

FROM THE MAYOR

GREETINGS!

I am writing this in Seattle, where I am attending the annual conference of the National League of Cities. I am here on behalf of the Maryland Municipal League, for whom I have the honor of being the President-Elect. It is exhilarating to be with over 3,000 municipal officials from all over the country. And guess what? It's raining!

I have several things to share with you. There is the Utility Rate Referendum Election coming up soon, the "Light Up" of the Town, Christmas Parade and other useful information. Enjoy!



TOWN LIGHT UP As is the tradition of the Town, at 6 p.m. on the Sunday following Thanksgiving, the Town is "Lit Up." Join us at Town Hall for a visit from Santa, music by Beach Elementary

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Class field trips encourage children and their parents to care about the health of the Bay through oyster restoration.

Oyster Education ONE STUDENT AT A TIME!

Story by John Bacon and Photography by Bruce Wahl, Nancy Feuerle, Kathy Johnson, John Bacon

*Restoration of the health of the Chesapeake Bay is more than new waste treat*ment plants, upgraded septic systems and reduced storm water runoff.

Repopulation of the oysters is imperative. Each adult oyster can clean 50 gallons of water per day. During the late 1800s, there were enough oysters to clean the bay every 3 days. Now it takes one year. Chesapeake Beach Oyster Cultivation Society (CBOCS) is doing its part in increasing the oyster population by growing 50,000 to 100,000 new spat every year.

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Participation in the CBOCS programs has increased dramatically over the last two years, often credited to the children who have taken class field trips to Fishing Creek.

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Education of the students at our local elementary school has been an important part of the CBOCS program for the past two years. We have supported a Beach Elementary 5th grade class field trip to Fishing Creek in both the fall and the spring. This fall we are working with CHESPAX to increase access to Fishing Creek and the CBOCS oyster program. Seven field trips by five northern Calvert County elementary schools will be taking advantage of our educational opportunities in the upcoming year.

To support this expanded school deavor for active program, a committee of CBOCS volunteers has produced a 20-page activity book entitled "Treasures of Fishing Creek." This book will be given to the students to enhance their field trip experience. Residents may obtain a copy at Town Hall. deavor for active program, a committee of CBOCS volunteers. Successful to the students to enhance their field trip experience. Residents may obtain a copy at Town Hall.

The next major CBOCS event involving students is the decorating of 500 oyster shells to be placed on the Town-

sponsored "Festival of Trees" Christmas tree at the end of November. Make a date to visit this tree at the festival or at Town Hall throughout the month of December.

During the recent transfer of oysters from Fishing Creek to the Old Rock Reef in the Chesapeake Bay, 20 percent of the volunteers were students. Even more showed up the following week as CBOCS reloaded 75,000 oyster spat into cages along Fishing Creek and bay front piers. Their helping hands were greatly appreciated. Many members to CBOCS credit their children's interest in this endeavor for encouraging them to take an active part in the CBOCS program. Membership has increased in the last two years from 40 to more than 100 volunteers.

CBOCS will continue to expand the educational aspects of our program by inspiring "one student at a time" to become a steward for the future health of the bay through increased oyster restoration.



HOLIDAY LIGHT CONTEST

Light Up the Town

"Light Up the Town." This annual event kicks off the Chesapeake Beach Holiday Season. There will be Christmas music and carcommunity. Mr. and Mrs. Claus will greet the little ones and hand out treats. Bring opportunities.

"Brightest Beacon on the Bay" contest. Decorate your home, business or boat to be judged in our annual contest. Show your community and holiday spirit. Call Town Hall at 410-257-2230 or email codell@ chesapeake-beach.md.us to enter the judging contest. Judging will take place on Monday evening, **December 16** after 6:00 p.m.

Join our special guests Mr. and Mrs. Hall and your lights and displays on and in Claus on **December 1** at 6:00 p.m. when we working order by that date. Remember, you can enter your friend or neighbor too! Chesapeake Beach has grown over the last few years, and the judges do not necessarily oling provided by the young people in our tour every street in Town; so if you see something you like, call or email us. We would rather get several calls about a great your camera; there will be wonderful photo display than not find out about it until it's too late. The winners will be announced at This also marks the kick-off of the 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, December 19 immediately preceding the monthly Town Council meeting.

Please invite your friends and family to visit and take a self-guided driving tour to see the "Brightest Beacon on the Bay" winners as well as our beautiful Town displays. A "Brightest Beacon" winner's list will be available at Town Hall or on our website Please have your entries filed with Town www.chesapeake-beach.md.us on Friday,



December 20.

The Chesapeake Beach annual lighting display will run through January 5, 2014.

TOUR THE LIGHTS

Luminaria Event in Chesapeake Village



Chesapeake Village Lumingrig will be held on December 14 at dusk with the rain date being the following evening, December 15. Take a drive through the community and behold the peace. reverence and solitude of thousands of flickering candles lighting the way. While you are there don't forget to visit "Cannoncade Court" where the entire street was honored as "Brightest Beacon on the Bay" in 2012.

PAT CARPENTER HOLIDAY PARADE



Everybody Loves a Parade!

On Saturday, December 7, the merchants and communities of Chesapeake Beach and North Beach will hold their Seventh Annual Holiday Parade. The annual parade has been renamed "The Pat Carpenter Holiday Parade" in memory and honor of its founder who passed away last year.

The parade is being held in conjunction with the annual two-day Holiday Celebration at the Beaches on December 7 and 8, sponsored by The Bay Business Group, The North Beach Home and Garden Club and the Beaches antique dealers. The theme of this year's parade is "Christmas Around the World."

The parade begins at 12:00 noon at the corner of 1st Street and Bay Avenue in North Beach. The parade concludes at 7th Street and Bay Avenue at approximately 1:00 p.m.

Again this year, the parade will include local school groups, antique cars, motorcycles, floats sponsored by local organizations and merchants, elected officials, children of all ages, pets and their owners, Mrs. Claus and of course Santa riding on a North Beach Volunteer Fire Department truck. At the conclusion of the parade, Santa visits with children and their families and will provide Christmas treats to all who attend.

If you would like to "join the parade," please contact Bob Carpenter at 703-980-2144 (cell) or by email at bobcarpenter1957@amail.com, no later than November 30.

Visit the Railway Museum Over the Holidays!

On Sunday, December 8 from 2-4 p.m. the Chesapeake Beach Railway Museum will host the annual Holiday Open House. Come see the depot dressed up for the holidays! There is no fee for this event. All are welcome to attend!

On Friday, December 20, the Chesapeake Beach Railway Museum will again offer the popular, dramatic reading of the Polar Express by our own Conductor John, followed by a trolley ride around Town to see the Christmas lights. This event is free! Contact the Railway Museum for details as they become available at 410-257-3892.

FROM THE MAYOR

REFERENDUM ELECTION

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students, refreshments, and the magic count down to turn on the Holiday Lights all over Town. The Crab Pot Christmas Tree is making a return enaggement at Town Hall, and a new attraction will be unveiled this year that is bound to capture your fancy! Be sure to join in on the fun!

ANNUAL PAT CARPENTER CHRISTMAS PARADE

Be sure to come out to enjoy the annual Pat Carpenter Christmas Parade on Saturday, December 7 at noon. The procession starts at 1st and Bay in North Beach, and progresses to 7th and Bay. Last year there were over 100 participants. Santa rides on North Beach VFD's Tower One ladder truck and areets all of the children.

This parade was originally organized by our beloved Pat Carpenter, who we dearly miss. Councilman Bob Carpenter has stepped up to continue the tradition, and I personally appreciate this.

SIGN UP FOR BLAST EMAIL NOTIFICATIONS

With the winter season upon us, be sure to sign up for the Town's Blast email service. We use this service to provide important information during weather emergencies, but that won't do you any good unless you've signed up. Sign up on the bottom left side of the Town's website at www.chesapeake-beach.md.us.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are always in need of volunteers to serve on our Boards and Commissions. If you have an interest in serving your fellow Chesapeake Beach citizens on the Board of Elections, Planning and Zoning Commission or Zoning Board of Appeals, please express your interest to Town Clerk Sharon Humm. You can email Sharon at shumm@chesapeake-beach.md.us.

The Town Council has set the date for the Utility Rate Referendum Election as Saturday, December 7. The polls will be open at Town Hall from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. A sample ballot is pictured below. If the result of the Referendum Election is that the majority of the ballots cast "approve" the rates, the rates will be as stated in the Referendum Petition. If the result is to "reject" the rates, then the Town Council must adopt a replacement rate structure by ordinance. **Specimen Ballot QUESTION: Referendum Petition** Only that Portion of Ordinance O-13-8, Setting the Sewer Use Rate and the Water Use Rate.

That portion only of Ordinance O-13-8, "An Ordinance of the Town Council of Chesapeake Beach, Md., Adopting the Annual Budget for the Utility Fund of the Town of Chesapeake Beach for the Fiscal Year July 1, 2013 to June 30, 2014, and Setting Rates, Charges and Fees Related to the Water and Sewer Service by the Town," that establishes the Sewer Use Rate of \$11.28 per thousand gallons and the Water Use Rate of \$4.28 per thousand gallons, adopted in Section 2 of Ordinance O-13-8, as set forth in the Amended Schedule A. Fee and Rate Schedule.

That's it for now. Be sure to stop in on a "Mayor's Night Out" if you'd like to chat or talk to Town department heads about any concerns.

RAILWAY MUSEUM EVENTS



Approve Sewer Use Rate of \$11.28 per thousand gallons and the Water Use Rate of \$4.28 per thousand gallons

Reject Sewer Use Rate of \$11.28 per thousand gallons and the Water Use Rate of \$4.28 per thousand gallons

My best wishes for a great holiday season!

Bruce Wahl

Mayor of the Town of Chesapeake Beach

NEWS IN REVIEW



Haunted Water Park Takes on a New Look!

Story by Connie O'Dell and Photography by Nancy Feurele

The weather was beautiful on Sunday, October 20 for the annual Halloween Haunted Water Park. The atmosphere within the Park was electrifying and entertaining. The Twin Beach Players Youth Troupe under direction of Regan Cashman and Vivian Petersen transformed the Cave area into "spooktacular" fun for the older kids. The Players also surprised the crowd with a flash mob scene performed to Michael Jackson's Thriller! The rest of the pool became an Enchanted Forest area for the young and young-at-heart. Special guests included th Superheroes of Southern Maryland - Batman, Spiderman, Darth Vader and Elmo. Also attending were Pizza Slice, the Calvert Marine Museum Otter and Quacks, the Water Park Duck. One of the biggest hits was the Chesapeake Beach Water Park display featuring "Ariel, the Mermaid" of Disney fame. Music was provided by Crow Entertainment. A huge "Thank You" goes out to the many businesses and organizations who handed out treats and gifts to our guests.





Chesapeake Beach Town Calendar

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

NOVEMBER

Day Event/Location

- 28 Town Hall Closed in Observance of Thanksgiving
- 29 Town Hall Closed in Observance of Thanksgiving

DECEMBER

Day Event/Location

- Town Lighting Ceremony, Town Hall
- Railway Museum Closes to Public for Season, Appt. Only
- 2 Mayor's Night Out, Town Hall
- Chesapeake Beach Holiday Lighting Contest Begins 2
- Utility Rate Referendum Election, Town Hall 7
- Holiday Parade, North Beach Waterfront 7
- Railway Museum Holiday Open House 8
- 11 Planning & Zoning Meeting, Town Hall
- 13 Deadline to Call for Judging of Holiday Lights
- Luninaria Event in Chesapeake Village, Chesapeake Beach
- Luninaria Event in Chesapeake Village, Rain Date 15
- Judging for Holiday Lights Contest 16
- 17 Water Park Advisory Committee, Town Hall
- Chesapeake Beach Lighting Contest Awards, Town Hall 19
- Town Council Meeting, Town Hall 19
- Chesapeake Beach Holiday Lighting Self Tour Through Janua 20
- 25 Town Hall Closed in Observance of Christmas Day

JANUARY

- Day Event/Location Town Hall Closed in Observance of New Year's Day
- 1
- Last Evening for the Holiday Lighting Displays 5
- 6 Mayor's Night Out, Town Hall
- Cable TV Advisory Committee, Town Hall 7
- Plannina & Zonina Meetina, Town Hall 8
- 16 Town Council Meeting, Town Hall
- This time may change if the resolution passes to permanently move
- Town Hall Closed in Observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Da 20
- 21 Water Park Advisory Committee Meeting

TRASH & RECYCLE						
Location	Weekday	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	
North Trash	Mondays	2, 9, 16, 23, 30	6, 13, 20, 27	3, 10, 17, 24	3, 10, 17, 24, 31	
South Trash	Tuesdays	3, 10, 17, 24, 31	7, 14, 21, 28	4, 11, 18, 25	4, 11, 18, 25	
North Recycle	Every Other Thursday	5, 19	2, 16, 30	13, 27	13, 27	
South Recycle	Every Other Friday	6, 20	3, 17, 31	14, 28	14, 28	
Special Note: Please put your trash and recycling out the night before your pick-up day, as the routes sometimes begin as early as 6 a.m. Thank you!						

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REMINDER: Tenant Utility Billing Agreement

James Parent, Town Administrator

Please be advised that the Town of Chesapeake Beach Utilities Department does not allow a property owner to have a water / sewer bill put in a tenant's name.

The utility bill will be sent to the owner of the property. It will be the responsibility of the property owner to see that the bill is paid. If you are a property owner who has tenants and are not receiving a utility bill, please call Town Hall at 410-257-2230 to have your address changed. ■



Calendars for Soldiers

Once again, Town Council Vice President Pat "Irish" Mahoney will coordinate the Calendar for Soldiers program. The Town will mail one of our beautiful calendars to any soldier serving overseas or stateside. He or she need not be a Town resident. We want to express our gratitude to any soldier who is a friend or family of our residents.

Please contact Councilman Mahoney with a name & mailing address and he will take care of the rest. Pat can be reached by phone (301-602-9034), email (pmahoney@chesapeake-beach.md.us) or just call or drop by Town Hall and leave a message there (410-257-2230).



The 2014 season will be our 20th Anniversary at the Water Park. We are planning to make this the best season ever!

Another Successful Season At The Chesapeake Beach Water Park

Story by Laura Krick and Marilyn VanWagner

It is hard to believe another Season has come and gone. We want to offer a special thanks to all of you that came to visit us this summer!

RECAP OF THE 2013 SEASON: We hope you were able to enjoy our Chesapeake **Beach Appreciation Days**. We have had lots of positive feedback, and we are excited to say that we will be bringing these special days back next season. This makes it worth mentioning again - as a reminder for 2014, every Tuesday, all Chesapeake Beach residents and their guests get in for half price. And then from 4 -7 p.m., we offer free admission for all Chesapeake Beach residents.

Our newly famed, big, yellow, feathery friend, Quacks, was a big hit this summer! Quacks is now a permanent member of our Water Park family. He made regular appearances and welcomed many guests over the summer. He brought smiles to children's faces both at the Park and also at many Town events. Quacks joined us recently at the Haunted Water Park Halloween event. Have you had your picture taken with Quacks yet? He loves to be in front of the camera!

Quacks played an integral part in our debut season of our Duck Race Fundraiser events. These events are a great way for schools and organizations to raise funds for their cause as well as have their own private party. We enjoyed successful events this past season and look forward to piloting many more next year. If you know of a school or organization looking to raise money and host their own, unique fundraiser, encourage them to visit our website and contact us for more information.

Did vou come see us at the Haunted Halloween Water Park event? A Spooktacular time was had by all! The Water Park was thrilled to sponsor the Baby Pool area where we created a scene from The Little Mermaid, complete with a live Ariel and Prince Eric! The weather that evening was beautiful, and the event was a great success. Kudos to Connie Odell who does Community Development and Special Events for the Town. It was her



The Duck Race Fundraiser is a great, fun way for school or local organizations to raise money.

enthusiasm that led us all into making this the best Haunted Water Park Event ever! We would also like to give a special "Thank You" to all of our local businesses who sponsored this event and helped to make it a fun evening for all of our guests who attended.

WHAT'S HAPPENING NOW: The 2014

Season Passes are on sale now and are available on our website. We are offering a special Early Bird discount between now and January 31; after that time, the prices will increase. Water Park Season Passes make great holiday gifts for that someone special on your list! This way, you can offer "fun-in-the-sun" to your special loved one all summer long.

Our Water Park Advisory Committee is currently working hard on a maintenance list to revamp and give our Water Park a face-lift! We have a great committee with lots of momentum for capturing the improvements necessary to keep the Water Park looking fresh and beautiful.

Calling all teenagers, adults and seniors too! We have positions open for all ages. If you are looking for fun summertime employment, we will be posting employment opportunities soon. We will begin accepting interview requests as early as December on our website, and interviews will start early in 2014. Stay tuned to Facebook or check out our website for more information on these dates.

UPCOMING IN THE 2014 SEASON: You have been talking, and we have been listening! We are developing a new program for the groups and summer camps to visit the park only on specified days and times. This will help to alleviate overcrowding of the Park and create a more



Summer employment at the Water Park can be very rewarding! Check out our website or Facebook page to get more details on when we are looking to hire.

enjoyable experience for all.

Do you know of a local business which could benefit from advertising to over 65.000 people? As a sponsor of the Chesapeake Beach Water Park, businesses can make a small investment and reap great advertising rewards! A tailored commercial broadcasted over our Splash Radio, as well as their business name and logo displayed on our Sponsor Board and website are great ways to promote businesses! It is a win-win for both the Water Park and the business when we partner together! If you know of anyone who may be interested in taking advantage of this great advertising opportunity, please have them contact us on our marketing email at waterparkgroups@chesapeake-beach.md.us

The 2014 Season will be our 20th Anniversary at the Water Park! We already have a celebration logo. We are planning now and promising to make this the best season ever! Don't forget to "Like" us on Facebook so you can stay connected with us for up-to-the-minute announcements and events! As always, we thank you for your continued support and we look forward to seeing you in May!

Story by Mary Mathis, Events Director Eastern Division, Operation Second Chance – Operation Hope on the Chesapeake

Hello Citizens, Supporters and Volunteers, Operation Hope on the Chesapeake has been able to host our wounded veterans from Walter Reed National Medical Center for the last seven years because of your endless support. Through your kindness and dedication, you have truly made a mark on the lives of our American heroes. Regardless of the task at hand, you have remained a true example of what we should aspire to become as citizens of this great country. Thinking back on the path we have taken together, I feel compelled to put those accomplishments on paper.

Anything worthwhile is a lot of work. You only measure the value of your hard work after you have been completely spent and the last chair is put away. Once the dust clears, you know the success or the failure of your mission. I believe on Saturday night, we all knew our mission was accomplished, and we had exceeded anything and everything we could have ever imagined the night before. When the numbers doubled overnight, you never missed a step. You were able to add ad-

ditional boats, prepare more food and find 25 more fishing rods among other things, all in just a few hours. Our goal is to work quietly and do some good. If we entertain a thousand and help just one, it will be worth it. I can only hope that 50 years from now, a few of these young men and women will remember a visit to the Chesapeake Bay and think fondly of its citizens. Some may not share the difference you made. but know in their hearts you made a difference. Maybe this memory will bring some peace and contentment at the end of a very difficult journey.



Operation Hope on the Chesapeake Was a Huge Success!

Success takes hard work and dedication: any success comes on the back of someone who has aone before you and the people who stand next to you. I couldn't do any of this without your help, and I pray I will remain humble enough to know it. I have made so many friends in the most unusual situations. I will always have the memories we have created because of Operation Hope on the Chesapeake and will keep them close to my heart. I can only wish the same for each and every one of you. Knowing I have your support and enthusiasm makes it worthwhile. You are truly appreciated! Your kindness has helped more than you will ever know.





Winter is Around the Corner At the Calvert Library Twin Beaches Branch!

There's always something fun and interesting going on for all ages at the Calvert Library Twin Beaches Branch. Don't miss these fun events! Please let us know if you have any ideas or suggestions on what else you might be interested in learning more about. Call 410-257-2411 or stop by anytime to get updates on what's available at the library. Or visit our website at www.calvert.lib.md.us. Happy learning!

Children's Programs

Storytime

Meets in the Children's Area of the library Wednesdays and Saturdays, beginning the week of September 8th. Registration is required.

WEDNESDAYS

9:15 – 9:35 a.m. Cuddle Up and Read to Me Storytime Designed for children birth to 24 months. Children are introduced to books and language through short stories, sonas and more. 10 – 10:45 a.m. Family Storytime For children birth through 5 years old and for families with children of multiple ages. Enjoy stories, songs and flannel boards. Children will make a craft weekly. 11 – 11:30 a.m. 2-3 Year-Old Storvtime Uniquely designed with 2 and 3 year-olds in mind. Children practice their listening skills, participate in group activities, and create a craft weekly. **Family Storytime** 1 – 1:45 p.m. For children birth through 5 years old and for families

with children of multiple ages. Enjoy stories, songs and flannel boards. Children will make a craft weekly.

SATURDAYS

10 – 10:45 a.m.

Family Storytime

For children birth through 5 years old and for families with children of multiple ages. Enjoy stories, songs and flannel boards. Children will make a craft weekly.

Family Programs

Join us for Chess! SATURDAYS

10 a.m. – noon

Chess Saturdays at the Library

Chess enthusiasts or wannabe enthusiasts – please join us (with or without your own chess set) at the library on the **2nd Saturday** of each month from 10:00 a.m. to noon. All ages and levels welcome!

Playtime

Saturday mornings, 10:45 to 11:30 a.m. A new addition to our children's programs. Playtime is learning and discovery time for you and your child. Engage in interactive play, connect with other parents and caregivers, and have fun! Bring a non-battery operated tov to share. No registration is required. For ages birth through 5 vears old.

Code Name 4-5-6

For 4th-6th arade eves only! 4th – 6th arade students are invited to this series of events which uses plenty of hands-on activities to have fun with reading! Each month we will explore a new theme and

introduce a great chapter book on the topic. No advanced preparation is needed and a snack will be provided. Registration is required. All programs start at 6:30 p.m.

THEMES

January 2 Night at the Museum February 6 Road Trip USA March 6 Science of Baseball Ben & Me & You April 3 Mav 1 Can You Dia It?



Evening Storytime

Help us celebrate Dr. Seuss's **birthday!** Join us for a special evening dedicated to celebrating Dr. Seuss's birthday on **Thursday**. February 27 at 6:30 p.m.



Kids Just Want to Have Fun

An exciting hour filled with readina. discussion and projects. Themes change every session. Kids Just Want to Have Fun will be held from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. on the 3rd Thursday of every month from September through May (except December). Designed for students in kindergarten through 3rd grade. Registration is required.

THEMES

January 16 Let's all Hibernate February 20 Underground Railroad March 20 Liahthouses April 17 Albert Einstein May 15 Snakes

Gingerbread Workshops

Saturday, December 14 at 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Our perennial favorite is back-kids in kindergarten through 7th grade gre



An American

Childhood

invited to join us at the Northeast Community Center to make their own aingerbread house. Participants are asked to bring one bag of candy to share for decorating. Registration is required.

Adult Programs

Book Discussions

Book discussions begin at 7:00 p.m. at the Twin Beaches Library.

December 9 An American Childhood by Annie Dillard (potluck dinner off-site)

January 13 Book Thief by Markus Zusak February 10

Thomas Jefferson: The Art of Power by Jon Meacham March 10

Einstein's Dreams by Alan Lightman

April 14 Wild by Cheryl Strayed May 12

And the Mountains Echoed by Khaled Hosseini

Yes, You Can Use a Computer!

FACEBOOK

December 18: 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Learn the steps to setting up a Facebook account so you can locate and keep in touch with friends and family. The training will last one hour and will take place in a small group. Registration required.

WEB BASICS

January 15: 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Learn some basics of using the internet. Topics may include browser basics, getting started with Windows, and the anatomy of a webpage. The training will last one hour and will take place in a small group. Registration required.

March 19: 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. Registration required.

JOB SEEKING

BOOK

GOOGLE February 19: 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Registration required.

Holiday Evening Storytime

Thursday, December 12 at 6:30 p.m. Celebrate the spirit of the season with the children's librarians! Join us for holiday stories, songs and cheer.

Calvert **Conversations**

Calvert Conversations meets on the 2nd Thursday of each month from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. in the Living Room at the library.



Talk about the past, present and future over a cup of coffee or tea. Always something to talk about!

Tips and tricks for using Google to search the internet will be presented. The training will last one hour and will take place in a small aroup.

Participants will learn about some useful web sites and tips to use for job searching. The training will last one hour and will take place in a small group.

Children's Bingo

Shirl Hendley

North Beach Volunteer Fire Department Auxiliary will hold its annual Children's Bingo on **December 7** from 7:30 to 10:00 p.m. This event will be held at the North Beach Fire Department and the doors will open at 6:00 p.m. In addition to the Bingo games, the Auxiliary will also have a Chinese Auction. Refreshments will be available for purchase. Contact Mandi Harrison at 410-257-3391 or 443-624-4483 for more information.







Run for the Bay 5K

Laura Kellner, Race Director

On May 4, 2013, the inaugural Run for the Bay 5K took place on the Chesapeake Beach Rail Trail. More than 275 people registered for the event. We had a great day for the race and everyone had a great time. We had runners from as far south as Florida in attendance! With our oldest runner strutting in at a very young 70 years!

This annual event benefits the Chesapeake Bay Foundation with all of the proceeds going to them. We raised a whopping \$7.667 this year! The Chesapeake Bay Foundation was very excited and they look forward to our race next year. A huge thank you goes out to all of our sponsors, volunteers and runners.



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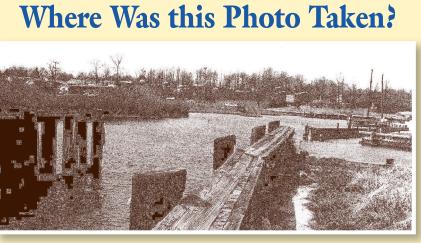
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TOWN CONTACT NUMBERS

In case of emergency, tune to Channel 6 or WTOP Radio 103.5.				
Animal Control 410-535-2800				
Beach Elementary 410-257-1512				
Northeast Community Center 410-257-2554				
Emergency				
Fire Dept. (non-emergency) 410-257-6564				
Library				
Post Office				
Railway Museum				
Sheriff (non-emergency) 410-535-2800				
Town Hall				
Town Hall				

Town Hall is now open Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

> www.chesapeake-beach.md.us info@chesapeake-beach.md.us



GUESS WHERE

The scene in this photograph is from Chesapeake Beach. Be the first one to call Town Hall and identify where this was taken, and you will win two free tickets on a Moonlight Cruise!

In the summer issue, we asked you to name the location of a house photographed in 1925 and still located in Chesapeake Beach. The house can be found on 26th Street between D Street and Bayside Road. It was correctly identified by Cheryl Parker. Cheryl wins two free tickets for a Moonlight Cruise.

Do you know where this photo was taken? Be the first one to call Town Hall at 410-257-2230 or 301-855-8398 with the correct location and win two free tickets on a Moonlight Cruise!