We have received another five new names to our list. The new neighbors were so pleased to receive these bags loaded with information about Hillsmere and the surrounding area. The Pool Committee generously provided fliers offering a free one day family pass for new residents. I am sure these will be used and are a great promotion for our outstanding community pool.

We will be going out to businesses in the Hillsmere area asking for coupons or donations to put in our Welcome Bags. If you are a business owner in Hillsmere and would like to add a flier, coupon, promotional pen, or other item with your business name, please get in touch with me and we will be glad to put it in the bag.

Some committee members were at the pool's Open House on Saturday and Sunday welcoming new neighbors. We still have some bags available to those who have not received their Welcome bag. If you are new to the community and we have not been in touch with you, please email me or call me so we can make sure you receive your Welcome Bag.

We will also be at the Happy Hours throughout the summer. Look for the table with the Welcome New Neighbor sign. We are also delighted to welcome a new member to our committee, Marilyn Colasuonno.

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Hillsmere Community Pool

~ Mike Drucis and Perry Geib, Pool Co-Chairs



Welcome Hillsmere and Black Walnut Cove residents to the opening of the 2013 pool season. It is finally here!

Memorial Day Party/Opening Weekend: The pool season started with a great opening pool celebration. We had good food, folks and fun at the Memorial Day party. It was a great time to remember what Memorial Day is about. I could not want any other way than to celebrate this day with our family and friends.

Thank you to all the volunteers, for all the time you put into making the pool opening go off without a hitch. We could not have done it without all of your help, Thank You!

We had delicious food donated by the Annapolis Smoke House: all the pulled pork and potato salad that we could eat. So, don't forget to visit and say thanks to a local restaurant that made the Memorial Day party a big success. We also had live music from Carl Corse, who donated his equipment and time to keep things hopping. This is what makes Hillsmere such a great place to live.

It is NOT too late to join the pool! Just go to www.hillsmershores.net, and click on the pool section to submit your forms.

New: Morning Lap Lane times Available Soon! One lap lane will be open for Adult Members only, during Key Camp. Weekdays, 9 am-10:30 am, June 24 through August 2.

Key Camp at the Pool: Weekdays, 9 am - 10:30 am, June 24 through August 2, excluding July 4 and 5. (Other than use of Lap Lane, pool will be closed to members). **Key Swim Club:** Weekdays, 1pm - 3 pm, June 17 through July 26 (pool will remain open to members).

Joining the Pool Committee is Easy! Email us at pool@hillsmershores.net. Meetings are the 1st Wednesday of each month at 7 p.m. at Key School (Science and Library Building)

Volunteers Needed: We are so excited about the enormous interest in the pool committee. We'd love to have even more volunteers to help with our sub-committees. Many of these positions involve a nominal amount of time. Please let us know how you can help!

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Hillsmere Hammerheads Swim Team: For updates to the practice schedule, please see our website: www.hillsmerehammerheads.com.

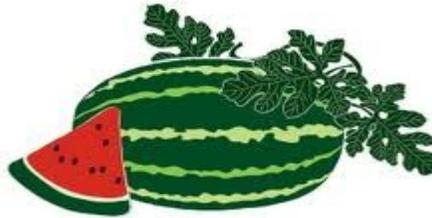
Summer 2013 Swim Meet Schedule.

Please note: The pool will open late when there is a Home Meet.

- **June 15, 2013 8:00 am vs. Davidsonville - HOME**
- **June 22, 2013 8:00 am vs. Bay Ridge - HOME**
- **June 29, 2013 8:00 am vs. Ulmstead - HOME**
- July 6, 2013 8:00 am vs. Indian Hills - AWAY
- July 13, 2013 8:00 am vs. Bay Hills - AWAY
- Bronze Championship Meet: July 17, Time TBD, Location TBD
- **Silver Championship Meet: July 20, 7:00 am, At Hillsmere (Pool will close early)**
- Gold Championship Meet: July 21, 7:00 am, At Bay Ridge



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Security

~ Matt Franz, Security Chair



Now that summer is in full swing, we have Blueguard providing foot patrols at the beach and marina on weekends for our safety and to maintain that residents and guests are the only people using the facilities.

Please make sure to get your 2013 Hillsmere community sticker ASAP. All vehicles must display current 2013 stickers while on community property or they are subject to towing, booting, ticketing, and trespassing charges for non-residents. Slip holders please contact the piers and harbor committee at marinacommunications@hillsmershores.net to obtain marina guest passes.

Remember – the security committee offers special patrols while you’re on vacation, monitors problem areas, school bus stops and community property. Contact security at security@hillsmershores.net with any special needs.

Important contacts to have:

1. AACO police emergency 911
2. AACO police non emergency 410-222-8610
3. AACO Police online at <http://www.aacounty.org/Police/Forms.cfm>
4. Email Hillsmere Security at security@hillsmershores.net
5. Call and leave Hillsmere Security a message at 410-263-4456 X6
6. Stop the off duty police officer or Blueguard officer and talk to him about issues



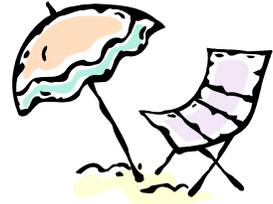
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From the Beach ...

~ Kate Penn, Beach Chair



PLEASE DO NOT BRING BOTTLES OR GLASS TO THE BEACH!

We had several recent incidents of kids cutting their feet on broken glass, at least one requiring stitches. It is nearly impossible to clean up all the shards of broken glass, so please don't tempt fate. Whether you are bringing refreshments, have an alcohol permit, or are coming to the Happy Hour, you must choose cans or plastic containers for your beverages, or transfer those beverages to a non-breakable container.

Operation Clean Water returns for Summer 2013: The South River Federation (SRF) provides weekly testing of the microbial water quality for communities on the South River. The water sampling counts the levels of fecal contamination in the water, and helps us gauge how safe the water is for swimming. If the levels exceed 104 cfu/100 ml, the water is not safe for swimming. Weekly water quality reports are available on the SRF website, at <http://www.southernriverfederation.net>.

2013 South River Federation Bacteria Test Results (Enterococci)

Test Date	cfu/100 ml	The acceptable concentration of bacteria for swimming and other direct water contact, as determined by EPA, Maryland Department of the Environment and Anne Arundel County Department of Health, is 104 cfu (colony forming units)/100ml. Anne Arundel County advises no swimming or direct water contact for 48 hours after rainfall, due to predicted elevated bacteria levels from rainwater runoff and increased health risks.
5/22	1	
5/30	64	
6/5	10	

Shoreline Remediation Project: The project design has received approval from the MD Department of the Environment (MDE), and has been submitted to Anne Arundel County for building permits. With the majority of review comments addressed, Near Shore Engineering, has also begun bidding for the construction work. We continue to anticipate County permits will be issued by the end of June, and the start of work at the middle of July.

Please note that we will be switching to the West entrance to the park, and closing the current gate. The east end of the parking lot (the paved section) will be reserved for construction equipment and contractor parking. The west end (the gravel section) will be for residents and their guests. There will be limited access to the east end of the beach and park during construction.

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Local News and Events...



- ❖ **Firehouse Open House:** Saturday, June 8, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Our local Bay Ridge firehouse is having their annual open house. Come take a tour, see demonstrations, and check out all they have to keep us safe in our homes and on the water. And don't forget to thank them for a great job!
- ❖ **The Corsicans, Live Performance:** Thursday, June 27 starting at 9p.m., at the Annapolis Smokehouse & Tavern. The Corsicans will be performing their special brand of rock, funk, and pop. Hillsmere's own Carl Corse fronts a three piece band that is certain to get you dancing and singing along.
- ❖ **The TALENT MACHINE COMPANY presents: *Once on this island.*** Performances at Key Auditorium at St. John's College. Friday, July 12 at 7:30 pm; Saturday, July 13 at 7:30 pm; SUNDAY, July 14 at 2:00 pm and 6:30 pm; Thursday, July 18: camp show at 10:00 am; Friday, July 19 at 7:30 pm; Saturday, July 20 at 7:30 pm; and Sunday, July 21 at 2 pm. Tickets are \$12, with \$2 discount if paid by June 9; for tickets go to talentmachine.com.
- ❖ **DIG into READING! Treasure Awaits with the 2013 Summer Reading Club at the AACo. Public Library.** For all ages, from Pre-k to teens. Sign up anytime, at any branch, beginning June 3. Club-related programs and activities begin on June 17 and run through July 27. Don't miss the special events for teens and the entire family. Details at www.aacpl.net.
Summer Reading Club events at Eastport-Annapolis Neck:
 - Kickoff Events:* Wednesday, June 19 at 10 am, For all ages
 - Thursday, June 20 at 2 pm, For middle and high school ages
 - Books and Magic:* Monday, June 24 at 1:30 and 3:30 pm
 - Science Show:* Wednesday, July 10 at 3 pm
 - Time Capsule (Puppet Show):* Monday, July 15 at 7 pm
 - Nicolo Whimsey (Variety Show):* Wednesday, July 24 at 9:30 and 11:30 am
- ⊞ **Donate your used eyeglasses** to the Lions Club Organization. Glasses can be dropped off at the home of Ann Smith, 106 Pine Dr., in Hillsmere. Please place glasses either in the mailbox or on the porch. For more information, email: asmith1943@gmail.com.
- ❖ **Summer at KEY.** Looking for a special experience for your child this summer? You have a wealth of opportunity right in our neighborhood. Summer at KEY, located at the Key School, offers a wide range of camps and classes for children from 3½ years old to high school.
 - ~ Week-long, half-day camps offer children the opportunity to develop their interests, from cooking, sewing and Legos to sports, circus camps and Rock 'n' Roll.
 - ~ Traditional camps present a half- or full-day of activities organized around weekly themes and include swimming.
 - ~ Academic classes are also available, including the Personal Essay - a great benefit for students about to apply to college, additional writing classes designed to strengthen the skills of high school and middle school students, Algebra II prep, and Preparing for Biology, as well as Learning Skills classes for rising 5th and 6th graders and 9th and 10th graders.Summer at KEY starts on June 17th and runs through August 16th. For more information visit our website www.keyschool.org/summeratkey, or call the camp office at 410-263-9231.

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❖ **Upcoming Events at the Eastport-Annapolis Neck Public Library.**

- ~ Get professional job search help with employment applications, resumes and referrals for more training as needed. Mondays: 2 to 6 pm. For information call 410-222-1770.
- ~ Crafty Saturdays: Crafts for all ages. June 1, 15, and 29; July 13 and 27; August 10 and 24.
- ~ Book Buddies Reading Club: For elementary school ages. *Big Nate*, by Lincoln Peirce: Tuesday, June 18 at 4:30 pm; *Lulu and the Brontosaurus*, by Judith Viorst: Tuesday, August 20 at 4:30 pm.
- ~ Sea of Monsters Thursday, August 1st at 6:30 pm. Celebrate the new Percy Jackson Movie with Greek Gods, Games, and Trivia.
- ~ Otto the Auto, Wednesday, August 7 at 10 am. The beloved three-foot tall remote-controlled car teaches children about road and traffic safety. For preschool and elementary school ages; sponsored by AAA Mid-Atlantic.
- ~ Legopalooza! Monday, August 5 from 2 to 4 pm Come for brick-snapping fun! Design and build your own creations. Note: Please do not bring your own. And, the bricks stay at the library.
- ~ Reader's Theater: Wednesday, August 14 at 10 am. For pre- and elementary school ages. It's time to put on a play! We'll read the script together, choose parts, make props, and put on a skit. Parents are invited to watch the performance at 11 am.
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Mar 28	Jun 27	Sep 26	Dec 19

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Jan 10	May 9	Sep 12
Mar 14	Jul 11	Nov 14

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June/July, 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
9	10	11 Piers & Harbor Meeting	12	13	14 Flag Day Happy Hour at the Beach	15 South River Days Celebration
16 Father's Day	17	18	19	20	21 Summer Solstice	22 Ice Cream Social
23	24	25	26	27 Board Meeting	28	29
30	July 1	2	3 Pool Comm. Meeting	4 Independence Day 4th of July Bike Parade	5	6
7	8	9 Ramadan Begins Sea Breeze deadline	10	11 General Meeting	12 Happy Hour at the Beach	13



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316 Cedar Lane	\$499,900	4	2.5
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605 Beach Drive	\$729,000	2	2.5*
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