

Town Hall-iday Party!



Sunday
December 17
starting at **5 p.m.**

Bring the whole family to see Santa's arrival by firetruck for the lighting of the tree at dusk. Inside, there will be Music, Kid's Crafts and plenty to Eat and Drink.



EXERCISE YOUR CIVIL RIGHT ! — IT'S TIME TO VOTE —

Election Day in the Town is **Monday, January 8, 2018.**

Voting takes place at Town Hall from **1:00–8:00 p.m.**, using hand-counted paper ballots. Three (3) resident candidates are elected as



Commissioners for two-year terms. The newly elected Board selects one of the three to be the President (*who acts as "Mayor"*) and a Treasurer is also sworn-in. There are also blank spaces provided for write-in votes. You may only vote for up to three (3) candidates in total. **The deadline to register to vote** (and/or to submit a letter of intent to run as a candidate) **is Monday, December 11, 2017 by 5:00 p.m.** For more information please call the Town or visit our website (see below).

ON THE AGENDA

Due to logistic challenges of the current renovation of the Town Hall, the next Regular Town Meeting will be held in the Parrish Hall at Trinity Church on Tuesday the 12th of December. This renovation and addition project is very near completion and we still plan on holding the Holiday Party with Santa at the new Town Hall on the 17th.

For the first item of business, a representative from Technology MD Network Co. LLC will be present at the meeting to answer any questions about their proposal to install 2 cell phone antennas on existing telephone poles in Town that will provide enhanced cell phone coverage for the area.

Lastly, the Board will be choosing from 3 different service agreement proposals for a redesign of the Town's website to enhance its outreach capabilities.

TOWN HALL

14211 School Lane
Upper Marlboro
Maryland 20772



THE BOARD OF TOWN COMMISSIONERS

President James Storey
Commissioner Nancy Clagett; Commissioner Linda Pennoyer

OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Friday: 9 am – 5 pm

CONTACT TOWN HALL

(office) 301-627-6905 • (fax) 301-627-2080

(e-mail) info@uppermarlboromd.gov

(cable access channel) Verizon 19

(on the web) www.uppermarlboromd.gov



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Snow Coming? Be prepared!

*If there is a forecast for snow,
follow these guidelines:*

- ★ Please move all vehicles off Town streets to allow the plows (and emergency vehicles) better access.
- ★ Ensure you have enough food & water in case you get stuck.
- ★ Check on your neighbors! Volunteer to shovel out an elderly neighbor's driveway for them.
- ★ Be sure all fire hydrants are clearly visible and accessible in case of an emergency by clearing them of snow & ice.

—Thank You!

Town Police Offer House Checks



... for Town residents who are away on vacation or gone for a long weekend.

Just fill out a House Check form at Town Hall and our police will stop by your house periodically while you're away to make sure it's safe and secure. Town Hall Office hours are Monday– Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. except holidays.

**YOUR TOWN OFFICIALS & STAFF WISH YOU
A SAFE & HAPPY HOLIDAY SEASON**



YOU'RE INVITED TO JOIN US FOR OUR

Christmas Cantata

A THEATRICAL PRESENTATION
TO CELEBRATE THE BIRTH OF JESUS CHRIST

TWO PERFORMANCES:

*December 15 – 16, 2017
@ 7:30pm*

PASTOR BILLY T. STATON, JR.
5607 OLD CRAIN HIGHWAY
UPPER MARLBORO, MD 20772
301-952-8838 PSJBC.ORG

Prince George's County | Department of the Environment | Animal Services Division

All I want for Christmas is... **YOU!**

Adoption prices

Dogs: \$125 (regularly \$225)
Cats: \$70 (adopt a second cat for \$25)
Adoption fee for a second cat is \$25 if both cats/kittens are adopted at the same time.

kennel hours

Mon ♦ Tues ♦ Fri: 12 p.m. – 6 p.m.
Wed: 11:30 a.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Sat: 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Sun ♦ Thur: CLOSED

3750 Brown Station Road, Upper Marlboro, MD 20772
www.princegeorgespets4us.com

**please help us place hundreds of animals
into caring homes for the holidays.**

There is no charge for animals already spayed or neutered. Adoption application must be received during the month of December

All household members MUST interact with your adorable new pet



Princess L. Biden III
County Executive



PUBLIC WORKS CORNER

The Town staffs a 4-person Public Works Department whose crew ensures: Residential Yard Waste & Bulk Trash collection; Maintenance and repair of Town-owned streets, signs & parking lots; Grounds-keeping & Landscaping of Town property; and, Snow & Ice Removal of Town-owned streets & parking lots.

Refuse Pick-Up Schedule

MONDAYS:

Residential TRASH
(by Burch Trash Service)

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YARD WASTE &
BULK TRASH
(by Town Public Works)

THURSDAYS:

Residential RECYCLING
(by Burch Trash Service)

Please set out all trash/recycling/
bulk trash & yard waste by 7:00
a.m. to ensure pickup. Please
clearly separate the Residential
trash from the Yard Waste and
Bulk items—if co-mingled, the
items will not be picked up!

Acceptable Recycling Items

Plastic Bottles
1-7 & Lids

Coat Hangers

Glass Bottles & Jars

Aluminum & bimetal cans,
foil wrap & trays

Cardboard & Paper Board

Phone Books, Magazines,
Junk Mail & Books

Empty Aerosol Cans

Plastic wide-mouth
containers & lids

**PLEASE – NO PLASTIC BAGS
OR STRAWS—see below**



Town Flat Bed Truck Usage:

The Public Works Department offers the use of the Flatbed Truck at no charge to residents with bulk items too numerous for regular yard waste or bulk trash pick-up. The truck is parked in the homeowners driveway on Friday afternoon and picked back up on Monday morning. Call the Town Office for additional information.

**Debris created as a result of
contracted work may not be
disposed of using Town services.**

THE LAST STRAW

It's estimated that American's use—and dispose of—500 million straws every day. Many end up in our local waterways and oceans, polluting them and killing sea life. Environmental experts think that by 2050, there will be more plastic in the ocean than fish.

How can you help prevent this from happening?

- Consider using a compostable or biodegradable straw, or a straw made from paper, metal or bamboo.

To learn more about plastic straw alternatives, visit
www.strawlessocean.org.

**PLASTIC
STRAWS ARE NOT
ACCEPTABLE FOR
RECYCLING**

Prince George's County Second Nature is an initiative of the Department of the Environment,
Redevelopment Authority.



Rushern L. Baker, III
County Executive



BUSINESS DIRECTORY

Check our Town Website for updates to this directory at: www.uppermarlboromd.gov



SERVICES & SHOPPING:

Altro Janitorial & Maintenance Services

14760 Main Street
301-244-0285 altro-enterprise.com

Bnspired, the Salon

5311 Water Street Suite A
(301) 627-0797 Sherittamatthews.com

Chinnery and Sowell DDS PC

14420 Old Mill Rd Suite 101
301-627-6686 www.chinneryandsowell.com

Choice Settlement Group LLC

14750 Main Street Suite B
301-547-4333

Color Marketing

14612 Main Street
240-339-1720

Cornerstone Care Nursery Agency

14448 Old Mill Road #201
240-838-5704 www.cornerstonecaremd.com

Freeman's Barbershop

14624 Main Street • 301-350-3166
www.freemansbarbershop.com

Kim Haskell DDS PA

14414 Old Mill Road #101
301-627-6646 www.haskelldental.com

Koncepts Salon & Spa

14611 Elm Street
301-952-9550 www.konceptssalon.com

Land & Commercial Inc.

14416 Old Mill Road #201
301-952-9700 www.LandCommercial.com

Pilates Plus Wellness Center

14400 Old Mill Rd #201
301-952-1111 www.pilatespluscenter.com

Polly Pearl Boutique

14749 Main Street
301-574-1107

Precision Hair Designs

14454 Old Mill Rd #201
301-627-7100 precisionhairdesigns.net

PT Solutions LLC

14714 B Main Street Suite #3
301-599-4075 www.dcbizpros.com

State Farm Insurance

14711 Main Street
301-574-3001 www.statefarm.com

Ken & Natalie Boehm Attorneys At Law

14406 Old Mill Road
301-574-4100 www.BoehmLawFirm.com

Rulz Fitness

14450 Old Mill Road #201
(301) 213-4205 www.rulzfitness.com

Whimsical Art Celebrations, Paint Studio

14749 Main Street, Suite 4
240-432-8417 www.whimsicalartcelebrations.net/

DINING:

Al's Deli Supreme

14703 Main Street
301-627-2530

China Taste Restaurant

14707 Main Street
301-627-9178

Dominos Pizza

14604 Main Street
301-952-4100

Ledo's Pizza

14611 Main Street
301-627-2222 www.ledos.com

Marlboro Grille

14606 Main Street
301-952-6443

Mom's Thai Kitchen

14710 Main Street
*currently closed
for renovations*

Old Towne Inn

14745 Main Street
301-627-1400
www.otitherrestaurant.com

Subway

5308 Water Street
301-627-0733

**THE MARLBORO VFD WILL BE ESCORTING SANTA
AROUND THE TOWN OF UPPER MARLBORO ON
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17 STARTING AT 5:00 PM**



CODE ENFORCEMENT REPORT November 2017

The Code Enforcement Program works to improve the overall quality of life for our residents within Town and maintain and improve property values in both the residential and commercial districts of Town. The violations addressed by Code Enforcement in the month of August are listed below:

Trash / Litter — 1
Refuse Collection Issues — 3
Rental Investigations— 2

Contact Town Hall at Info@UpperMarlboroMD.gov or call: 301-627-6905 to report or discuss Code issues

Click to read – [Ordinance 2016-03: Residential Property Standards](#)
Click to read – [Ordinance 2017-03: Commercial Property Standards](#)



POLICE
TOWN OF UPPER MARLBORO

**NOVEMBER
2017**

Report

TOTAL CALLS RECEIVED FROM RESIDENTS FOR SERVICE : 23

Town Citations: 63 • State Citations: 12

In-Town Incidents:

- 1 Miscellaneous Incident
- 1 Field Observation

Out-of-Town Incidents:

- 8 Larceny
- 2 Breaking & Entering
- 2 Assault

*All in-Town incidents were in the downtown area and not in the residential areas—unless indicated with an**

Click to read – [Ordinance 2016-02: Vehicle & Traffic](#)

MAINTAIN THE DRAIN

A stormwater drain is usually located near the curb at the low point of the street. They are designed to capture pollutants before they enter the storm water system. The largest source of water pollution is contaminated storm runoff from paved areas. Here's how you can help prevent clogging of storm drains:

- Do not rake or blow leaves or grass clippings into the drains
- Dispose of all waste, including pet waste in trash receptacles
- Place motor oil, paint and antifreeze in separate sturdy containers and recycle at the County's Household Hazardous Waste Acceptance Site.

**DON'T
FORGET TO "CAN"
THE GREASE!
(FREEZE & TRASH)**



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County Executive

Prince George's County
Second Nature
GREEN INITIATIVE

Prince George's County Second Nature is an initiative of the Department of the Environment, Redevelopment Authority, and Office of Central Services to promote cost savings and sustainability in our everyday behavior.



UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

17TH Annual GINGERBREAD HOUSE CONTEST & SHOW: NOW through December 10 (Fridays–Sundays) 12 noon–5:00 p.m. at Darnell's Chance House Museum. For a sweet treat, come view an amazing display of edible gingerbread houses! No nibbling allowed! Visitors have the opportunity to vote for their favorite entries in the Viewer's Choice Award Competition—3 Divisions (Family, Adult & Child). Hundreds in cash awards! Entry fee: \$1/person-FREE for kids 4 and under. Call 301-952-8010 for more info.

CERT TEAM MEETING: Saturday, December 9 at 9 a.m. at the Dutch Village Farmers Market, 5030 Brown Station Road, Upper Marlboro, Md. (in the meeting room at the middle of store to the left).

TOWN MEETING: Tuesday, December 12, starting at 7:30 p.m. at *Trinity Episcopal Church–Parrish Hall (room 3-downstairs)*, 14515 Church Street. The meeting is open to public.

AT THE UPPER MARLBORO LIBRARY

True Crime Book Discussion: Monday, December 18 12pm-1pm Read and discuss a True Crime book. Call branch for current book selection.

Legos: Creative Club: Thursday, December 21 5:30pm - 6:30pm Freestyle building. Legos will be provided and kids can let their imaginations run wild! All children must be accompanied by their parent or guardian.(5-12 YRS)

STEM for Families: Wednesday, December 20 5:30pm - 6:30pm Ages 5 - 12 with adult. Join us as we explore science, technology, engineering and math. Drop in for hands-on experiments and activities.

Ready 2 Read Storytime: Tuesday, December 26: 11:15—11:45 a.m. Bring your preschooler and join us for stories, songs, finger-plays and more! (Ages 2-3)

31ST Annual WINTER FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS: NOW through January 1st, every night 5:00–9:30 p.m. at Watkins Regional Park (FREE on December 25th). Don't miss this spectacular holiday drive-through event featuring more than one million twinkling lights and fun new displays. You can make a difference this season!—please **BRING CANNED GOODS** for donation to local area food banks. \$10 per car. for more info, Call 301-699-2456 or visit : www.pgparke.com.

TOWN HALL-IDAY PARTY: Sunday, December 17th, 5:00–8:00 p.m. at Town Hall. Santa arrives for the Tree Lighting at dusk. Caroling with Santa, Great Food, Refreshments, Holiday Music & Fun!

HISTORICAL COMMITTEE – ARCHIVING & PLANNING SESSION: Saturday, December 16 at 10:00 a.m. Town Hall. Meeting is open to the public.

HANSEL & GRETEL TEA PARTY: Saturday, December 16th at 2 p.m. Visit Darnall's Chance House Museum when its decorated like a gingerbread house and listen to the story of Hansel and Gretel while enjoying tea and dessert. \$17 resident registration fee for all attendees ages 5 and up (\$20 non-resident) Reservations & advance payment required. Call 301-952-8010

BOARD of Commissioners WORK SESSION: Tuesday, December 19, 9:15 a.m. at Town Hall. Work Sessions are open to public observation, however, public participation is at the Board's discretion.

TOWN OFFICES CLOSING: Offices will be closed on Monday, December 25, in observance of the Christmas Holiday. Town Hall offices will reopen on Tuesday, December 27th at 9:00 a.m.

CHRISTMAS REFUSE COLLECTION

Residential Trash, Bulk Trash & Yard Waste will be collected on Tues **Dec. 26**—Please have out by **7 a.m.**

TOWN OFFICES CLOSED: Monday January 1, in observance of the New Years Day Holiday. Town Hall offices will reopen on Tuesday, January 2 at 9:00 a.m.

NEW YEARS REFUSE COLLECTION

Residential Trash, Bulk Trash & Yard waste will be collected on Tues **Jan. 2**—Please have out by **7 a.m.**



Marlboro Volunteer Fire Department Co. 20

Christmas Tree Fundraising Sale!

The MVFD is selling Christmas Trees again this year to raise money for Department operations. Come out and support your local Volunteer Fire Department! Prices Range from 35 to 250 dollars, there is a good selection of trees but they are selling quick!

Monday through Friday: 3–8:00 p.m.
Saturday & Sunday: 10:00 a.m.—8:00 p.m.

The lot is located near Rte 301 and Rte 4 in the old Lowes / Sheehy Chevrolet lot **5300 Crain Hwy, Upper Marlboro, MD 20772**

