

JUNE 2014



The Long Pointer

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Upcoming Events

June 10, Tuesday

6:00 - 7:00 PM – Boat Ramp registrations at the Hall

7:30 PM - Board meeting

Dear Neighbors,

New Address!

It's summer in Long Point! The boat ramp is seeing lots of traffic and kayakers are launching from our beaches. We are so fortunate to have a community on the water and access to the things we love as Marylanders-boating, swimming, crabbing, and picnics on the beach. We just mailed a second membership notice to everyone in hopes to see more people join our community association. It is a small amount of money to support where you live and all the activities we enjoy.

Our community hall just went through a major facelift. It has been painted, a new floor was put in, and the outside will be looking very different too in the upcoming weeks. This is possible from the generous support of our membership. Come check us out! We are planning an Open House sometime in July. It will be posted on our sign as well as our website.

Speaking of website, our new website address is

www.longpointpasadena.com

Again I can't thank the volunteers in this community enough for what they do to keep it beautiful. Please consider giving the community an hour of your time to ease the burden of the few who do more than their share.

Happy Boating!

Jennifer Adams, President, LPIA (Long Point Improvement Association)

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LPIA President:

Jennifer Adams, 410-360-1591

Hall Sign (messages):

Bill Smeltz, 410-360-9330

Hall Rentals:

Bob Johansen, 410-935-6575

Long Pointer Editor:

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Welcome to the Community!

We would officially like to welcome all new residents to our wonderful community.

If you are new to Long Point, or if you have a new neighbor moving in, please contact Welcoming Committee Chair

Tricia Roe at 410-371-1710 or triciaroe@yahoo.com so that she can help make our new neighbors feel at home.

LPIA Members — 2014

Board of Governors

Officers:

Jennifer Adams, **President**

Term expires: 2015

Randy Bode, **Vice President**

Term expires: 2014

Tricia Roe, **Recording Secretary**
(unofficial)

Term expires: 2014

Lori Osowski, **Treasurer**

Term expires: 2016

Joan Hillier, **Corresponding Secre-**

Board Members:

Dave Lurz

Term expires: 2014

Ruth McGovern

Term expires: 2015

Bob Johansen

Term expires: 2016

Dave Zaruba

Committees:

Rick Ries

(Chair)

Boat Ramp

Pat McClanathan

Boat Ramp;
Membership

Bill Smeltz

Hall Sign

Bob Johansen

Hall Rentals

Tricia Roe

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Kids Activities

Ruth McGovern

Social;
Kids Activities

Dave Zaruba

Legal Liaison

Cathy Frank

Long Pointer;
Webmaster

LPIA Board of Directors - Call for Nominations, 2014

It is time to begin LPIA's annual election process.

This year there will be three vacancies on our Board of Directors for the 2014-2017 term. The Nominations and Elections Committee is seeking individuals who are willing to share their talents in assisting the LPIA meet its commitment to the Long Point Community.

Use the following form to nominate individuals or yourself.

Nominees must currently be members of LPIA and be able to provide active service. This includes attending board meetings and serving on committees. In addition, candidates should also

have a strong commitment to the betterment and welfare of our community.

Get involved in developing a strong slate of candidates for our 2014 Board of Directors election. Nominations are due before the September 9th General Meeting, using the form included

Questions may be directed to the Nominations and Elections Committee by contacting Joan Hillier at 410-360-4199.

Nominations Form, 2014

LPIA Nominating Ballot for Board of Directors 2014 - 2017 Term

Nominator Information:

Name of Nominator: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ e-mail: _____

Current LPIA member? Yes _____ No _____

I have contacted the nominee listed below and confirmed his/her willingness to be nominated to run for office, and serve if elected.

Nominee Information:

Name of Nominee: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ e-mail: _____

Current LPIA member? Yes _____ No _____

Please print and bring to the September Board meeting or mail completed nominations to:

Board of Directors
Long Point Improvement Association
1534 Long Point Road
Pasadena, MD 21122

Mosquito Spraying

The Long Point community will receive mosquito control spraying again this summer.



Spraying will take place on Tuesday nights, anytime between 7:00 PM and 2:30 AM. The program will begin June 12th and continue until September, and possibly October.

According to the Maryland Department of Agriculture, monitoring the adult mosquito population before spraying is required.

The minimum thresholds for spraying are measured in landing counts as 3 mosquitoes attempting to bite in 2 minutes, or 12 female mosquitoes collected overnight in an unbaited light trap.

Spraying will only be done when an MDA employee has determined the need to spray. Standard Operating Procedures were received when we applied for spraying. The Maryland Department of Agriculture web site also has more information (www.mda.maryland.gov)

Residents who wish to have their property excluded from adult mosquito control services must notify the Maryland Department of Agriculture by submitting a completed exemption form.

The Department's policy on objection to adult mosquito control services and the exemption form are on their website at <http://mda.maryland.gov/plants-pests/Documents/mcsprayexemption.pdf>

Contact Bob Johansen at 410-935-6575 for any comments, concerns, or questions.

Newsletter by E-mail

Did you receive this newsletter through your e-mail? If not, would you like to?

Sign-up for e-mail delivery of future newsletters by sending a message to Cathy Frank, webmaster@longpointonthemagothy.com

Boat Ramp Information

2014 Boat Ramp Registration

Where: Long Point Hall

When: Boat Ramp Committee members set aside 3 dates to quickly distribute boat ramp keys. Two of the dates have passed (April 8 and May 13), but there is still one more session coming up. That date is

Tuesday, June 10 from 6:00-7:00 pm

If you cannot attend, please contact either Rick (410-255-7374) or Pat (410-255-9623) to arrange for an alternate time. Rick and Pat of course would greatly appreciate your efforts to attend the June 10th meeting if at all possible - it makes things much simpler.

What to bring: In addition to your LPIA membership and boat ramp dues, you must provide original boat, trailer, and vehicle information at the time of registration.

Questions? Call Rick at 410-255-7374.

Boat Ramp Parking

- To avoid tire ruts at the ramp which make the grass hard to cut, please do not park on the grass when the ground is soft after heavy rains.
- LPIA parking areas on Magothy Road and Twin Beach Road are to be used **only as overflow parking** for boat ramp trailers/vehicles, and **not** for trailer storage. Thank you.



The LPIA Boat Ramp

Community Beaches and Properties

Reminder

For all our beach users, please remember that the beaches and community properties are for all our residents to enjoy, but they are for people, **not** vehicles.

You are allowed to carry your kayak or canoe across community property to launch from a beach, but please use the community boat ramp to launch trailered boats and personal watercraft.

Unauthorized vehicles, including cars, trucks, and motorized and non-motorized vehicles, whether licensed or unlicensed, are **NOT** permitted or allowed to park, and/or drive onto or across Community Property without prior approval from the Association.

LPIA Social Events

For Kids

Easter Egg Hunt

It was another great day for the kids! 18 neighborhood children came to make a craft, hunt for Easter eggs, and have a snack.

Halloween Party

Our next party will be the Halloween Party! Look for the date on the our Facebook page and on the Hall sign.



Summer Events



Wine and Cheese on the Beach

The dates have not been set yet, but there are plans to continue these yearly summer events!

Notices will be posted on the Hall Sign.

FaceBook

Check us out on Facebook!

Search “Long Point on the Magothy” to see pictures, share information, and stay up to date on our happenings!

Greater Pasadena Council meeting, June 4th

Board Member Dave Zaruba attended a Greater Pasadena Council meeting on June 4th.

At the meeting, they had a presentation by Erik Michelsen from the county regarding the county’s Watershed Implementation Strategy.

This project will impact the water quality of our rivers and ponds and involve culvert repairs and stream restoration.

Additional information regarding this project can be found at www.aarivers.org

Also, our neighbors in Riviera Beach are having a Pasadena Beach Summer Festival on August 9 at Riviera Beach Park (behind Lauer’s store on Ft. Smallwood Rd.).

The Festival will include an antique car show, music, pony rides, carnival games, rock climbing, go-carts, craft & food vendors, and lots more.

Donations are \$5 for adults, \$3 for youths (under 18) and free for children under 4 years old.

Local Events

2014 Bayside Summer Concerts Series at Downs

In June and September, the Department of Recreation and Parks hosts Summer Concerts at Quiet Waters Park in Annapolis and at our very own Downs Park here in Pasadena.

Admission to the park during the time of the concert is free.

In their own words, “Enjoy special performances this season. With lively music and bay breezes, a concert at Downs Park is a delightful way to spend an evening.”

Check out the offerings listed below, or visit www.aacounty.org/recparks for more information.



Bayside Summer Concert Series at Downs Park

Date	Time	Band	Description
June 1, 2014	6:00 - 8:00 p.m.	Pet Rock	Oldies But Goodies
June 8, 2014	6:00 - 8:00 p.m.	Ain't Misbehavin	Big Band
June 15, 2014	6:00 - 8:00 p.m.	Summer Knights	Classic Rock
June 22, 2014	6:00 - 8:00 p.m.	Retro Rockets	50's, 60's & 70's style music
June 29, 2014	6:00 - 8:00 p.m.	Sunset	Big Band/Motown
Sept. 7, 2014	4:30 - 6:30 p.m.	Hot Buttered Nuggets	Swing/Blues
Sept. 14, 2014	4:30 - 6:30 p.m.	Annapolis Bluegrass Coalition	Bluegrass
Sept. 21, 2014	4:30 - 5:30 p.m.	Max Impact	Patriotic and Rock
Sept. 28, 2014	4:30 - 6:30 p.m.	Appaloosa	Top 40 "Power Pop Rock"

Happenings at Your Mountain Road Branch Library

410-222-6699

Adult Book Club

Always Watching by Chevy Stevens

Tuesday, June 24th at 7:00 PM

Psychiatrist Nadine Lavoie struggles with family mental health issues that have resulted in claustrophobia and blocked memories, a condition that parallels the challenges of a new patient and implicates the leader of a remote commune where Nadine lived in childhood.

The Magicians by Lev Grossman

Tuesday, July 29th at 7:00 PM

As a senior in high school, Quentin Coldwater loved

a series of fantasy novels set in a magical land called Fillory. After graduating from college and being accepted in a secretive and exclusive school of magic, he makes a stunning discovery. Fillory is real.

The Funeral Dress by Susan Gregg Gilmore

Tuesday, August 26th at 7:00 PM

When Leona, the brilliant seamstress who taught her how to sew and offered to save her from her abusive father, passes away, single mother Emmalee Bullard, struggling to do what is right, must fight for all she holds dear.

Special Events for Children, Teens, Adults, and Families

The new, extended hours have allowed the Library to offer many new programs and events. Please check the Happenings! brochure at the branch for more details about the following:

Goodreads

www.goodreads.com/group/93516

- June Reading Challenge: Science Reads. For all ages.
- July Book Club: ***Instructions for a Heatwave*** by Maggie O'Farrell. For adults.
- August Reading Challenge: The Books of Summer. For adults.

Smiles and Miles of Yarn: Knitting Group

Thursdays, June 5th, July 3rd, and August 7th at 7:00 PM

Bring yarn and knitting needles to our drop-in knitting group. All levels welcome!

Back to School with Star Wars

Thursday, August 14th at 7:00 PM

The Galactic Empire invades the Library! Don't forget your costumes and cameras! For all ages.

20th Anniversary Celebration

Wednesday, August 6th at 7:00 PM

Celebrate the 20th anniversary of the opening of the Mountain Road Community Library!

Babies in Bloom

Babies from birth to 18 months

Mondays at 10:00 AM,
except June 30th

Toddler Time

Children ages 18-36 months

Wednesdays at 9:30 AM,
except July 7th

Preschool Storytime

Children ages 3 to 5

Wednesdays at 10:30 AM,
except July 2nd

Happenings at Your Mountain Road Branch Library (continued)

410-222-6699

2014 Summer Reading Club: FIZZ, BOOM, READ!

Sign-up begins June 2nd. Complete a special activity page and bring it to the Library by August 4th to be entered in a Grand Prize drawing.

Check out the special activities described below and plan your Summer Reading Fun!

Kickoff

Tuesday, June 24th at 10:00 AM

The Bubble Lady

Monday, July 7th at 1:30 and 3:30 PM

Watch Margie Lynch, aka the “Bubble Lady,” create huge bubbles using dry ice and hot water.

“Sharks!”

Tuesday, July 15th at 9:30 and 10:30 AM

The National Aquarium will help us discover more about these unique creatures and their amazing survival adaptations.

The Magic of Joe Romano

Thursday, July 24th at 10:30 AM and 1:30 PM

Joe Romano returns to the Library to amaze, amuse and delight with his magic. Be prepared to watch the fizz and hear the boom!

Fizz, Boo, Build with LEGOs

Tuesday, August 5th from 2:00 to 4:00 PM

Bring your imagination and the Library will provide the LEGOs. Have fun building your own creations and making them part of the Library’s imaginary city.

Summer Reading Night at the Bowie Baysox

Members of the Summer Reading Club ages 16 and younger are invited to march in an on-field parade and be recognized for their reading achievements on Saturday, August 16th.

Club members gather at 5:30 PM, festivities will begin at 5:45 PM, and the game follows at 6:35 PM. A Fireworks extravaganza follows the game. All Reading Club members receive a free voucher for the game.

Lisa and Mikel of Milkshake!

You’ve seen them on Nick JR and PBS Kids, but now they’re coming to Marley Station Mall!

Get ready to Fizz, Boom, Read and ROCK with the nationally acclaimed **Milkshake Duo** at Marley Station Mall’s center court.

Friday, June 27th at 11:00 AM

Book Trailer Contest for Teens

Create a book trailer for a book that you want to share and be a contender for the grand prize!

Any teen or group of teens registered for the 2014 Summer Reading Club can submit an original video of 30-90 seconds showing how you reacted to a book and why.

See the Library’s *Happenings!* for more details.

LPIA Volunteers

Volunteers to help in our community are always welcome.

Groups that volunteer include the standing committees as well as those that help with Helping Hands, yard sales, beach clean-up, Hall maintenance, fundraising, and other special projects as the need or desire arise.

If you'd like to take part in the Association in any way, please contact any Board or Committee member. Phone numbers for various contacts are in this bulletin and on the website.

You are also encouraged to attend the annual Meeting in September to meet others involved in our community.

Long Point Hall Rental Rates

Please note: rates will change Sept. 1, 2014

Rates UNTIL September 1, 2014		
Basic Hall Rental* (4 hours) LPIA Non-Members: \$425 LPIA Members: \$325 Outdoor Functions* (4 hours) LPIA Non-Members: \$350 LPIA Members: \$250	Meetings (per hour) LPIA Non-Members: \$30 LPIA Members: \$15 LPIA Cleaning Fee: \$30	Use of Kitchen facilities: \$20 Additional hour(s) for Basic Rental: \$50 per hour
*Plus a \$100 refundable security deposit. All fees are to be paid with signed contract.		

Rates BEGINNING September 1, 2014		
Basic Hall Rental (4 hours) Mon-Thurs. LPIA Non-Members: \$325 LPIA Members: \$225 Additional hours \$50 per hour *Plus a \$100 refundable security deposit	Basic Hall Rental (4 hours) Fri. & Sat. LPIA Non-Members: \$475 LPIA Members: \$375 Additional hours \$50 per hour *Plus a \$100 refundable security deposit	Basic Hall Rental (4 hours) Sunday LPIA Non-Members: \$375 LPIA Members: \$275 Additional hours \$50 per hour *Plus a \$100 refundable security deposit
Meetings (per hour) LPIA Non-Members: \$35 LPIA Members: \$20 Cleaning fee (flat fee) \$30	Additional fees Use of Kitchen Facilities: \$20 per rental Putting message on outside sign if available: \$10 per event	
All fees are to be paid with the signed contract. Contact Bob at 410-935-6575 to reserve the Hall or for more information.		

Long Point Improvement Association, Inc.

2014 COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION DUES - Per Household

Dear Long Point Resident/Property Owner,

The membership drive is underway, and this is your opportunity to show your support for our community. Many thanks for your continued generosity and participation!

Two ways to pay:

- 1) By check. Please make your check payable to Long Point Improvement Association (LPIA) and send it with this form to: **Mrs. Patricia McClanathan 81 Wileys Lane Pasadena, MD 21122**, or
- 2) Online through PayPal on our website at www.longpointonthemagothy.com

<u>Item</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Amount Enclosed</u>
Family Dues	\$50.00	_____
or	or	
Family Dues for Seniors (Age 60+)	25.00	_____
<u>Donations:</u>		
Capital Reserve Fund		_____
Legal Fees Donation		_____
Total		\$ _____

(Boat ramp dues will be collected when keys are distributed to LPIA members who complete the boat, trailer & vehicle information)

Please use the space below to enter contact information:

Name: _____

(Long Point) Address: _____

(Home/mailing) Address/P.O. Box: _____

City/State/Zip Code: _____

Home phone: () _____ - _____ Work phone: () _____ - _____

E-mail address: _____

* **Please check here** _____ **if you would like to have quarterly "Long Pointers" emailed to you.**

(Newsletters will be posted on the LPIA web site: www.longpointonthemagothy.com)

Areas of Interest (For which you might volunteer to help):

Social Events _____ Hall Maintenance _____ Grass Cutting _____ Beach Cleanup _____ Ramp _____

Fundraising _____ Membership _____ Welcoming _____ Board Member _____

Community Yard Sale _____ Long Point Kids' Activities _____ Helping Hands _____

Thanks for your interest in and support of our Community and its Association!