

THE ULMSTEAD

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From the Co-Presidents

Dear neighbors,

This month completes our three-year terms on the Board of Ulmstead as well as Co-Presidents for the past year. It has been a privilege and an honor to serve the community that we all love. Our time as Presidents has flown by and has fortunately been largely uneventful. We thank everyone who helped us make that so.

Your Board has made great strides in moving forward with the renovation of the Ulmstead Point bulkhead, and we look towards the spring/summer of 2019 when the renovation is completed. That project, as well as all the other routine events in Ulmstead, are due to the hard work of your neighbors who volunteer. Slip Selection, the Dock Party, the 4th of July Picnic, parties at the barn, Beach Camp, the Nextdoor emails, holiday decorations at the UCI entrances, and even the lawn-mowing of the field all happened because someone stepped up and helped. To properly recognize our volunteers, the Board has decided to hold a party in their honor later this year.

Your Board has also recently documented the monthly responsibilities for each department head, including President(s) to make volunteer transitions easier and ensure no duties or responsibilities are overlooked or deadlines missed.

When we hold our annual meeting on February 3rd, please thoughtfully consider volunteering to help this neighborhood continue to be one of the premier places to live in the Annapolis area. It is a great way to get to know your neighbors. As of this writing we still need two nominees for the board, a secretary, and are looking for coordinators for Barn Manager & Maintenance, and Scenic Control.

See you around the neighborhood,

Jason Dowell & Kevin Stone

Annual Meeting Reminder:

2018 UCI General Meeting – Saturday, February 3, 9:00 am

Based on a recent poll, the UCI General Meeting will be held at the Barn on **Saturday, February 3 at 9:00 am**. If you will not be able to attend, please fill out the proxy below and give it to someone who will be attending, or drop off your signed proxy to UCI Co-President Jason Dowell authorizing to vote on your behalf at 937 Lynch Drive or leave it with any board member.

We will provide a report on the Club finances in 2017, present reports from department managers and committee chairpersons, update the Club on the status of 2018 UCI projects, and elect two new Board Members to three-year terms.

Please do your best to attend or submit a proxy. If attendance does not meet the requirement for quorum, seats on the Board would become vacant with the completion of the three-year term of two of the current members.

UCI General Meeting Proxy for February 3, 2018

I, _____, live at _____ and am a member in good standing of Ulmstead Club Inc. ("UCI"). I am unable to attend the UCI General Meeting on February 13, 2016. I authorize
(check one)

- _____, to vote on my behalf regarding the matters at this meeting.
- Jason Dowell, UCI Co-President, to vote on my behalf according to the recommendation of the UCI Board regarding all matters at this meeting.

Signature of UCI Member in Good Standing

UCI DEPARTMENTS AND ACTIVITIES

SOCIAL

The Ladies Wine Night 2018

The Ulmstead Ladies Wine Night is upon us. This is a long-standing tradition, where the Ladies of Ulmstead gather together for an evening of wine, cheese and lots of girl banter! It is a time to reconnect with your old neighbor and help welcome the newbie. This year the Ladies Wine Night will be hosted at the home of Gillian Duvall, 938 Lynch Drive, also affectionately known as "The Farm House."

An appetizer to share would be appreciated.

February 9th, 2018

7:30 pm

Food Drive at Ladies Wine & Cheese

We will be collecting food for the non-profit group SPAN (Serving People Across Neighborhoods), located in Severna Park at the Lutheran Church on Benfield Road. Please remember to check expiration dates. Foods for families are always needed, items such as:

Macaroni & cheese

Pasta

Spaghetti sauce

Cereal

Boxed rice

Boxed instant mashed potatoes/au gratin

Pancake mix & syrup

Canned meats

Pork & beans

Peanut butter & jelly

Canned fruit

Snack food

Muffin mix

Boxed stuffing

Toiletries (shampoo, toothpaste, toilet paper, feminine hygiene products)

For those who cannot attend the Ladies Wine & Cheese, but would like to donate, I will put a box under our mailbox through Sunday, Feb. 11th. Our address is 1006 Placid Ct (on the "snow pit" path & near Ulmstead Circle)

Thanks ladies,

Michelle Mahan

Savvy Seniors - Valentine Social:

Please mark your calendars for **Tuesday, February 13th**. Linda and Allen Egloff have once again offered to host a Valentine party from 5 - 7 at their lovely home at **726 White Swan Drive**. We will be serving pizza and salad. You are asked to bring your own beverage(s) and, if you wish, a dessert. Linda will have coffee brewing as well. If you would like a ride, just call or email Diane Kozel, Irene Godoy, or Chris Rockwell.

Questions? Call Chris Rockwell, Irene Godoy or Diane Kozel

Boy Scouts:

Would you like to go camping, learn new skills, make new friends, and have fun? Our troop meets every Thursday evening at 7 PM at the Ulmstead Barn and goes camping one weekend every month. Come check us out! Also, we are still collecting worn out flags for a patriotic flag retirement ceremony. You can join even if you were never a Cub Scout. Contact Mike Allen.

The Guys Get Together:

Please join Ulmstead gentlemen for a friendly social gathering at O'Loughlins on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 5pm.

NAUTICAL

This harsh winter has halted much if not all boating on the Magothy, but there is still much going on around the docks. The winter preparations, installing ice eaters and winterizing water systems, the ice machine, and the pump out, were accomplished due to the great turnout of volunteers. These preparations have enabled the docks to, thus far, endure these extreme wintery conditions. The ice eaters, which have been operating nonstop for 3 and 4 weeks straight, have kept most of the ice at bay. Six ice eater failures have required buying replacement units and the repositioning of working units. Thanks again to those who help in this ongoing effort. Hopefully, we have seen the worst of the winter for this year.

As a sure sign that winter's end is in sight, the Nautical Department has been preparing for slip selection. This year Slip Selection will be held at 9:30am on Saturday March 10, 2018 at the Barn. Please review the Slip Selection Package and the Nautical Department Rules, contained in this package, which will be emailed out shortly.

Preparations for Dock I's replacement are well underway. Permits have been applied for and bids are being reviewed. At this point we are hopeful that the project will be completed this spring. There will be a Nautical Department meeting prior to slip selection to discuss the progress on the replacement of Dock I and the impact on slip selection.

NOTICES

Ulmstead Estates has experienced a few sad weeks with the passing of three longtime residents.

Ann Walter, 629 Cove Terrace, passed away early Christmas morning. Ann was a long-time educator, earning her Master's in education and was most recently a principal of Cape St. Claire Elementary. She, along with her husband, John, moved to Ulmstead in 1978. Ann will be remembered for many things, among them, her daily 5-mile walk around the neighborhood. Through her daily "tours," she would acquire fellow walkers, dog walkers and bikers as friends and companions in her physical endeavor. She also loved traveling, her dogs, and playing cards or Bunco with her Ulmstead neighbors.

Orlando Garcia, 624 Basin Way, passed away January 9th. Orlando and Mirta, his wife of 65 years, arrived in America, from Cuba, in 1961. They moved to Ulmstead in 1976. He worked for Seagram's in Baltimore as an engineer and was a member of Saint Andrews by the Bay. They embraced the culture of the neighborhood and were active in the Savvy Seniors.

Marcy Kelly, 623 Basin Way, passed away January 6th. Marcy, and her husband, Bert, have been residents in Ulmstead since their wedding in 1980. She graduated college with an accounting degree and received an MBA from Loyola University. After working for Medicare, she opened her own CPA/Financial Planning office in 1983. She was very generous with her time to many and often did pro bono work. She was a former treasurer of UCI. Her son Brian was born and raised here in Ulmstead. Marcy loved her gourmet dinner group. Originating 30 years ago, the dinner group was quite an elaborate process of planning, cooking, and coordinating the right wine!

THANK YOU:

On behalf of the Thorp family, I wish to send our sincerest appreciation during this time of sadness with the passing of my husband, Owen. The outpouring of support from all of you has surely touched our hearts. Countless acts of kindness have provided us great comfort. I have no adequate words to thank you, except to say that this is one amazing and remarkable neighborhood in which we have lived for the past 28 years. I knew it way before now, but it was and is evident in times like these. Owen touched so many people with his enthusiasm and love for his faith, family and friends. May we all remember him in this way, and do the same.

With much love,

Kathy Thorp and family

RENTAL PROPERTIES

Ocean City Vacation Rental - Oceanfront getaway - Would you like a family getaway in north Ocean City? With its 4 private bedrooms (sleeps 12-14), 4 bathrooms, 2 living areas, and 3 decks overlooking the ocean, there is plenty of room to gather as a group. Off-season weeks/weekends available. For more information, call Gwyn or Al Tober at 410-757-8388 or go to <http://www.gwyntober.com/beach> to view pictures.

UCI OFFICERS AND VOLUNTEERS

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UCI Board of Directors
and liaison roles

Jason Dowell – Co-President, Nautical
Kevin Stone – Co-President, Beach and Scenic
Vincent Hardick – Tennis, Ball Field
Irene Godoy – Membership, Social
Mike Murphy – Security, Pool
Mike Slavin – Equestrian, Barn Recreation Rooms

Executive Vice President
Secretary
Treasurer
Assistant Treasurer

Vacant
Vacant
Renee Kelly
Jim Quigley

DEPARTMENTS & ACTIVITIES

Ball Field	Bob Svehlak
Barn Recreation Rooms	
Manager	Lynne Andrews
Maintenance	Brian Poole
Beach & Shore	
Reservations	Ginny Vernick
Maintenance	Pat Shay
Beach Camp	Lisa Gattie
Capital Improvements	George Collis
Equestrian	Suzanne Vaaler
Nautical	Bill Zichos
Scenic Control	Vacant
Beautification	Michelle Mahan
Security	Vacant
Social	
Senior Activities	B. Myers/N. Kennerly
Adult/Family Events	
Mothers' Day Brunch	George/Shepard
July 4th Parade & Picnic	Vacant
Dock Party	Denise Zucco
Fishing Tournament	Mike Sawyer
Ladies Wine & Cheese	Stacy Glubke
New Year's Eve Party	Vacant
Fall Camp-out	Grigon/Hays
Guy's Beer & Brats	Scott Glubke
Wings, Chili, Homebrew	Suzy Sundius
Children	
Weekly Playgroup	Anne Lynch
Spring Party	Michelle Mahan
Autumn Party	Michelle Mahan
Christmas	Kathy Vavrina
Tennis	
Maintenance	Kaye Richards
	Mark Overton
Membership	Kathy Pruissen / Renee Kardash
Bumper Stickers	Lynne Andrews
Welcoming	Sherry Sherwood, Mary Jo Powers, Gillian Duvall, Ann Albrecht, Rina Dowell
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INDEPENDENT ORGANIZATIONS

2017 ULMSTEAD SWIM CLUB

<https://sites.google.com/a/ulmstead.org/ulmstead-pool/>

President	Brad Snodgrass
Vice President	Sharman Devaney
Secretary	Tracy Seybert
Membership	Lisa Gattie
Treasurer	Julie Parks
Maintenance	Scott Glubke
Social	Dawn Orso
Member at Large	Kerri Sodero
UCI Board Liaison	Mike Murphy
Swim Team Liaison	Suzanne Vaaler

SWIM CLUB QUICK LINKS

pool@ulmstead.org

SWIM TEAM

www.UlmsteadSwimTeam.org

Director	Suzanne Vaaler
Merchandise	Denise Zucco
Concessions	Katy Kelley
GASL League Rep	Jerilyn Deitch
Meet Manager (IT)	Liz Norton
Treasurer	Rob Wallace
Team Webmaster	Hannah Goldstein
Volunteers Coordinators	J. Grignon / C. Sawyer
Head Coach	Colleen Winans
Assistant Coach	Matt Swensen
Special Events	Harrison/Woltersdorf

BOY SCOUT TROOP 835

Scoutmaster	Mike Allen
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EMAIL QUICK LINKS

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Ulmstead Calendar – February 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Boy Scouts @ Barn 7-8PM	2	3 UCI Annual Meeting 9AM at the barn
4	5	6	7	8 Boy Scouts @ Barn 7-8PM	9 Ladies Wine Night 7:30	10
11	12	13 Savvy Seniors - Valentine's party 5-7pm at the Egloff's, 726 White Swan Drive	14 Guys Get Together @ O'Loughlins 5PM Valentine's Day 	15 Boy Scouts @ Barn 7-8PM	16	17
18	19	20	21	22 Boy Scouts @ Barn 7-8PM	23 23 rd -25 th Boy Scouts trip to Camp Henson	24
25	26	27	28			

Reminder: The deadline for the March Weathervane is February 22. Email: weathervane@ulmstead.org
 Save the date: Saturday, March 10th Slip Selection 9:30am at the barn