

NEWSLETTER

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FOR YOUR INFORMATION

by Mayor Laila Riazi

Call 301-773-8360 to contact the Mayor

MAYOR'S CORNER

Cheverly Neighbors and Friends,

May begins with our Town elections and all things budget and development. Join me in welcoming our new and returning councilmembers! As Mayor and Council, we will need your support and your engagement for the work ahead. I remain grateful for you, our community. Without your efforts, so much of what people love about Cheverly simply wouldn't exist. I look forward to our emerging from the most distancing of Covid-19 restrictions and into more direct and personal engagement over 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!

Sign Up Now!—We're bringing Cheverly Vaccine Clinics!



Cheverly is working with the County to bring vaccine clinics directly to our community! We hope to offer both clinics based out of our Cheverly Community Center and a mobile vaccine unit stationed outside of Cheverly Station Apartments. We are also looking to

bring vaccines directly to homebound residents. In order to make this happen, we need everyone who has not yet been vaccinated to sign up, as in right now! Signing up expresses interest and you will receive a follow-up call to register for the clinic. Currently, we are looking to the

latter half of May to schedule the clinics, but it begins with having enough residents signed up as interested. Note! Do not be concerned--signing up for this opportunity does NOT affect any other registration lists, it's all about you receiving your vaccine as soon as possible. Follow this link https://forms.gle/YuShK1qPg1fCSRcE7 or use your smartphone to photo the QR Code below to access the signup form. Please share this news widely and assist your neighbors to sign up as well. We can move forward with our first clinic once we have 150+ people interested! If you do not have internet access, someone else can easily sign you up

or you can simply call 202-258-6167, and I will happily enter your information.

Do you know of a graduating high school senior? Tell us! We need your help to congratulate every 2021 high school graduate in Cheverly!

It's happening! The Class of 2021 is coming up on graduation and we want to know about it! The "Cheverly GradBags Team" is again preparing a small gift to celebrate every Cheverly 2021 high school graduating senior. Names are coming in, but we do not want to miss anyone, so we're asking you to help us out! If you know of a Cheverly grad (public, private, and homeschooled) please email CheverlyGrads@gmail.com, with the student's name, address, email and phone number, or as much

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information as you have, so 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.

Redevelopment of Hospital Hill is happening—your participation is critical! Join your neighbors Tuesday, May 18, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. for a *second* community-wide meeting on the redevelopment in our backyard! What do you want the RDA to seek in a future developer?

The University of Maryland Prince George's Hospital Center is scheduled to relocate this spring. The County is prioritizing the redevelopment of the Hospital Hill property into a premier housing and retail site. People are often surprised to learn that the properties that make up the hospital complex are not actually within the Town of Cheverly! Yet, this is the mostcritical development matter to come before Cheverly in decades. We last came together for a communitywide meeting to understand more about the redevelopment process, share our concerns, and offer our suggestions, in the beginning of March 2021 and the residents of Wards One and Two had the opportunity to more closely engage questions of the impact of possible hyperlocal vehicular, pedestrian, and bicycle connections through their wards. I have asked the RDA to return for a second community-wide Special Meeting because it is important that we again engage after having had some time to better understand what is asked of us at this time and the key requests we want reflected when the RDA sends out a Request for Proposals (RFP) for interested developers. Your voice matters! Please share this opportunity with all your networks!

Please click the link below to join the webinar:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81526693047?
pwd=VmpDTHh0dVVVdVhMREFDQIJ0ZU1mUT09

Webinar ID: 815 2669 3047

Passcode: 671540

You can also join by phone! iPhone one-tap: US: +13017158592,81526693047# or Dial US: +1 301 715

To view the latest RDA presentation from April 6, 2021:

https://www.princegeorgescountymd.gov/ DocumentCenter/View/35443/2021-04-06 Cheverly Presentation

To access three sets of previously submitted questions and answers:

https://www.princegeorgescountymd.gov/3900/ Cheverly-Hospital-Redevelopment

The Cheverly Green Infrastructure Plan Summary: https://www.cheverly-md.gov/sites/g/files/ vyhlif401/f/uploads/cgips final w links 11-10-11 1.pdf

The Greater Cheverly Sector Plan: https://issuu.com/mncppc/docs/approved greater cheverly

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

Beginning in this newsletter, you should see a consistent 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.**



Monday, May 3, 2021 7:00 am – 8:00 pm Town Hall

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.



TOWN OF CHEVERLY NOTICE

OF A PROPOSED

REAL PROPERTY TAX INCREASE

The Mayor and Council of the Town of Cheverly proposes to increase real property taxes for real property excluding apartments.

- 1. For the tax year beginning July 1, 2021, the estimated real property assessable base will increase by 4.1% from \$752,547,772 to \$783,431,260 for real property excluding apartments.
- 2. If the Town of Cheverly maintains the current tax rate of \$.51 per \$100 of assessment, real property tax revenues will increase by 4.1% resulting in \$157,505 of new real property tax revenues.
- 3. In order to fully offset the effect of increasing assessments, the real property tax rate should be reduced to \$.4899, the constant yield tax rate.
- 4. The Town is considering not reducing its real property tax rate enough to fully offset increasing assessments. The Town proposes to adopt a real property tax rate of \$.51 per \$100 of assessment for real property excluding apartments. This tax rate is 4.1% higher than the constant yield tax rate and will generate \$157,505 in additional property tax revenues.

A public hearing on the proposed real property

tax rate increase will be held at 6:30 PM on May 11, 2021 over Zoom.

The hearing is open to the public, and public testimony is encouraged.

Persons with questions regarding this hearing may call (301) 773-8360 for further information.

Please click the link below to join the webinar:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83685609106? pwd=cENPSIZIVTVTMk9TMUh3aXowdThsZz09

Passcode: 150586

Or One tap mobile:

US: +13017158592,,83685609106# or +13126266799,.83685609106#

Or Telephone:

Dial (for higher quality, dial a number based on your current location):

US: +1 301 715 8592 or +1 312 626 6799 or +1 646 558 8656 or +1 669 900 9128 or +1 253 215 8782 or +1 346 248 7799

Webinar ID: 836 8560 9106

International numbers available: https://us02web.zoom.us/u/kdEXXx2oMe

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 www.cheverly-md.gov under form and file center 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

<u>Due to the Covid19 restrictions applications for Zone Permits will only be accepted by US Mail or placed in the mailbox located on the left-side wall of the main entrance at townhall.</u>

- Permits can only be issued to vehicles registered in 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 <u>per residence</u> 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:	\$	

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

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

Town Meeting - April 8th

- ☐ Motion to Remove Budget Amendment #18 from the Agenda: CM Fry, seconded by CM Watson. Approved unanimously.
- ☐ Motion for Council to have Ms. Marverly Nettles Fill the Vacant Ward 1 Council Seat from Now Until the Date of the General Election: CM Bryner, seconded by CM Garcia. Approved unanimously.
- ☐ Motion to Adopt the Kilmer Street Park Final Concept Plan: CM Bryner, seconded by CM Nettles. Approved unanimously.
- ☐ Motion to Adopt R-5-21, Appointment of Election Judge for Ward 2: CM Watson, seconded by CM Fry. Approved unanimously.
- Motion to Give Town Administrator Galloway
 Authority to Approve the Contract with Ms.
 Ganesha Martin: CM Munyeneh, seconded by
 CM Nettles. Approved unanimously.
- ☐ Motion to Empower Staff to Adjust the Guidelines for the Covid Relief Fund in the Event that Applicants Cannot Prove on Paper a Loss of Income to Include those Whose Current Status, Current Income Falls Within the 250% of the 2021 Poverty Guidelines: CM Bryner, seconded CM Munyeneh. CM Nettles, CM Garcia, and CM Fry in favor. CM Watson abstained.
- Motion to Provide a Directive to the Town Administrator to Extend a Contract to the Previous Person who Provided Us with Team Building and to also the Town Attorney, the Cheverly Green Infrastructure, the Planning Board and any other Auxiliary Committees that Cheverly has so that in the First Month and half that New Candidates are Brought on

- Board, They are Educated about Everything that has to do with Cheverly and All of its Boards as Well as Work on Team Building Prior to Setting a Strategic Plan: CM Munyeneh, seconded by CM Garcia. No Vote Taken.
- Motion to Authorize the Town Administrator,
 Dylan Galloway to Complete a Credit Application for Ford Motor Company for the Lease of
 Three Police Interceptor Utility Vehicles: CM
 Fry, seconded by CM Nettles. Approved unanimously.
- ☐ Motion to Approve the Proclamation Designating April 30, 2021 as Arbor Day: CM Bryner, seconded by CM Munyeneh. Approved unanimously.
- ☐ Motion to Expend \$23,750.00 Out of Existing
 Staff Budget Line Items to Award One Time
 Additional Compensation to Public Works, Administrative, and Senior Staff Members to Recognize Exemplary Performance During the
 Pandemic: CM Watson seconded by CM Bryner.
 Approved by CM Munyeneh, CM Garcia, and CM Fry. CM Nettles abstained.
- ☐ Motion to Adopt Mayor and Council Rules and Procedures: CM Bryner, seconded by CM Watson. Approved unanimously.
- ☐ Motion to Maintain Current Tax Rate of 51
 Cents: CM Munyeneh, seconded by CM Bryner.
 Approved by CM Garcia and CM Fry. CM Watson opposed and CM Nettles abstained.



Town Hall	301.773.8360	Monday - Friday, 9 AM - 5 PM
Police Department		
Emerg	gency 911	
Non-Emerg	gency 301.352.1200	
Administrative C	Office 301.341.1055	Monday – Friday, 9AM - 5 PM Saturdays, 8 AM - 4 PM
Public Works	301.773.2666	Monday - Friday, 7:30 AM - 4 PM

COVID-19 Updates are ONGOING

How to get current information

Visit the Town of Cheverly website (www.cheverly.gov) 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: https://www.facebook.com/Town-of-Cheverly-MD-100731471406679. To receive our CodeRed notification, subscribe at https://public.coderedweb.com/CNE/en-US/BF05350699FE. As always you can contact each department by the phone numbers listed below.

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	Modified scheduled	



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 relief@cheverly-md.gov 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

Mar 25, 2021, 07:30 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada) Webinar Link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82551558763?pwd=SkU0MDI5TmNWYVBMNXIFVk8vNEp0UT09 https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84025983118?pwd=cEhsbmU2aEs5MGViaGJnWVh6c1h6UT09

Webinar ID: 825 5155 8763 Passcode: 916656

Or iPhone one-tap: US: +13017158592.,82551558763# or +16465588656,,82551558763# Or Telephone: US: +1 301 715 8592 or +1 646 558 8656 or +1 312 626 6799 or +1 669 900 9128 or +1 253 215 8782 or +1 346 248 7799

> 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=98tyKuGggz4rH9Gdtx-ERpwQGY_4d-_wmFxago1YjxffJAxGSVOIZtBoagNNBozG

CHEVERLY TOWN MEETING ZOOM WEBINAR

YOU ARE INVITED

Mar 11, 2021, 08:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada) Webinar Link:

Webinar ID: 840 2598 3118 Passcode: 213079

Or iPhone one-tap: US: +13017158592..84025983118# or +13126266799,,84025983118# Or Telephone: US: +1 301 715 8592 or +1 312 626 6799 or +1 646 558 8656 or +1 669 900 9128 or +1 253 215 8782 or +1 346 248 7799

> 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

Please download and import the following iCalendar files to your calendar system. Monthly:https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/tZAtdeyhpjgrG9xvgr5lz1kWlTu64ZFzCKvi/ ics?icsToken=98tyKuGsrikvE9vWsRiPRpwIAojoZ PxiHZcifpFihi3VixJMwiBOtZXZOZFNsLz

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.



Public Works Holiday Schedule

Memorial Day, Monday, May 31, 2021 Public Works and Town Offices Closed No Trash and Yard Waste Pickup

- Tuesday's (Town Wide), June 1, 2021, Yard Waste Pickup
- ◆ Tuesday's (Town Wide), June 1, 2021, Trash Pickup
- Wednesday's (Town Wide), June 2,2021, Recycle Pickup will be on a normal pickup schedule.
- ◆ Thursday (East Side), June 3,2021, Trash Pickup and Bulk Trash Pickup –Limited to 3 Items
- Friday (West Side), June 4,2021, Trash Pickup and Bulk Trash Pickup –Limited to 3 Items

MEMORIAL DAY

REMEMBER AND HONOR

RECYCLING & TRASH TOTALS

March 2021

Curbside Recycling
Yard Waste

Sefuse

54.66TNS (\$27 per ton)
21.80TNS (\$25 per ton)
147.09TNS (\$59 per ton)

 $\frac{\text{Recycling + Yardwaste}}{\text{Total Tonnage.}} = \frac{76.46}{223.55} = 34.20\% \text{ Percentage diverted from landfill}$

Total Landfill Tipping Fee Savings for Diverted Materials = \$2,490.32

15 Appliances



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 indicated they will be spraying the entire Town for Mosquitoes once a week starting the end of May and going through September. If 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!

Auto Theft

Trespassing

TELEPHONE NUMBERS

9-1-1 **Police Emergency**

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

<u>Crime Report for March 2021</u> *Note that all addresses are in Hundred Blocks				
3/2/2021	0300	Hrs	1703 61st Ave	Vandalism
3/4/2021	2130	Hrs	6516 Landover Rd	Theft (Shoplifting)
3/6/2021	1659	Hrs	6498 Landover Rd	Theft from Auto
3/9/2021	0000	Hrs	2421 Schuster Dr	Fraud
3/9/2021	1540	Hrs	6524 Landover Rd	Vandalism
3/13/2021	1732	Hrs	5806 Landover Rd	Assault (Domestic) x2
3/16/2021	2231	Hrs	5811 Annapolis Rd	Weapon Possession (Firearm)
3/26/2021	0130	Hrs	6411 Landover Rd	Assault (Domestic)
3/26/2021	0815	Hrs	6494 Landover Rd	Theft (Shoplifting)
3/27/2021	0903	Hrs	6331 Landover Rd	Asssault (Domestic)
3/28/2021	1938	Hrs	6435 Landover Rd	Theft (Shoplifting)
3/30/2021	0930	Hrs	6519 Landover Rd	Assault (Domestic)

Message from the Chief

0555

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Hrs

5811 Annapolis Rd

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Online Reporting

3/31/2021

3/31/2021

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: https://www.cheverly-md.gov/police-department/webforms/cheverlypolice-department-online-report-submittal. Once completed, the reports can be obtained, by request, via reports@cheverlypolice.org.call from one of our officers to either gather further information, or to provide the respective case number. Once completed, the reports can be obtained, by request, via reports@cheverlypolice.org.

Report Requests

All reports can be requested, via email, at reports@cheverlypolice.org. 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 ACodeRED

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.

One team, One mission, Team Cheverly!



You must pre-register to make an appointment. Individuals who live or work in Prince George's County should fill out the pre-registration form at https://covid19vaccination.princegeorgescountymd.gov.



SIGN UP TODAY!

Cheverly Soccer Camp

Cheverly Soccer Club International Camp

June 21st-25th

Cheverly Town Park

https://tinyurl.com/CHVSoccerCamp21

Free Soccer Ball and T-shirt Free Game Jersev Free Access to Juggling Club Sampler

Get complete camp details and Register at challengersports.com

Registration is now open to campers ages 3-14

Camp options ranging from 1 hour through full day are available:

- Tiny Tikes, ages 3-5, 8:00 AM 9:00 AM, \$110. A fun introduction to
- Half Day Program, ages 5-14, 9:00 AM 12:00 pm, \$150. Complete technical player development featuring practices from around the
- Full Day Program, ages 7-14, 9:00 AM 4:00 pm, \$200, Focus is on personal skill development, character development, and cultural education. A full day of coaching for players who are trying to move up in the world of soccer.

Contact:
Jack McPaul
imcpaul@challengersports.com

Liz Esposito



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Cheverly Town Park 6401 Forest Rd. Cheverly, MD 20785

https://tinyurl.com/CHVSoccerCamp21

Balón de fútbol y camiseta gratis Jersey Gratis - Registrese en linea - May 5th Acceso libre a Juggling Club Sampler

Obtenga detalles completos del campamento y regístrese en línea en challengersports.com

Opciones de Campamiento:

Opciones desde una hora hasta jornada completa están disponibles

Pequeñas tomas: edad 3-5, 08:00-09:00, \$110,00

Una introducción divertida al fútbol

Media Jornada, edad 5-14, 09:00-12:00, \$150,00

Desarrollo técnico completo del jugador con técnicas práticas de todas partes del mundo. Jornada Completa, edad 7-14, 09:00-16:00, \$200,00

Con foco en el desarrollo técnico, personal, carácter y educación cultural.

Jornada completa de entrenamiento para jugadores que quieran mejorar y ascender en el mundo del fútbol.

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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

*** Watch This Space ***

The Cicadas are coming! The Cicadas are coming! Register now to participate in the virtual Cicada Crunch 2021 during the month of JUNE 2021. https://www.cheverlyday.org/2021/events/cicada-crunch-2021/

Registrations received and paid prior to May 15th will receive the Cicada Crunch 2021 Race Shirt.

Various routes will be available this year – stay tuned for more information!

Look for the yard signs coming soon!

REMEMBER: To be guaranteed a T-Shirt in your size, register by May 15th! Shirts are available in sizes XS to XXL.

And, remember, Cheverly Day is October 2. It's the 90th anniversary, so plan your parade entry.



The Cheverly Garden Club will be having a Zoom meeting on Monday, May 17th at 7:00 pm. Details will be sent to Garden Club members. If you wish to join the meeting, e-mail your name and street address to <u>CheverlyGardenClub@verizon.net</u> by May 15th. This will be a social meeting without a guest speaker. When planting your summer veggies – tomatoes, cucumbers, peppers, and melons, plant them after the last frost date, usually after Mother's Day. They will grow faster and suffer less transplant shock when the soil has warmed to the touch. Plant native perennials, shrubs, and trees. They may suffer minimal insect damage, but the bugs and caterpillars will feed the birds and support the web of wildlife. The cicadas will be here soon! They don't sting or bite. Their holes aerate the ground and are good food for wildlife. Insecticides will not prevent their arrival and may poison wildlife and pets that consume cicadas that have been sprayed. The annual Cheverly Garden Club Plant Sale will be Saturday, May 8th. Look to the

Cheverly Exchange and Facebook for details. 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 PARENT RESOURCE CENTER (CPRC)



Happy Spring CPRC Family!

SURVEY

Please check your CPRC Google Group email to answer a brief survey on events and opportunities you would like to see us offer this spring and summer!

JOIN THE BOARD

We would love to have additional members join the board as we begin to resume some of CPRC's in person activities. Email us at CPRCpresident@gmail.com if you'd like to learn

more about being a CPRC Board member!

BABY MEALS

If your family is expecting a new addition, please let us know! We would love to create a "meal train" to support your family during this special time. Also, please note that we have expanded our "baby meals" program to include options for gifting non-meal items such as diapers!

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

ST. AMBROSE SCHOOL

St. Ambrose School is accepting applications for the 21-22 school year.

Check out our website, <u>sascheverly.org</u>, and call us to set up a private tour to see the great things we are accomplishing. 301-773-0223.

Cheverly American Legion Post 108

Memorial Day Ceremony - May 31st, 10am. Cheverly American Legion will host a Memorial Day Ceremony at Legion Park this year. Please come join for a brief ceremony, moment of silence, and opportunity to recognize the service and sacrifice of United States servicemembers. In addition to Memorial Day we hope to also host an educational memorial experience the day before on Sunday, May 30th. Keep an eye out for additional announcements this month for Memorial Day weekend activities and other events going on at Post 108.

Mission 22 Fundraiser - The Cheverly American Legion family is raising funds for Mission 22, an organization that works to prevent veterans' suicide. 22 veterans die each day from suicide and this Mission provides treatment programs, memorials, and community impact initiatives in an effort to change that. The Cheverly Auxiliary Unit 108 will match up to \$1,000 in donations received and the Sons of the Legion will match up to another \$250 and we will continue our efforts through Memorial Day, May 31st. For more information about this group, please visit their website www.mission22.com. You may contribute directly through the link on CheverlyAmericanLegion.com or to make other arrangements, please contact Casey Kneipp at cheverlyauxiliary@gmail.com

Memorial Hill Brick Sale - Bricks are now available for purchase and will be a permanent part of the memorial display to honor and recognize the service and sacrifice of our nation's veterans. The terrace patio memorial display along with WWII cannon will include personalized bricks intended to memorialize a service member or to show support of veterans. Please consider purchasing a brick to represent a family member who served their country or to express your support. Your donations will directly support the civic programs of Cheverly American Legion Post 108 and our efforts to support local veterans within the community we serve. You can place your order at thatsmybrick.com/cheverlyamericanlegion/

Food Trucks and Fresh Air - May 28th, 6-8:30pm. Our monthly event of Food Trucks and Fresh Air is returning on the last Friday of every month. Events will start at 6pm and typically last till around 9pm. We will have several food trucks on hand to offer unique meal options and will also be selling beer and wine on the back parking lot. Keep an eve on the our website events calendar or for announcements on the exchange

or Facebook for additional details.

Post 108 Flea Market - May 15th, 8am-2pm. As of submitting the entry for the newsletter we are in the process of bringing a flea market to Cheverly in the Post 108 parking lot. The flea market would run opposite Saturdays from the Cheverly Market and would be another walkable opportunity to purchase unique or antique goods, handcrafted items, or just browse. If you would like to have a vendor table, reach out to Post 108 via email or phone number and we will reserve a spot. opposite Saturdays from the Cheverly Market and would be another walkable opportunity to purchase unique or antique goods, handcrafted items, or just browse. If you would like to have a vendor table, reach out to Post 108 via email or phone number and we will reserve a spot.

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 CheverlyAmericanLegion@gmail.com for more information

THE CHEVERLY WOMEN'S CLUB Est. October 1919

"It isn't enough to talk about peace. One must believe in it. And it isn't enough to believe in it. One must work at it."—Eleanor Roosevelt

For the past 15 years the Women's Club has sponsored the May Month of Peace in this newsletter. This year we are evolving instead to a monthly statement of thanks and appreciation to our friends and neighbors who work to grow greater seeds of caring, love, and kindness in town.

"Thank you, to our Mayor and Council Members for your long and arduous commitment to us all. We appreciate you!"

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

Monthly Meeting: Monday, May 10 at 7 p.m. 425-436-6320 / access code: 796406#

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

> This month take time to find joy in the simple things of life!



Mark your calendars now for our opening market on Saturday, May 8 from 8 am -12 pm.

- The market will 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..

2021 Market Dates

Every other Saturday / 8am-Noon

May 8 & 22

June 5 & 19

July 3, 17, & 31

Aug. 14 & 28

Sept. 11 & 25

Oct. 9 & 23

Nov 6 & 20

Dec. 11

The Market is located at 6401 Forest Road.

Please watch our website -

www.cheverlycommunitymarket.org for more updates.

B@otcamp



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 at Euclid Park. See our Facebook group for specific details. Cheverly Fitness Bootcamp is your <u>free</u> 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.

Recreation Council





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.

- 1. Must be a full time college freshman in the fall of 2021
- 2. 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
- Communicating with WMATA about keeping the Cheverly Metro open
- Collaborating with other town organizations on cleaning green spaces
- Assistance for residents affected by flooding and the pandemic
- School redistricting

How do I know if I live in Ward 4?

You may look up which ward you live in at https://www.cheverly-md.gov/mayor-and-council/files/streets-ward/ (launches PDF).

Please contact the current W4CA secretary, Joe Dalaker, at cheverly4thwardca@gmail.com for further information.



CHEVERLY VILLAGE

It's May!

What does "May" mean to you? For many folks in Cheverly, it means playing in the dirt—that is, creating and tending to our gardens.

Cheverly Village members and volunteers now have the option of gardening without having to bend down to the ground. The Village's Stand-Up Garden, which is located between the Cheverly Community Center and the police station, is even wheelchair friendly. The Garden Club has partnered with us to create it, the Cheverly Native Planting Project is enhancing the area with plants that attract pollinator insects and beautify the area, and the Police Department is contributing a bench on which neighbors—whether or not you are a Cheverly Village member or volunteer—can sit and enjoy the area with us. To learn more, call 240 770 1033 or email

Teresawilliams@cheverlyvillage.org.

Check the Cheverly Village's website—cheverlyvillage.org, "Events List"—to find other outdoor outings and events.

You can also sign up on the website for a wide range of online events. One of these, on May 19th, will consist of a surprising and fascinating description of the many services available through the Prince George's County Memorial Library System, presented by Ms. Carian Gray, the Library's Adult and Senior Services Specialist.

Finally, as many participants in Cathy Smith's Memoirs Workshop have discovered over the past year, memoir-writing is fun and rewarding. A new eightweek session will begin on Monday, June 14. Please check cheverlyvillage.org, "Events List," for details and to register.

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 Vice President

POLICE CHIEFS ADVISORY BOARD

The next Police Chief Advisory Board's (PCAB) Voices of the Community and next meeting on May 11th at 7pm. 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 cheverlyp-cab@gmail.com (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 cheverlypcab@gmail.com!

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: https://forms.gle/
 oZXKkNF13LfYdSSr6
- 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 cheverlyp-cab@gmail.com

This month Chief Towers shared that domestic violence have increased since the beginning of the pandemic. 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.

FRIENDS OF KILMER PARK

To observe Arbor Day, the Friends of Kilmer Park will be removing invasive plants and tending to other clean-up activities in the park on Saturday, May 1 at 9am. Bring your own gloves and pruners, and be sure to wear long-sleeves and pants. Learn more

at: www.facebook.com/groups/friendsofkilmerparkcheverly

CHEVERLY GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE COMMITTEE

May Monthly Meeting Dates: Monday, May 3, 2021

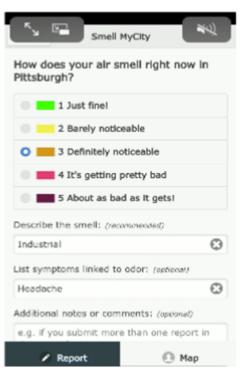
7:30-9:30 p.m., Large Conference Room, Cheverly Community Center, 6401 Forest Road, Cheverly *Or* virtually via Zoom, watch for announcements on the Cheverly town website.

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.

The Air We Breathe -- Do You Smell What I Smell?

Periodically Cheverly experiences bad smells in various neighborhoods. We hope we might be able to correlate the bad smells with particulate matter detected by our Purple Air sensors. To do so we need residents to record bad smell events with location, date and time of events. There's an app for that, and we encourage everyone with a smartphone to download the free Smell MyCity app, https://



smellmycity.org. When you experience a bad smell, the app lets you easily record key features in a pull down menu and capture the GPS location and time of the event. Data is sent to the Smell MyCity public website where it can be aggregated with other shared reports and downloaded for further analysis. Collecting bad smell event reports, combined with the air quality data from our network may provide some insights to our air quality challenges.

Get Smell MyCity for your phone today. Share your reports as they happen and help solve the bad smell problems.

Cheverly's Air Quality Monitoring Project

The Cheverly Green Infrastructure Committee continues its work with the University of Maryland's Community, Engagement, Environmental Justice, and Health Lab (www.ceejhlab.org) to develop the Air Quality Monitoring (AQM) Purple Air sensor network. You can read the air quality index values throughout town by visiting www.PurpleAir.com and view the map for Cheverly. You can also find the map at www.greencheverly.org. We are well on our way to developing our air quality baseline data set. In January and February 2021 the UMD team led three workshops giving an overview of the Cheverly AOM project, the role of community engagement, air quality and public health, and guidance on ways to access our Purple Air data. The workshops were recorded and can be found at www.greencheverly.org. More informative events are anticipated, especially when we can safely get together to learn more about our air quality and what we can do to protect our health.

TROOP 257

Scouting is a SAFE OUTDOOR activity for kids during this Pandemic. This spring Cheverly Scouts conducted a Search and Rescue activity with Cheverly CERT and Police, practicing real world First Aid skills. Scouts also conducted an overnight Kayaking Expedition to study water quality in the Patuxent River and plant a Pollinator Garden for Earth Day at the Merkle Wildlife Refuge. In May Scouts will Backpack in the Massanutten Mountains and practice basic cycling skills on the C&O Canal. Come join up by contacting Mrs Caroline at caroline_jarboe@yahoo.com or via text at 301-404-9693.

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Mayor: Laila Riazi 202-258-6167 Ward 1: Marvely Nettles 301-602-7348 Ward 2: Micah Watson 240-603-9366 Ward 3: Nicole Bryner 301-892-6384 Ward 4: Kayce Simmons Munyeneh 240-478-4077 Ward 5: Jenny Garcia 240-604-1081 Ward 6: Amy Fry 301-678-3796

Town Administrator: Dylan Galloway 301-773-8360 Public Works Director: Steve Brayman 301-773-2666 Police Chief: Jarod Towers 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

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Meetings & Events

GOVERNMENT EVENT SCHEDULE

Town Meeting Thurs May 13, 2021 8:00 p.m. Thurs May 27, 2021 8:00 p.m. Worksession Thurs June 10, 2021 8:00 p.m. **Town Meeting** Thurs June 24, 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

Saturday, May 1st Friends of Kilmer Park 9:00 a.m. Clean-up Monday, May 3rd **ELECTION DAY**

7:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. Town Hall Monday, May 3rd Green Infrastructure

7:30 pm. - 9:30 p.m. Virtual Meeting Tuesday, May 4th Planning Board meetings

7:30 p.m. Saturday, May 8th Cheverly Garden Club Plant Sale

Woman's Club Monday, May 10th 7:00 p.m. Monthly Meeting

Saturday, May 8th Community Market 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Town Hall Parking Lot

Monday, March 17th 4th Ward Civic Association 7:00 p.m. Virtual Meeting

Saturday, May 22nd Community Market Town Hall Parking Lot 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Friday, May 28th 6:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Monday, May 31st

Post 108 @ Legion Park 10:00 a.m. Memorial Day Ceremony Monday, May 31st Memorial Day

Post 108

Food Trucks and Fresh Air

Town Office and Public Works Closed