



Millers Island Community Association

NEWSLETTER

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Message from President

Take time to look around your property. Is it in order? Is it neat and tidy? Are you free of Baltimore County Code Violations. Reason I ask you to do this, is that this issue has come up a few times now at the regular meetings. Some have suggested that I, as the President of the Association write letters to property owners asking them politely to tidy up their properties.

This issue was also discussed at a previous board meeting a few months ago. This is my personal view point on this matter. I believe it is the responsibility of the community association to get involved in community matters. To ensure that an issue is a community matter, I suggested and it was voted on and agreed upon, that there would have to be a small amount of people in the immediate area of the concern willing to put their name, address and telephone number on the complaint to be submitted to the community association for consideration of action to be taken. The action would then be for the community association to write a letter to the property owner explaining that several people have complained about their property and it would be appreciated for corrective action to be taken to resolve the problem. Also in this letter it will explain that the residents complaining have been directed that if these corrective measures do not take place for them to call Balto. County Code Enforcement. Just remember to be neighborly and not petty.

President: Bernice Myer

Current Members

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Due to Election Day on November 2nd M.I.C.A General Membership Meeting will be cancelled.
See you in December

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www.myedgemere.com

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Bob Ward Sr. vacant

Topics in this issue:

- Dogs running freely
- Code enforcement issues
- Community Participation

Do you know where your dog is...

Just another friendly reminder. Please don't let your dog run freely throughout our community. It is not safe for pedestrians, vehicular traffic or your dog for that matter. I know you love your pet so keep fido safe and keep him/her at home unless you or another loving family member takes him/her out for a walk. When walking your dog, don't forget your leash, and your waste bag just in case fido decides to leave a deposit on some else's lawn. Be a responsible pet owner. Thanks

COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION



**Most Important
word in
community is
UNITY**

Community participation is the most important element of a successful community. Without your input and your assistance our efforts can't reach 100%. The association has been very successful in much of what it has done this year. However, we can be better. Without the U in COMMUNITY, there is no community. Get it. U are an important part of what we do and we need U. So come out to the meetings, support our community events, and participate and volunteer in some way at least once throughout the year. I like the regular attendees at our meetings but it sure would be nice to see the rest of you every once in awhile. The meetings are informative, quick and to the point. Our events have been very nice and get better with everyone we orchestrate. I'd like to see more attendance and more volunteers, that is the one place we are lacking in. Help us to reach our 100% that we know we can be. Thanks for your help and see you at the meetings and/or events. The Association also has opportunities for our kids to get some service hours for their school requirements. Just ask.....

PLEASE BE PATIENT.....

This is being written as a side note to the letter from the President on the front page. Many folks are still not home as a result of Isabel. Many still have items on the road-endings, our yards are not landscaped and we have construction debris on our properties. Believe me when I tell you, WE ARE TRYING. We want to get home and have things right and back to order more than you can know, unless your in the same boat we are in. I believe most of us are trying very hard to consider our neighbors that are back home and those that never had to leave. We don't like the mess and building materials all over the place either. Just bare with us. Those of us that are still out or half way home, please try as best you can to pick up the debris, and get rid of debris as timely as possible. We are all going to get through this, lets get through still being friends.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

October 19th, 7:00 PM
Board Meeting
Sparrows Point H.S

November's meeting cancelled due to
Elections

November 23, 2004 7:00 PM
Board Meeting

December 7, 2004 7:30 PM
Speaker: D.N.R Kevin Smith
3rd St. Canal project

December 21, 2004 7:00 PM
Board Meeting
Sparrows Point H.S.

MERCHANDISE

Anyone wanting Millers
Island Merchandise is urged to contact Bob Lynd
(410) 388-0176
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We now have sweat shirts just in time for the cool weather.



Happy Thanksgiving

Remember on this special to day to
give thanks for all you have. All your
friends, loving family members and all
the good that you have and take time to
remember the less fortunate.

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God bless our troops.