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HALLOWEEN HAPPENINGS IS ALMOST HERE! TOMORROW! OCTOBER 27!



Daisy the Clown is back with **3 free magic shows** at Amherst House! Join us tomorrow evening at Amherst House for one of Daisy's magic shows at **5:00pm, 5:45pm or 6:30pm**. Be sure to leave time to walk through the village center to Trick-or-Treat and to visit **The Haunted House** in the courtyard (sponsored by the Hammond High School Music Department). Village center events take place from 5-8pm.

FALL COMMUNITY CLEAN-UP SHREDDING & eCYCLING AMHERST HOUSE THIS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28 10:00AM-1:00PM



Help the **KC Environmental Committee** keep our open space beautiful. We will pick up litter in the open space and along streams and major roads around the village. Register at Amherst House

beginning at 10am. Safety vests, bags and rubber gloves will be provided. Wear appropriate clothing as we will pick up in wooded areas. Participation for the entire three hours is not required. Community service certificates and snacks will be available.

Safely get rid of personal papers and old electronics. **Shredding and eCycling** will be offered in the Amherst House parking lot.

- Must be a CA Assessed KC resident (bring ID)
- Personal shredding only—no commercial materials
- 10-box limit on paper to be shredded
- CDs, discs and x-rays will be destroyed off-site and must be separated
- Computers, hard drives, printers, monitors and cell phones will be accepted but destroyed off-site
- **All TVs** will incur a fee: TVs under 26" (\$10), TVs 26-40" (\$15), TVs over 40" (\$25) and console TVs (\$35) *Cash Only*

Call 410-381-9600 for more information.

FAMILY FUN BINGO NOVEMBER 17

7:30-9:00PM @ AMHERST HOUSE



Family Fun Bingo is back! Join us at Amherst House on Friday, November 17 from 7:30-9:00pm for a night of fun and prizes! Bingo cards are six for \$1, drinks are \$.75

and snacks are free. There is no need to register, just bring your family and friends and come to Amherst House for an evening of lively entertainment! All ages are welcome. Hope we see you there!

SANTA CLAUS IS COMING TO AMHERST HOUSE!

Tickets will be available November 6 @ Amherst House

LUNCH WITH SANTA

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9
11:30AM-1:00PM

Enjoy pizza, a craft, cookie decorating and a visit and photo with Santa!

\$5.50 CA assessed/\$6.00 non-assessed

COOKIES WITH SANTA

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16
2:00PM-3:30PM

Enjoy making a craft, decorating cookies and a visit and photo with Santa!

\$4.00 CA assessed/\$4.50 non-assessed

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FALL CLASSES AMHERST HOUSE

ZUMBA

Please bring water & a towel. Women only.

SATURDAYS 10:15-11:15AM

6-week session: 10/14-11/18

CA \$48, Non-CA \$54

THURSDAYS 6:45-7:45PM

5-week session: 10/12-11/16 (no class 11/9)

CA \$40, Non-CA \$45

PILATES WITH PROPS

ALL LEVELS

MONDAYS 6:45-7:45PM

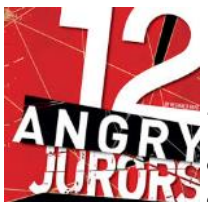
Please bring a resistance band.

6-week session: 11/6-12/11

CA \$96, Non-CA \$102

12 ANGRY JURORS

BASED ON THE MOVIE 12 ANGRY MEN



Hammond High School presents **12 Angry Jurors** on Thursday, Nov 9 @ 7PM, Friday, Nov 10 @ 7PM and Saturday, Nov 11 @ 2PM and 7PM. Tickets are \$10 in advance and can be purchased at:

HammondHighTheatre.org/tix

Tickets can also be purchased at the door (cash or check only) for \$12 adults. For questions or to inquire about group discounts, contact Mrs. Tobiason, Hammond High School Theatre Director, at Lauren_Tobiason@hcpss.org

DONATION COLLECTION



Girl Scout Troop 1009 is collecting donations for *Operation Christmas Child* to be distributed to children worldwide. There will be a collection box in the lobby of Amherst House until November 10th. Desired items include: small dolls & doll accessories, toy cars & trucks, balls, harmonicas & recorders, personal care items such as hair bows, brushes & washcloths, as well as craft & school supplies. Questions? Please email: **BarbCaci@gmail.com**



PAINT NIGHT FUN!

Welcome fall! Twenty-two residents enjoyed our Ladies' Paint Night at Amherst House on October 6th. Participants enjoyed wine, fruit and cheese as they painted these gorgeous autumn scenes. Check out future issues of the Crown



Prints for upcoming events, both adult-only and family-friendly. We look forward to seeing you soon at Amherst House!

LOCAL HOLIDAY SHOPPING



Find hand-crafted gifts for your family and friends at several Village craft fairs being held in November.

- ◆ **Artfully Wilde Fine Arts and Crafts Show:** November 10 from 5-9PM and November 11 from 10AM-4PM @ Slayton House in Wilde Lake. Come browse over 30 art vendors.
- ◆ **Town Center's Annual Holiday Craft Fair:** November 11 from 10AM-3PM @ Historic Oakland Manor. Take a stroll around this juried Holiday Craft Fair with over 40 vendors.
- ◆ **Holiday Craft Shop:** November 19 from 2-5PM @ The Hawthorn Center in Hickory Ridge. Shop and discover unique, handcrafted items from over 25 artisans. 

DEVELOPMENT INFO 8580 GUILFORD ROAD

The Design Advisory Panel for Howard County approved the revised design plans for 8580 Guilford Road, the corner of Eden Brook Drive and Guilford Road. The plans include building 24 age-restricted homes on the site. The next step in the process is for the developer to submit a petition for a conditional use to the Hearing Examiner. Past meeting minutes can be viewed at HowardCountyMD.gov by searching: *Design Advisory Panel* and looking under *Past Meeting Materials*. Look for future meeting notices on our Facebook page and at the location, 8580 Guilford Road. Signs are posted 30 days before each meeting date.



COVENANT CORNER

The Resident Architectural Committee meets the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month at 7:30PM. You are welcome to attend.

RAC REVIEW OCTOBER 11, 2017

APPROVED

7474 Setting Sun Way	Railing—front porch
10080 Cape Ann Drive	Roof
10201 Cape Ann Drive	Railing—front porch steps
10248 Shaker Drive	Exterior decorative object
7662 Sweet Hours Way	Exterior decorative object
8041 Round Moon Circle	Roof
9703 Softwater Way	Lighting
8956 Skyrock Court	Landscaping

APPROVED AS EXCEPTION

7253 Single Wheel Path	Fence, color change
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RAC MEETING SCHEDULE

There will be only **one RAC meeting** each month in November and December. Please submit applications by October 30th for the **November 8th meeting** and by December 4th for the **December 13th meeting**.



HOLIDAY DESSERT SALE

Support **Hammond High Music Boosters**; purchase delicious desserts for the holidays! They are offering a variety of pies, cheesecakes and cinnamon rolls. Items can be picked up at the school the week before Thanksgiving. Order through October 27 at: **Tinyurl.com/DessertDaysHHS**. For more info, email: HSDesserts@gmail.com.



VILLAGE BOARD HIGHLIGHTS

If you have concerns you would like the Village Board to address, attend a Board meeting. Meetings are held on the first and third Wednesday of each month at 7:30PM.

At the September 20th meeting, the Board:

- approved a donation to the silent auction for the Multicultural Festival at St. Matthew Church.

SIDEWALK MAINTAINANCE

Please remember...if your property has a sidewalk along the *SIDE OR REAR* property line (even if the sidewalk area is behind a fence) it is your responsibility to mow the grass, rake the leaves and shovel snow in this area. You are responsible for maintaining the sidewalk and grassy areas so that it is safe for public use. It's the law! *Howard County code, Section 18.402 (a) and (h)*.

Amherst House has lists of people available for different jobs including: **odd jobs, snow shovelers and leaf rakers, and babysitters**. Please stop in for a copy. If you would like to be added to one of our lists, please call Amherst House at 410-381-9600.



Mission statement: The association represents the community of Kings Contrivance by advocating for residents, enforcing covenants, and building a sense of community.

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Julie Steffanoff, Head Facility Assistant
Luz Elena Borrero, Events & Info Coordinator
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Monday—Thursday	9AM—9PM
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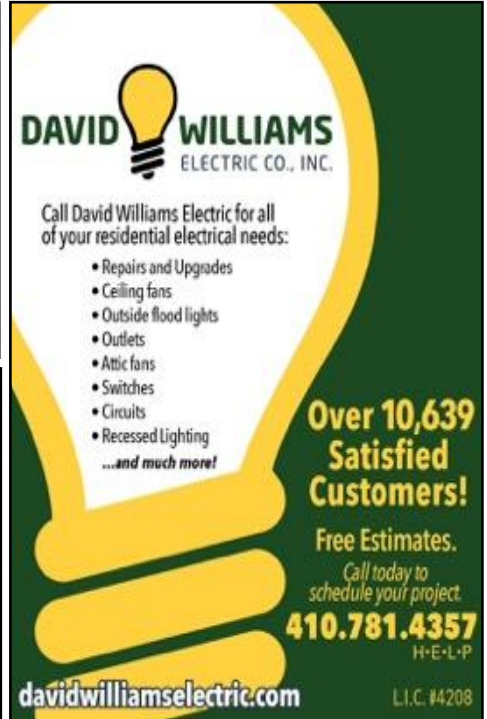
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