

#### NEWSLETTER

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6401 Forest Road, Cheverly, MD 20785-3197

June 2021 301-773-8360

# FYI

#### FOR YOUR INFORMATION

by Mayor Laila Riazi

Call 301-773-8360 to contact the Mayor

#### **MAYOR'S CORNER**

Cheverly Neighbors and Friends, join me in extending—

#### Congratulations to the "Unstoppable" Class of 2021 Grads!



We know that for over a year you have persevered, overcome, and excelled! You've made it work and learned so much about yourself along the way. Your community is proud you have come this far.

#### We still need your help to congratulate every 2021 high school graduate in Cheverly!

The "Cheverly GradBags Team" still needs your help to make sure every Cheverly 2021 high school graduate is celebrated with a "GradBag" gift! If you know of a Cheverly grad (public, private, and home-schooled) please email CheverlyGrads@gmail.com with the student's name, address, email, and phone number, or as much information as you have, so that the team can follow up. Further questions or needs? You can call or text Cindy at 301-442-6025. Grad Bag delivery is planned for the first week of June, and the team will continue with deliveries to grads as needed.

#### Booms and Noxious Odors, Oh My! — concerned? Join the Monday, June 7 webinar!

It's happening! Our air quality monitoring program is offering us a way to bring attention to our air pollution concerns, and the Maryland Department of the Environment Air and Radiation Administration wants to hear from you! We have an extraordinary opportunity to be heard and to use our reporting to help make

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a positive difference in industrial operations in our area. MDE has been participating as a partner in the effort now underway to set up a hyper-local air monitoring program in and around the Cheverly area. As part of the State's effort, MDE will be implementing a targeted air pollution inspection initiative! This initiative will use the data from the Cheverly hyper-local air monitors, input from residents and area-wide, twice-weekly inspections of multiple emission sources in the area, all to ensure that emissions are well controlled. An intensive effort will take place in June and July. The effort will continue after July but be refined based upon the two-month intensive during the summer of 2021. Please share this with all your neighbors! This is a ground-breaking opportunity to address current ills and look at how to respond to harmful aspects of future

industrial development in our area. Remember! You can also call in to participate! **Join the Webinar! Mon., June 7 at 6:30 PM.** 

Please click the link below to join the webinar: <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85613462160?">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85613462160?</a>
pwd=VWZRYmRtOzcvSFE1OUFrbnFJdElFZz09

Webinar ID: 856 1346 2160 Passcode: 324124

You can also join by phone! iPhone one-tap: US: +13017158592,,85613462160# or Dial US: ++1 301 715 8592

# DC is seeking to bring 121 Buses just beyond Cheverly! The DC DDOT and DMV facility.

Yes. This is all things alarming. The outreach process to our Town and surrounding municipalities and civic associations was abysmal. We immediately and successfully pushed back on the original timeline of this process and have been able to secure until September to examine the layered concerns with this development proposed for 1201 Claybrick Rd. (located off of Sheriff Rd., between Marblewood and Cabin Branch Rd).

As best as we understand at this point, this is a mandatory referral project where DC is looking to bring in a DDOT and DMV facility, comprised of 121 buses and another 121 parking spaces for employees, etc. There also is a proposal for CDL exams, bus washing, and bus fueling at this site. The traffic congestion and traffic safety impact are significant. We have air quality health concerns and noise and environmental concerns, and our residents, staff, and Council deserve time to listen, learn, research, and respond to what DC is seeking. DC plans to purchase the property contingent upon the development approval.

Our Green Infrastructure Committee and Cheverly Planning Board are lending their time and effort to identifying and advising how we can best respond. We are also seeing how we can mobilize the AQM project (see above) in this effort. Again, we face a response that the proposed use is in keeping with the zoning. This development brings no taxes or other economic benefits to our area. We and surrounding communities are only left with long-term combined (cumulative) health, safety, and environmental ills. We are looking at how we might successfully mobilize area-wide opposition and at any conditions we can place on this operation that eliminate or mitigate some of the harmful impacts on our communities.

# COVID-19 – Keeping on top of local data and updates – please always carry a mask!

The Covid-19 data and updates are changing faster than I can support through the Mayor's corner. In most ways, the news for our area is good, bringing

fewer restrictions, greater safety, and more opportunities. I encourage you to always carry a mask with you and to please consider masking up a respectful action when you are indoors and when outdoors in sizable gatherings. The best local resource for understanding our infection, vaccination, and opening information is <a href="https://www.princegeorgescountymd.gov/3397/">https://www.princegeorgescountymd.gov/3397/</a>
Coronavirus. We will continue to partner for vaccination opportunities for our community throughout the months ahead. Please get vaccinated. Please stay masked when out in public. Reach out if you need help accessing vaccines, need recovery assistance, are looking for ways to connect with neighbors or community organizations, or to simply say hello!

# The Town FY22 Budget – heavy on infrastructure and ARP positive impact on the deficit.

I am happy to share that Council voted to lower the Cheverly property tax rate from \$.51 per \$100 to 0.49 per \$100 of assessment. For most Cheverly homeowners, that will mean that you should not pay more in property taxes this year than you did the year before. The FY22 budget is heavy on infrastructure and reflects both cuts and increases to departmental budgets. The projected impact on our fund balance is significant at \$1,545,500. Yes, you read that correctly. Looking at the guidance for the use of the American Rescue Plan funds the Town is projected to receive, upwards of \$650,000 of the FY22 projected deficit can be covered under these funds. Please examine the budget and remain engaged. Our third reader and vote to adopt the budget will be in our Thursday, June 10 Town meeting.

# Did you know you can join Town Meetings and Worksessions by phone?

You should see an invite to our Town Meetings and Worksessions in each newsletter. If you do not have internet access, there will always be the opportunity to join by phone. You are welcome to ask questions and give comments.

#### Stay engaged and keep in touch.

As always, and especially during this time, please reach out. I am almost always available by text or call at 202-258-6167, and you can email me at mayor@cheverly-md.gov. I welcome your call and will do my best to address your concerns or get back to you with information. If you are ever in a situation where you do not hear back from me, please do reach out again or call the Town office, 301-773-8360, so that I can ensure that we connect. Thank you to those who join us at work sessions and meetings. I encourage your continued involvement by video and phone. It feels good to have community in the room, even if it is virtual. **Be Cheverly inspired.** 

## THE TOWN: NEWS & ANNOUNCEM



Pepco 701 Ninth Street N.W. Washington, D.C. 20068-0001 202.833.7500

pepco.com

May 5, 2021

#### Dear Valued Customer,

As part of Pepco's ongoing commitment to continuously improve service reliability, we proactively evaluate the performance of our distribution feeders within our service territory, which includes Prince George's County. The purpose of this evaluation is to identify recurring issues or mitigate any potential outages that could impact the communities served by those feeders thereby reducing the response time for the outages and increasing the reliability of the overall system.

Pepco is in the process of beginning work in your community soon and the improvement plan we have developed in support of the feeder which serves the Town of Cheverly will consist of three components:

• Main Line Reconductoring and Pole Replacements • Transformer Upgrades and Residential Service Wire Upgrades • Vegetation Management

Beginning in June 2021, Pepco will replace aging wooden poles with new poles and replace older, 13 kV primary wire with new tree wire. Replacing aging poles and crossarms will help to mitigate any future, potential outages due to windstorms and other inclement weather-related outages; additionally, the replacement of the aging bare copper wire with new tree wire will improve the resilience of the feeder by protecting the primary conductor from faults associated with tree limbs, animal contact and increase the capacity of the feeder.

Our work will span approximately 3/4 of a mile and will take place along Parkway Street between the following locations:

• Arbor Street and Cheverly Circle • Cheverly Circle and Parkway Place to Forest Road • Alongside Forest Road from Cheverly Avenue to Hillside Avenue

This upgrade project is expected to take approximately three months (barring any weatherrelated impacts) to complete with most of the work will be in public spaces as well as Pepco's existing right-of-way. The safety of the community and public at large, as well as the environment, will remain our top priority. We will adhere to all regulations and guidelines set by the Prince George's County Department of Permitting, Inspections and Enforcement as well as the Town of Cheverly through the permitting process.

As part of our work, Pepco also will schedule outages that will start by the end of June and carry over into August. The project timeline indicates an approximate week of the month in which crews will be performing work. However, actual outages affecting individual customers will vary. The plan is to provide a tentative schedule to the Town Administration at least four-weeks prior to the planned outage, with preliminary outages two-weeks out and final outage notices at least 72 hours before an actual outage occurs.

We are committed to working as safely as possible, and we will make every effort to minimize inconveniences to you and your neighbors.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at aruffin@pepco.com.

Thank you,

Tony Ruffin

Tony Ruffin Governmental & External Affairs Manager Pepco Governmental & External Affairs Pepco, an Exelon Company

Please scan the QR code for the Town of Cheverly (Reliability Feeder Improvement Work) Ouestions & Answers.



In an effort to keep our Town connected during this pandemic we are including upcoming events in this Newsletter. Please note we may need to cancel these events due to ongoing changes and updates with COVID-19.

## THE TOWN: NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### **GET ALERTED!**

Would you like to receive Town updates in real time? If so, subscribe on the Town website to receive an email sent directly to you when News and Announcements are posted.

Signing up is easy. Simply visit cheverly-md.gov. Go to the brown banner where you see Home, Public Safety, Public Works, Administration, Board of Commission, and Subscribe. Click "Subscribe..." and fill in the necessary information.

#### **VACATIONS & HOME SECURITY**

Residents planning to be away for vacations should call the Cheverly Police (301-341-1055) to arrange to have their homes checked while they are gone.

The following items should also be checked to make sure your residence is safe and looks as much as possible like someone is there:

- Cancel newspaper & mail delivery or have a neighbor pick it up for you.
- Arrange for lawn care.
- Valuables should be stored, preferably in a bank.
- Store lawn mowers, bicycles, and lawn furniture inside.
- Lights inside the house should be set on a timer.
- Set telephone bells as low as possible.
- Shades and drapes should be drawn.
- Cars left in the driveway should be locked.
- Make sure smoke detectors are working.
- All windows and doors should be locked.
- Give your house key & itinerary to at least one friend or neighbor.

#### SOLID ANIMAL WASTE ORDINANCE



Sec. 4-10 (a) It shall be unlawful for a person controlling an animal, except a seeing eye dog, to allow or permit solid waste of such animal to remain on the property of any other person

without the consent of the owner or occupant thereof; or on such public properties as are prohibited by order of the Mayor and Council of the Town of Cheverly. Prohibited areas are sidewalks, Gast Park, American Legion Park, Boyd Park, & play areas of all other parks.

#### TRASH COLLECTION REMINDER

Sec. 10-7 Except for household trash, which the town may collect from side or rear yards, all collectible trash shall be placed at the street side or curb, but shall not be placed there earlier than 7:00 p.m. on the day before it is scheduled to be collected. All containers or 

street side or curb by 7:00 p.m. of the day it was scheduled for collection. Upon request of a resident to the town administrator and for good cause shown, the town may collect recyclables from a side or rear yard of the property.

#### GRASS, WEEDS AND OVERGROWTH

#### Obstructions

- 1. Residents are reminded that with the nice weather more and more residents are out walking. Please keep the walkways and sidewalks clear of overgrowth and obstructions.
- 2. Keep vegetation from obstruction of the view near intersections

#### Lot Maintenance

- Residents are reminded to make sure your grass is cut before it reaches 8 inches in height.
- The planting strip between the sidewalk and the street is your responsibility to maintain.
- 3. If you are going on vacation, make sure to make arrangements to have your grass cut for you.
- Be sure to take into consideration that the weather can be unpredictable, but the grass still needs to be

#### RESIDENTIAL BUSINESS LICENSE

Residential Business License Program has been suspended for Fiscal Year 2021 (July1 2020- June 30, 2021). We anticipate re-launching the program for FY22. Watch this space for more information to come in the Spring of 2021.

Soliciting in the Town of Cheverly is prohibited without a Town permit. Hand delivered advertisement is not considered a solicitation. If an unpermitted solicitor is in your neighborhood or you need a Town soliciting permit contact Code Compliance at 240-770-7647. During the COVID-19 pandemic you may call Town Hall if you are unable to reach someone in Code Compliance

# REPORT STREET LIGHT PROBLEMS TO PEPCO

• If you are having any problems with street lights, they are out, blinking on and off, etc., you can contact Pepco direct-

- ly. Go to www.pepco.com, go to Outages, and click on Report a Street Light Outage. Then you will be asked for
- either the address or pole number. It will then come to a
- map showing the street lights in the area, click on the street
- light you wish to report, and lastly they will
- ask you for some information about the light and your contact information.





#### RESIDENTIAL ZONE PARKING

Residential ZONE parking permits are now available. The price of the permit is \$5 per vehicle with 1 free guest pass per address. A second guest pass may be obtained for \$2. (Only two guest passes per address.)

Applications can be downloaded from the Town website at <a href="www.cheverly-md.gov">www.cheverly-md.gov</a> under the Form and File tab.

Please drop completed applications in the Permits Box located at Town Hall or mail to: Code Enforcement, 6401 Forest Road, Cheverly, MD 20785.



#### **Cheverly Residential Zone Parking Permit Application**

Due to the Covid19 restrictions applications for Zone Permits will only be accepted by US Mail or placed in the Permit Box located on the left-side wall of the main entrance at Townhall.

- Permits can only be issued to vehicles registered to a Cheverly Address.
- A copy of your vehicle registration must accompany the Application.
- Cost of the Permit is \$5 per vehicle | 1 Guest Parking Pass is allowed per residence at no cost.
- An additional Guest Parking Pass is available for \$2. (No More Than 2 Guest Parking Pass per Address)

If you live in one of the following areas, you will need a Parking Permit:

Zone 1: State St, 61st & 62nd Ave, as well as the 1800 Block of 64th Ave

Zone 2: Eliminated

Zone 3: 22-2400 Block of Cheverly Ave

Zone 4: Arbor St & Crestlawn Ave (22-2300 Block Parkway Eliminated)

Zone 5: 2300 Block of Belleview Ave

Zone 6: Benton Rd & 23-25 Lake Ake

Zone 7: 2400 Block of Valley Way

Zone 8: 3300 Belleview Ave; Medical Ter

SR: This permit allows senior citizens 65 years of age and older to Park in the Odd Side of the 2200 Block of Cheverly Ave in order to utilize the Metro

Residential Parking Permit are to be Displayed on the Back Left Bumper area.

If you have a regular and a SR permit, display them next to each other on the Back Left Bumper.

Guest Parking Permits shall be hung on the REARVIEW mirror with information facing outward.

<u>Citation may be Issued to ANY Vehicle not in compliance with</u>

Town Code 27-5.1 Residential Zone Parking

If you have any questions, please contact the Office of Code Compliance at 240-770-7647

To apply for a Residential Zone Parking Permit by mail, please provide the following information AND a copy of your \*vehicle's registration. Return this form to Residential Parking at the Town of Cheverly with the payment.

\*If you have obtained a Non-Resident Permit from MVA, you MUST send a comp of that permit along with your request.

Number of Permitsattach copy(s) of registrations(s)	(x \$5.00)	\$		
Guest Pass (one free per residence)	(free)	\$FREE		
One additional guest pass: (maximum of 2 passes per residence)	(\$2.00)	\$		
TOTAL DUE:	\$			
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Make checks or money orders payable to:

Town of Cheverly

(Please do NOT send cash in the mail)

Payments may be placed in the mounted **Permits Box** outside of Town Hall or mailed to The Town of Cheverly, Attention: **Residential Parking**, 6401 Forest Road, Cheverly, MD 20785

# THE TOWN: NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Meeting Agendas are updated on the website: www.cheverly-md.gov and virtual meeting information will be posted online in News & Announcements. If you have questions, please call the Town Hall.

Town Meeting broadcast LIVE on Cable 71 & Fios 35. Re-broadcast every day at 12:00 noon, 6:00 pm and 10:00 pm. Meetings can also be viewed on the town's website at cheverly-md.gov.

Votes are unanimous unless otherwise noted CM= Council Member

# ACTIONS TAKEN TOWN MEETING

#### **Constant Yield Meeting - May 11**

□ Motion to Maintain Constant Yield at .4899¢ per \$100 of Assessed Value per Household: CM Munyeneh, seconded by CM Bryner.

#### **Town Meeting - May 13**

- ☐ Motion to Move #16 Approval of Town Grant to Item #8.5: CM Fry, seconded by CM Watson. Approved unanimously.
- ☐ Motion to Grant \$2,000.00 for the Cheverly
  Community Market to Support Market Money
  for Those Who Have Need: CM Fry, seconded
  by CM McCann. Approved unanimously.
- ☐ Motion to Move Forward to Support the Text
  Amendments and to Finalize the Memorandum
  of Understanding: CM Nettles, seconded by CM
  McCann. Approved unanimously.

- Motion to Support Town Administrator Galloway to Work with Public Works Director Brayman to Proceed with Playground Specialist under our Procurement Process instead of Going out to Bid: CM Munyeneh, seconded by CM Nettles. Approved unanimously.
- ☐ Motion that Council Empower the Town Administrator, Mayor, and Vice-Mayor to Draft a Letter from the Town Opposing the Maglev Project: CM Watson, seconded by CM Garcia. Approved unanimously.
- ☐ Motion to Adopt the Resolution of the Town
  Council of Cheverly Maryland to Condemn and
  Combat Racism, Xenophobia and Intolerance
  Against Asian-Americans and Pacific Islanders:
  CM Fry, seconded by CM Munyeneh. Approved unanimously.
- ☐ Motion to Support our Participation in the Children's Health Matters Campaign 2021

  Through Approving this Proclamation: CM Fry, seconded by CM Watson. Approved unanimously.
- ☐ Motion in Support of this (Pride) Proclamation: CM Garcia, CM Nettles. Approved unanimously.
- ☐ Motion to Approve the Design for the Safety
  Railing atop the Retaining Wall for 9 Cheverly
  Circle: CM Munyeneh, seconded CM Watson.
  Approved unanimously.
- ☐ Motion in Support of the Budget Amendment in the Amount of \$18,000.00 for Town Hall Cabling Project: CM Nettles, seconded by CM McCann. Approved unanimously.



# THE TOWN: NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Town Hall	30	01.773.8360	Monday - Friday, 9 AM - 5 PM
Police Department			
	Emergency 91	1	
Non	-Emergency 30	01.352.1200	
Administ	rative Office 30		Monday – Friday, 9AM - 5 PM Saturdays, 8 AM - 4 PM
Public Works	30	01.773.2666	Monday - Friday, 7:30 AM - 4 PM

#### **COVID-19 Updates are ONGOING**

#### How to get current information

Visit the Town of Cheverly website (<a href="www.cheverly.gov">www.cheverly.gov</a> ) for more resources and information regarding COVID-19. Also **please sign up** for the News and Announcements emails.

We are also sharing information via Facebook: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/Town-of-Cheverly-MD-100731471406679">https://www.facebook.com/Town-of-Cheverly-MD-100731471406679</a>. To receive our CodeRed notification, subscribe at <a href="https://public.coderedweb.com/CNE/en-US/BF05350699FE">https://public.coderedweb.com/CNE/en-US/BF05350699FE</a>.

We ask that Town residents be patient regarding these matters and during these unprecedented times while the Town continues to strive to provide the essential function of services for our community.

Thank you for your help and cooperation during this social distancing time. Guidance and recommendations are changing rapidly. We will provide updates as they are provided from state and local health officials. If you need to contact the departments, please see hours of operation and phone numbers below.

Please know, closing the building does not mean closing the Town. Town Staff look forward to serving you!

Town Hall	Open No public access	Please call respective Town offices to conduct essential business.
Town Parks & Trails	Open	Practice Social Distancing of at least 6 feet.
Town Owned Playground Equip- ment	Open	Play at Your Own Risk and Practice Social Distancing of at least 6 feet.
Police Department	Open No public access	
Public Works	Open No public access	
Meeting Rooms	No public access	Meeting rooms at Town Hall are closed.
Trash and other Public Works Collection	Normal Trash Schedule as of April 12, 2021	



#### TOWN OF CHEVERLY

#### Resident Relief Fund

Town of Cheverly Residents can fill out the application to apply for financial assistance due to hardships related to COVID-19.

Applications are available in the March Special Newsletter in English, Spanish, and French or on the Town website under Files and Forms.

Completed and signed application should be emailed to <a href="relief@cheverly-md.gov">relief@cheverly-md.gov</a> or dropped off at Town Hall at 6401 Forest Road, Cheverly MD 20785. Include application and supporting documentation (bills/invoices to be paid). All documentation is required for the application to be considered. Applications will be accepted beginning March 15, 2021 until the funds have been exhausted.

Hardcopies can be hand delivered and placed inside the Relief Fund box on the wall outside of the Town Hall.

Please contact Town Hall at (301) 773-8360 with any questions or concerns.

#### M&C Worksession ZOOM WEBINAR

#### YOU ARE INVITED

Webinar Link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82551558763?pwd=SkU0MDI5TmNWYVBMNXIFVk8vNEp0UT09

Webinar ID: 825 5155 8763 Passcode: 916656

Or iPhone one-tap: US: +13017158592,,82551558763# or +16465588656,,82551558763# Or Telephone: US: +13017158592 or +16465588656 or +13126266799 or +16699009128 or +12532158782 or +13462487799

> The M&C Worksession Zoom Webinars will be held on the Fourth Thursday of Each Month at 7:30 PM until October March 25, 2021

> > April 22, 2021

May 27, 2021 June 24, 2021

July 22, 2021

Aug 26, 2021

Sep 23, 2021

Oct 28, 2021

Please download and import the following iCalendar files to your calendar system.

Monthly: https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/tZYocuitqzMtHNeshZGLuK030RJ8qRv4v-k7/
ics?icsToken=98tyKuGqqz4rH9Gdtx-ERpwQGY 4d- wmFxago1YjxffJAxGSVOJZtBoaqNNBozG

#### CHEVERLY TOWN MEETING ZOOM WEBINAR

You Are Invited

https://us02web.zoom.us/i/84025983118?pwd=cEhsbmU2aEs5MGViaGJnWVh6c1h6UT09

Webinar ID: 840 2598 3118 Passcode: 213079

Or iPhone one-tap: US: +13017158592,,84025983118# or +13126266799,,84025983118# Or Telephone: US: +1 3017158592 or +1 3126266799 or +16465588656 or +16699009128 or +12532158782 or +13462487799

The Cheverly Town Meeting Zoom Webinar will be held on the Second Thursday of Each Month at 8:00 PM from March until October

March 11, 2021

April 8, 2021

May 13, 2021

June 10. 2021

July 8, 2021

Aug 12, 2021

Sep 9, 2021

Oct 14, 2021

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ics?icsToken=98tyKuGsrjkvE9yWsRiPRpwlAojoZ PxiHZcjfpFihj3VixJMwjB0tZXZOZFNsLz

## **PUBLIC WORKS**

#### TRASH SCHEDULE

Mondays (Town Wide) Yard Waste Pick Up

Mondays (East Side) Trash Pick Up

Tuesdays (West Side) Trash Pick Up

Wednesdays (Town Wide) Recycling Pick Up

Thursdays (East Side) Trash Pick Up, including Bulk Trash Pick Up (3 Items Limit)

Fridays (West Side) Trash Pick Up, including Bulk Trash Pick Up (3 Items Limit) Note: Bulk Trash is limited to 3 items and only on the days listed above.

Please have your Regular Trash, Bulk Trash, Yard Waste and Recycling at the curb before 7AM. Crews will start 7:30 AM. Please help the Public Works crew out by <u>not</u> parking in front of the yard waste, trash, recycling, and bulk trash. The picture below, shows how difficult it can be for the crew when there's a vehicle parked. Please do <u>not</u> put Yard Waste and Recycling in plastic trash bags.

If you have any questions call Public Works, 301-773-2666.



#### Town of Cheverly Public Works Holiday Schedule

Juneteenth, Friday, June 18, 2021 Public Works and Town Offices Closed No Trash and Yard Waste Pickup

- ♦ Monday's (Town Wide), June 14, 2021, Yard Waste Pickup will be on a normal pickup schedule.
- ♦ Monday's (East Side), June 14, 2021, Trash Pickup will be on a normal pickup schedule.
- ◆ Tuesday's (West Side), June 15, 2021, Trash Pickup will be on a normal pickup schedule.
- ♦ Wednesday's (Town Wide), June 16,2021, Recycle Pickup will be on a normal pickup schedule.
- ◆ Thursday (Town Wide), June 17,2021, Trash Pickup and Bulk Trash Pickup –Limited to 3 Items



#### **RECYCLING & TRASH TOTALS**

April 2021

Curbside Recycling Yard Waste 42.02TNS (\$27 per ton) Refuse 44.39TNS (\$25 per ton) 153.44TNS (\$59 per ton)

 $\frac{\text{Recycling + Yardwaste}}{\text{Total Tonnage.}} = \frac{86.41}{239.85} = \frac{36.03\% \text{ Percentage}}{\text{diverted from landfill}}$ 

Total Landfill Tipping Fee Savings for Diverted Materials = \$2,853.90

11 Appliances



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# Recycling Bins Available

Please call Public Works, 301-773-2666 to schedule a delivery. Any fees will be billed to you.

Recycle Toter \$20 Small Recycle Bin Free

#### Compost Bins and Rain Barrels

**Compost Bins** and **Rain Barrels** will be available soon. Please call Public Works at 301-773-2666 to be added to delivery list.

Compost Bins \$20 Rain Barrels \$57



# Do those old broken-down trash cans and recycling bins have you in a dump?

If you would like to dispose of an old and or damaged recycling bin or trash can, please call Public Works (301-773-2666) to schedule a pickup. Make sure that it is all plastic, with no metal | parts, and that it is clearly labeled with a sign saying "Dispose of Bin or Can." Then put it at the curb for pickup.

#### Mulch Deliveries are Starting Up!

With one delivery of mulch you can get 1 or 2 Scoops. One Scoop is approximately 2 cubic yards. As a reminder, all Town offices are currently closed to the public and the \$25 delivery fee will be billed to you. Please call Public Works, 301-773-2666 to schedule a delivery.



# The Cicadas are Coming, The Cicadas are Coming: The Truth About the Brood X Periodical Cicada

Information from the Town Arborist Dr. Tolbert Feather

The periodical cicada in this area, Brood X, will emerge this year and is one of many broods that reappear every 17 years. The periodical cicadas have black bodies and red eyes and emerge in mid-May (when ground temperatures reach >64°F) completing their life cycle by the end of June.

Although the adults do feed on woody plants, potential damage to trees and shrubs occurs when the female cicadas insert eggs into the tips of twigs. Sufficient damage can cause the loss of the tips of branches. On large trees, this loss is not noticeable. On smaller trees, it can significantly reduce the canopy, but even smaller trees do recover.

Residents can isolate young trees with screening in May (netting with 1-cm or 3/8-inch mesh) to prevent damage, but there are no treatments to manage the cicadas. Cicadas have little interest in annuals and perennials. Newly emerged cicadas may be seen resting or emerging on non-woody plants, but they will soon thereafter move up into the trees.

The distinctive "singing" or mating call is the first sign that the little wide-eyed creatures are active. Although their appearance may seem ominous, cicadas do not bite people or carry or transmit any diseases. They are a true wonder of nature and a great food source for birds and small mammals.

For more information regarding the Brood X Periodical Cicada and the other broods that appear in this region, please visit the following websites:

https://www.cicadamania.com/cicadas/periodical-cicada-brood-x-10-will-emerge-in-15-states-in-2021/

http://insects.ummz.lsa.umich.edu/fauna/

There is also an app, Cicada Safari, you can download to help document Brood X. Have fun with them; it's a great experience for kids.

# BE MOSQUITO FREE! PREVENTION & PROTECTION

# BugsBITE.com

#### DRAIN

Remove standing water from around your home. It only takes a bottle cap's worth of standing water to cause a mosquito problem.

#### **DRESS**

When practical, wear long pants and long sleeves. Loose-fitting, light-colored clothing is best.

#### **DEFEND**

Use repellent! The EPA has registered repellents that have been reviewed and approved to pose minimal risk when used properly:



The Town of Cheverly will be continuing to participate in The Maryland Department of Agriculture Mosquito Program. The Maryland Department of Agriculture will be spraying the entire Town for Mosquitoes on Tuesday evenings starting May 26 and going through September 28. f you have any requests or concerns, please contact them at their Prince George's County number 301-422-5080 or contact Public Works at 301-773-2666 or secretarypublicworks@cheverly-md.gov and we will relay your information to Mosquito Control.



# Message from the Chief Jarod J. Towers (policechief@cheverly-md.gov)

#### One team, One mission, Team Cheverly!

#### **TELEPHONE NUMBERS**

Police Emergency 9-1-1

Police Non-Emergency (301) 352-1200

Cheverly Police Headquarters (301) 341-1055

(7am – 7pm Mon-Fri—Sat 8am - 4pm)

**Cheverly Photo Enforcement** 

(240) 770-7641

#### **Crime Report for April 2021**

#### \*Note that all addresses are in Hundred Blocks

4/4/2021	1010	Hrs	1700 61st Ave	Theft from Auto
4/5/2021	0100	Hrs	3500 57th Ave	Theft from Auto
4/7/2021	0000	Hrs	3100 Laurel Ave	Domestic Assault
4/9/2021	1815	Hrs	5700 Forest Rd	B&E (Residential)
4/10/2021	0000	Hrs	3100 Cheverly Ave	B&E (Residential)
4/17/2021	0250	Hrs	6300 Landover Rd	Assault (Simple)
4/18/2021	1957	Hrs	6300 Jason St	Vandalism
4/20/2021	1545	Hrs	2800 Belleview Ave	Domestic Assault
4/22/2021	0040	Hrs	6000 Arbor St	Vandalism
4/22/2021	0050	Hrs	2600 Pepsi Pl	Vandalism
4/23/2021	1134	Hrs	5800 Annapolis Rd	Theft (under \$1000)
4/25/2021	1531	Hrs	6200 State St	Vandalism
4/27/2021	0400	Hrs	3000 Lake Ave	Vandalism
4/27/2021	1945	Hrs	5700 Forest Rd	Theft from Auto

#### Message from the Chief

#### **Online Reporting**

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the department implemented an online reporting system for some non-emergency calls for service. These calls include auto tampering, destruction of property/property damage, lost property, theft from autos, and certain other thefts that don't rise to the level of burglary. Residents are encouraged to utilize this system, in lieu of the non-emergency number, for incidents that meet the requirements.

The online portal can be found here: <a href="https://www.cheverly-md.gov/police-department/webforms/cheverly-police-department-online-report-submittal">https://www.cheverly-md.gov/police-department/webforms/cheverly-police-department-online-report-submittal</a>. Once completed, the reports can be obtained, by request, via <a href="mailto:reports@cheverlypolice.org">reports@cheverlypolice.org</a>. A call from one of our officers to either gather further information, or to provide the respective case number. Completed reports can be obtained by request, via <a href="mailto:reports@cheverlypolice.org">reports@cheverlypolice.org</a>.

#### **Report Requests**

All reports can be requested, via email, at <a href="reports@cheverlypolice.org">reports@cheverlypolice.org</a>. When submitting your request, please include as much information as possible that pertains to the report. In addition, for identification purposes, a photocopy of the requesting party's ID will need to accompany the request. In response to the State of Emergency, all fees associated with report requests have been waived.

#### Tips@cheverlypolice.org

Tips@cheverlypolice.org is an email address that residents can use to send non-emergency tips or information to the department. Our investigators are constantly working to investigate criminal cases in which our residents have been victimized. If you have, or believe you have, information, photographs, or video that could assist the department, and you don't want to call, please send us an email. If you see someone in immediate danger, or a crime being committed, dial 911.

Cheverly's Mass Notification System is here! CodeRED allows residents to receive emergency alerts via text, email, or phone call. Upon signing up for the service, users can create a Managed Account, which allows the user to create a username and password and control the following:

- 1. Types of alerts received:
  - a. Emergency Alerts (Mandatory)
  - b. General Alerts (Optional)
  - c. Weather Alerts (Optional, as provided by the National Weather Service)
- 2 Method alerts are received:
  - a. Via text message
  - b. Via email
  - c. Via phone call

Users can also perform a Quick signup however, doing so would require the user to call CodeRED's customer service line in order to make any changes to the account.

Users are required to have either a residential or business address, within the Cheverly limits, in order to sign up for an account. The system supports multiple addresses, phone numbers, and emails.

In order to start receiving alerts, residents can sign up using any of the following ways:

By going to the Police Department's website and clicking on Acode RED

By going to https://public.coderedweb.com/CNE/en-US/BF05350699FE

By scanning the following QR code with your smart phone or tablet:



Anyone who would like assistance signing up for alerts can call the department at 301-341-1055, to schedule an appointment.

It is important that the community know that I value feedback. If you have a concern, an idea, or just want to introduce yourself, please do not hesitate to reach out. If you have information that could help us improve the service we provide OR information about something we did great, please do not hesitate to contact me. I can be reached at policechief@cheverly-md.gov or by phone at 301-341-1055.

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#### **RECREATIONAL COUNCIL**

As long as the Town Building is closed, we will not host any functions. Our apologies. Stay healthy and safe.

#### **CHEVERLY DAY**

THE CICADAS ARE HERE! GET READY TO HAVE SOME FUN

The Cicada Crunch Fun Run/Walk for 2021 will be during JUNE.

Register: https://www.cheverlyday.org/2021/events/cicada-crunch-2021/

Run or walk the route you want any day or every day June 1-30. Get out and enjoy the crunch. Take a pic of you with a Cicada Crunch sign that are around town and post it to Facebook and Instagram with the hashtags #Cheverly Day #CicadaCrunch and tag @Cheverly Day

CICADA CRUNCH SCAVENGER HUNT - ANYONE CAN PLAY!

Cicada Crunch signs will be spread out in all of the wards with at least 8 different sticker themes. Take your photo with the embellished signs and post them to Facebook and Instagram with the hashtags #CheverlyDay #CicadaCrunch and tag @CheverlyDay. Every ward has eight signs with stickers including balloon, butterfly, dinosaur, farm, flower, shazam,

undersea and unicorn stickers on the Cicada Crunch yard signs, but you can explore the whole Town to find them all!

Also look for the special signs with blue-eyed cicadas! The scavenger hunt prize is simply the fun of completing the hunt! However, we do have a special prize for the lucky someone who finds a real, live blue-eyed cicada! One in a million cicadas have blue eyes! Contact us at <a href="mailto:cheverlyday@cheverlyday.org">cheverlyday.org</a> with a picture of you and the blue-eyed cicada if you find one!

#### SAINT AMBROSE MEN'S CLUB

Save the date for <u>Saint Ambrose Men's Club Summer Kick-Off BBQ</u> on June 26th from 12:00 - 5:00! The SAMC will be grilling up food and serving drinks with live music as well! Please save the date and plan on supporting the Men's Club.

Any questions. please email the SAMC Public Relations Officer, Brian Callahan at <u>callahan.brian.t@gmail.com</u> with the subject SummerKickOff2021.

#### ST. AMBROSE SCHOOL

St. Ambrose School is accepting applications for most classes. Please visit our website at sascheverly.org to apply.



#### CHEVERLY PARENT RESOURCE CENTER (CPRC)

# CPRC COFFEE HOUR & PLAYGROUPS ARE BACK!

#### THANK YOU FOR COMPLETING THE SURVEY!

Thank you all for your feedback on our recent CPRC Events Survey! Thanks to your input we were able to plan and coordinate family photo sessions and bring back playgroups/ coffee hour.

#### WEEKEND COFFEE HOUR

Each Sunday of the month, a park in town will be designated as the meeting location for outdoor fun. Grab your coffee and kids to come enjoy the beautiful weather and a little socialization after a long year of quarantine. We ask that anyone over the age of 5 wear a mask in crowded areas.

#### WEEKDAY PLAYGROUPS

CPRC parent volunteers will choose a park in town to meet weekly for outdoor playgroup. Check your email to stay up to date on when/where to meet!

#### JOIN THE BOARD

As we prepare for a new CPRC "membership year" we would love help in the following areas:

Membership Communications

If interested in helping, please email us at: CPRCpresident@gmail.com!

#### **BABY MEALS**

If your family is expecting a new addition and could use some meals and "love" while growing your family, please let us know!

Email us at cprcbabymeal@gmail.com to sign up!

#### **TROOP 257**

Troop 0257 closed out the spring with Kayaking, Backpacking and Camping at Sandy Point Beach State Park. Congratulations Ben and Brady for their Eagle Projects and to the Arrow of Light recipients who will join the Troop this summer. Summer Camp in Pennsylvania starts July. Scouts BSA (formerly Boy Scouts) is for youths 11-18 to learn about environmental stewardship, civics, personal achievement and leadership. Join today by calling Mrs. Caroline at 301-404-9693 (text is even better) or connect with us on FB @ScoutTroop257.

#### POLICE CHIEFS ADVISORY BOARD

The next Police Chief Advisory Board's (PCAB) Voices of the Community will be on June 8th at 7pm and we will be hosting Kim Greene from Bladensburg Police Department to share information on how their 911 and non-emergency dispatch program is run. The PCAB monthly meeting will begin promptly at 8pm. The Agenda and link will be posted closer to that date. **ASL interpretation will be available** 

- PCAB Policy Committee is working with Chief Towers to review police policies, the next policy they will be reviewing are the town's traffic enforcement policies. If you would like to join the working group please email <a href="mailto:cheverlypcab@gmail.com">cheverlypcab@gmail.com</a> (You don't have to join the full board to participate in a working group!)
- ◆ PCAB Youth Committee is filling backpacks with supplies for officers to distribute to homeless people they see around the community. If you would like to join in on this and future efforts email <a href="mailto:cheverlypcab@gmail.com">cheverlypcab@gmail.com</a>!

# There's still time to apply for the PCAB Doorbell Camera Rebate Program:

To apply for a rebate, the following steps must be completed:

- 1. Purchase and install the camera(s).
- 2. Complete the Private Security Camera Rebate Program Application: <a href="https://forms.gle/oZXKkNF13LfYdSSr6">https://forms.gle/oZXKkNF13LfYdSSr6</a>
- 3. Submit this application.
- 4. Sign up for a Home Security Survey Submissions are kept confidential, all information is required.

El formulario se puede enviar en español a pedido enviando un correo electrónico cheverlypcab@gmail.com

In April Chief Towers shared that domestic violence calls are increasing in town. If you or someone you know is experiencing domestic violence you can call **1-800-273-TALK (8255)**. If you are looking for ways to volunteer or provide financial help, <u>Community Crisis Services</u>, <u>Inc.</u> is one of our local service providers.

If you or someone you know is experiencing a general mental health crisis or just needs to talk to someone, dial 2-1-1 and they can connect you to services or appropriate referrals.

As always, call **9-1-1** if you are worried about your or someone else's immediate safety.

# Bootcamp (



Cheverly Fitness Bootcamp is BACK with OUT-DOOR, MASKED, and DISTANCED workouts! Our current schedule is Thursday mornings at 6:00 a.m. at the Cheverly Town Park track. We also have occasional Saturday workouts that meet at 8:30 a.m. at Euclid Park. See our Facebook group for specific details. Cheverly Fitness Bootcamp is your free community fitness resource! We are community-led, gathering together to do body weight and light weight workouts, each at our own pace. If you would like to receive information and be notified about the schedule, contact us via our Facebook group, searchable as Cheverly Bootcamp.

#### THE CHEVERLY WOMEN'S CLUB

Est. October 1919

"Let your unique awesomeness and positive energy inspire confidence in others." Anonymous

Please join us to learn more about the Women's Club

Monday, June 14 - 7 p.m. phone - 425-436-6320 / access - 796-406

We congratulate the six council members who were elected to serve the 2021 - 2023 council session. We plan to work with you to continue the evolution of our town to become an even more loving and inclusive place to live.

Thank you, Jhonny (a Cheverly resident) for sharing the Women's Club philosophy. "You see Cheverly...an election is just a small battle...there is so much more to life. Take care of each other, cherish each other, try not to talk ill of each other. You may never know when there comes a time to defend each other."

Check out our website for more information on the club: www.cheverlywomensclub.com

"Be so happy that, when other people look at you, they become happy too." Anonymous



The Cheverly Recreation Council is a proud sponsor of the John Dent Wilson Scholarship. Every year we award three \$500.00 college scholarships.

The Scholarship is judged on a point system criteria with highest points given to volunteering in Cheverly Community activities.

Below are the new/updated requirements for the scholarship.

The deadline for application submissions is June 25, 2021. Please email judydeleon@aol.com for application information.

- Must be a full time college freshman in the fall of 2021
- Must have at least one volunteer service in the past 12 months

#### 4TH WARD CIVIC ASSOCIATION

The Cheverly Ward 4 Civic Association meets at 7 PM every 3rd Monday of the month (through virtual

technology during the pandemic). We discuss civic issues affecting Cheverly and Ward 4 in particular. We encourage residents to participate in civic matters at all levels of government: town, county, state, and federal. We seek to improve communication among all Ward 4 residents and town officials.

Recent topics have included:

- Updates on construction in the business development next to Ward 4
- Policies related to the COVID-19 pandemic
- Collaboration with other town organizations on cleaning green spaces

How do I know if I live in Ward 4? You may look up which ward you live in at <a href="https://www.cheverly-md.gov/mayor-and-council/files/streets-ward/">https://www.cheverly-md.gov/mayor-and-council/files/streets-ward/</a> (launches PDF).

Please contact the current W4CA secretary, Joe Dalaker, at <a href="mailto:cheverly4thwardca@gmail.com">cheverly4thwardca@gmail.com</a> for further information.



- The market is open under the same COVID-19 protocols as last year –
- There will be single points of entry and exit with one-way customer foot traffic flowing through the market.
- We will be actively managing the number of customers in the market space and providing guides for where to stand at each vendor stall so that social distancing can take place.
- And, sadly, we will not be offering live music, free yoga, or cafe tables..

Market Dates

June 5 & 19 8a.m. - Noon 6401 Forest Road

Please watch our website for updates www.cheverlycommunitymarket.org

#### FRIENDS OF KILMER PARK

The Friends of Kilmer Park are hosting a "Moth Night" on Saturday, June 19, 6-10pm! For this casual drop-in event we'll set up lights to lure in our night-inclined fluffy friends and see who comes to visit. From 6-7pm we'll have moth-themed crafts for kids. As the date approaches more information will be posted over at: <a href="www.facebook.com/groups/friendsofkilmerparkcheverly">www.facebook.com/groups/friendsofkilmerparkcheverly</a>.

#### Cheverly American Legion Post 108

**Bicycle Raffle** - Post 108 is raffling a "Goose Island Chicago" single speed bicycle. This is a limited edition bike produced by Sole Bicycles for the Goose Island Brewery. Search for it online, very cool bicycle and extra cool points trying to climb Cheverly hills on a single speed! Purchase tickets in-person at the Dugout bar or one of our events. \$2 per raffle ticket. Raffle drawing will take place at the Dugout bar on July 3rd.

Memorial Day Ceremony - We wrapped up the Memorial Day weekend with our busiest weekend yet! Thank you to all the volunteers who made it possible and community members who came out to enjoy the events. We had the beer garden on Friday, memorial educational experience on Sunday, and Memorial Day Ceremony on Monday. Always keep an eye on Facebook for event announcements as well as our website for community events <a href="https://">https://</a>

cheverlyamericanlegion.com/events-calendar

**Mission 22 Fundraiser** - Post 108 met its fundraising goal of donating to Mission 22 and we are thrilled to be able to provide over \$2500 to their organization and support their mission to reduce veteran suicides. Great work to the leadership of Unit 108 and Squadron 108 for leading on that fundraising effort.

Cheverly Pride - June 5th, 3-7pm. We are excited to be a part of Cheverly's Pride Parade and be able to recognize and appreciate all LGTB veterans who have served and are serving in our nation's military. The car parade begins at the community center and ends at Post 108. We will then have beverages available for purchase in the Dugout bar, a food truck and ice cream truck will be joining, and there will be music and activities at the picnic table area. The Cheverly Pride Parade will also mark the return of Pride Night at the Dugout. Pride Night will be the first Saturday of every month.

Food Trucks and Fresh Air - June 25th, 6-8:30pm. Beer garden style food, drinks and live music on the rear parking lot. Food and drinks available starting at 6pm and typically lasts till around 9pm. The 108 Music Series will present live at the food truck The Crayfish Sisters, performing Americana music. Check out their music online. The 108 Music Series should be returning in a few months with large full scale shows. Stay turned. Maybe we will even be able to bring live music in the Dugout bar too. So that would mean live

music right here in Cheverly nearly every weekend.

**Post 108 Flea Market** - The first flea market saw lots of vendors come out and everyone enjoyed the tasty doughnuts made by Para Hita. Go to our website to reserve a vendor spot for just \$20.

**Become a Member** - Current or former servicemembers with at least one day in the armed services and being honorably discharged or those still in the military are eligible to join. Family members of an eligible servicemember may join too.

Email <u>CheverlyAmericanLegion@gmail.com</u> for more information.



The Cheverly Garden Club wants to thank all of those who bought plants, shrubs, and veggies at our annual plant sale. We hope to return next year to the Town Park pavilion. Money earned from the plant sale will be spent on our Life-Long Learning grant and other benefits to the community. The cicadas are probably peaking now. Don't worry, they are harmless (they don't bite and don't sting), other than making a loud racket. They will be gone soon enough and return in another 17 years. At our June 21<sup>st</sup> meeting we will be working on our annual service project – Flowers for Shut-Ins. Garden Club members make small flower arrangements and drop them off to town residents who are under-the-weather and may need a little lift. The Garden Club contacts local pastors for names of shut-ins, but you can send a name, phone number, and address to CheverlyGardenClub@verizon.net . Meeting information will be sent out to club members a week before the June 21<sup>st</sup> meeting.

The Cheverly Garden Club's Life-Long Learning Grant is still taking applications. If you are interested in gardening, flowers, environmental issues, programs, and workshops to further your education, apply for one of our Lifelong Learning Grants. The maximum award is \$500. You can apply if you are 18 years old or older, reside in Cheverly or are a full-time employee of the Town. Grant applications are available by email. December 15th is the annual deadline for applications. For further information, please email Kay Holloway at kay\_holloway@hotmail.com.

Stay healthy and stay hydrated!



#### **CHEVERLY VILLAGE**

#### **Enjoy Spring!**

Following our County and State guidance, Cheverly Village is starting to hold outdoor activities

without requiring masks. We are happy that all Village members are vaccinated and that as of mid-May most, or all, Village volunteers also have had their shots. We urge all Cheverly neighbors to get vaccinated as soon as possible and to spread the word: children as young as 12 can now also get their COVID shots!

To kick off a delightful month of activities, Cheverly Village is happy to participate in Cheverly Pride 2021 on June 5. Join us! We'll meet at the Community Center at 3:00 pm for a welcome and flag-raising; then parade by car and bike down to Legion Park and from there to the American Legion. The event will include an award for the best car decoration, along with music, food truck, ice cream, drinks, kid-friendly games, and more.

Cheverly Village excursions in June will include a tour of Kenilworth Aquatic Park and Gardens, walks through our Cheverly parks, and probably a pontoon ride on the Anacostia River similar to the one we've held in May. Check Cheverly Village's website—cheverlyvillage.org, "Events List"—to find other outings and events.

Note: Always carry a mask with you. That will help you keep yourself and others safe if it becomes necessary to go inside or to come into close contact with other people. To keep up with the latest updates on this fast-moving public health situation, check our County website:

https://www.princegeorgescountymd.gov/3397/Coronavirus

The Village will continue to offer a wide array of online activities, which are open to all. These include a presentation about Modern and Contemporary Women Artists by Hirshhorn Museum docent Raluca Iarosis on June 16 and the Summer session of the 8-week Memoir Writing workshop led by Cathy Smith, which starts on June 14.

To find out how to be a member, a volunteer, or a supporter of Cheverly Village, reach us at www.cheverlyvillage.org, 240-770-1033, or village@cheverlyvillage.org.

-- Diane La Voy, Cheverly Village President

# CHEVERLY AFRICAN AMERICAN COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION

(CAACO) Upcoming Events!



#### VIRTUAL JUNETEENTH CELEBRATION 6/19/21

The Cheverly African American Community Organization (CAACO) will host a virtual Juneteenth Celebration Saturday June19, 2021. The event will take place at Cheverly Town Hall at 1:00 PM. Representatives from the National Juneteenth Observance Foundation and the Buffalo Soldiers Organization will conduct the Juneteenth flag raising ceremony. With respect for COVID-19 and Council Resolution (CR-48-2021) the program celebration will have a limited audience, be recorded and shared for viewing.

#### CAACO POP UP SHOP 7/10/21

See Flyer information attached below for more information and to register for the event.



#### Visit the link below to register!

https://docs.google.com/forms/ d/1KPeGhQpMcEjh8q0o2Bo2y6ixpkm09K0l\_pP0bK gxtpE/viewform?edit

#### **CHEVERLY GREEN**

#### INFRASTRUCTURE COMMITTEE

June Monthly Meeting Dates: Monday, June 7, 2021

7:30-9:30 p.m., Large Conference Room, Cheverly Community Center, 6401 Forest Road, Cheverly Or virtually via Zoom, watch for announcements on the Cheverly town website

Monthly meeting to report progress on Cheverly greening efforts and plan next steps and new initiatives. In implementing the Cheverly Green Infrastructure Plan, your Cheverly Green Infrastructure Committee is working on projects in education, planning, and research.

All are welcome to join us! Contact sheila.salo@gmail.com for a copy of the meeting agenda.

#### **Spring Brings Out the Volunteers**

We are still celebrating Spring and the flowering of the many volunteer activities that are helping to implement the Cheverly Green Infrastructure Plan.

The Friends of Kilmer Street Park are helping to increase Cheverly's tree cover for stormwater management, and planning for native plants and a food forest, along with passive recreation and free play. The Friends have been planting new trees and

updating the tree inventory. This inventory will form part of the park's application for recognition as an arboretum. When you visit, look for the tree tags. The Friends are also planning Moth Night, a chance to learn about our fly-by-night friends. Be sure to watch for details on the Friends of Kilmer Park Facebook group which now has over 125 members.

Town Park's new rain garden has been planted. You now can see how a rain garden works to slow down and absorb stormwater. You may want to try a rain garden in your own yard!

The Cheverly Native Plant Project is continuing to plant native plants in public spaces through an innovative program supporting native plantings with investment in solar energy.

The Air Quality Monitoring Project is bringing together the town, volunteer monitor hosts, and a Citizens' Advisory Board to learn more about air pollution problems we face.

Naturally, Friends of Lower Beaverdam Creek continues its efforts in keeping up the popular trail it created in Woodworth Park and replacing invasive plants with natives.

Remember, there's a place for you in these amazing activities!

To learn more, see www.greencheverly.org



# Cheverly Newsletter June 2021



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	Amy Fry	301-678-3796

Town Administrator: Public Works Director: Steve Brayman Jarod Towers 301-773-8360

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Dylan Galloway 301-773-8360

Steve Brayman 301-773-2666

301-341-1055

**Town Offices Hours** M-F. 9AM-5PM Town Hall 301-773-8360 Police Headquarters Hours M-F, 7AM-7PM Sat, 8AM-4PM Police Headquarters 301-341-1055 Code Compliance 240-770-7647 Photo Enforcement 240-770-7641 **Public Works Hours** M-F, 7:30AM-4PM Public Works 301-773-2666 Marvland Relay 711 Police Dispatch (Non-Emergency) 301-352-1200

Website: www.cheverly-md.gov

Email "Contact The Town" button on the Website

POSTAL CUSTOMER CARRIER ROUTE CHEVERLY, MD 20785

The Town of Cheverly does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, disability, or sexual orientation.. If you are a person with a disability (vision, hearing, or speech impairment) & wish to participate in Town activities or programs, please contact the Town Office at 301-773-8360, or the Maryland Relay System at 1-800-735-2258.

#### Meetings & Events

#### GOVERNMENT EVENT SCHEDULE

Thurs June 10, 2021 8:00 p.m. Town Meeting Thurs June 24, 2021 8:00 p.m. Worksession Thurs July 8, 2021 8:00 p.m. Town Meeting Thurs July 22, 2021 8:00 p.m. Worksession

#### CHEVERLY WEBSITE www.cheverly-md.gov

You can easily contact the Mayor & Council through their town email accounts. There are also links at the Mayor & Council pages of the website.

Mayor@cheverly-md.gov CMWard1@cheverly-md.gov CMWard2@cheverly-md.gov CMWard3@cheverly-md.gov CMWard4@cheverly-md.gov CMWard5@cheverly-md.gov CMWard6@cheverly-md.gov

#### COMMUNITY EVENT SCHEDULE

	COMMUNITYEVE	ANI SCHEDULE
•	Tuesday, June 1st	Planning Board Meetings
•	7:30 p.m. <b>Saturday, June 5th</b> 8:00 a.m 12:00 p.m.	Community Market Town Hall Parking Lot
<b>*</b>	Monday, June 7th 7:30 pm 9:30 p.m.	Green Infrastructure Virtual Meeting
•	Monday, June 14th	Woman's Club
	7:00 p.m.	Monthly Meeting
•	Monday, June 18th	Juneteenth
	Town Office and Pub	olic Works Closed
•	Saturday, June 19th	Community Market
	8:00 a.m 12:00 p.m.	Town Hall Parking Lot

CAACO-Town Hall Saturday, June 19th 1:00 p.m. Virtual Juneteenth Celebration Saturday, June 19th Friends of Kilmer Park 6:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Moth Night Monday, June 21st 4th Ward Civic Association 7:00 p.m. Virtual Meeting Friday, June 25th Food Trucks and Fresh Air 6:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Post 108 Friday, June 25th Recreation Council

Scholarship Application Due

Saturday, June 26th

12;00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Scholarship Application Due
Saint Ambrose Men's Club
Moth Night