

NAACP BALTIMORE COUNTY NEWSLETTER

Greetings Branch Members,



The last few months have been quite active for us. We have been involved in the fight against the Covid-19 pandemic with our Covid-19 kit distribution events within the county. We have hosted several voter registration events. We encourage everyone to get out to vote. This week is early voting for the Primary Election with the last voting day on **July 19th**. Please see the list of early voting centers in the newsletter.

We attended the Baltimore County Department of Education meeting in support of Superintendent Darryl Williams. We are also working hard behind the scenes with the Baltimore County Police Department. We have discussed having further community engagements with the department including a proposed Peace Rally to help reduce the gun violence in our community.

I have great news from our youth. Couryn Branch, gold medal winner from the ACT-SO Competition recited a powerful poem (Two Black For Your Name Generator) at Coppin State and the President heard her recital and provided her with a full scholarship!!

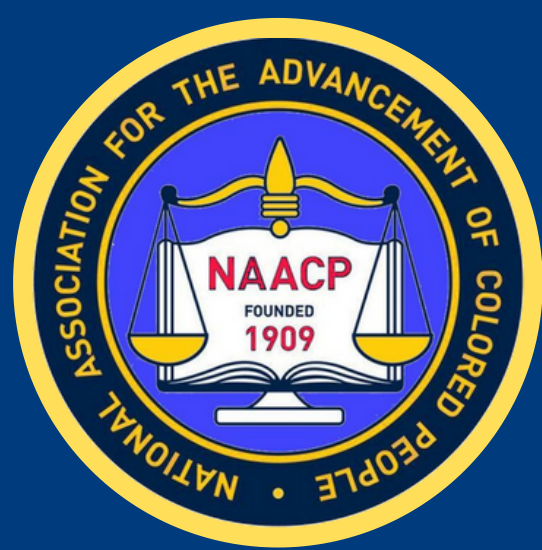
We have some exciting events coming up in the fall so we look forward to having you be a part of the festivities that we are organizing.

In Solidarity,

Dr. Tolson

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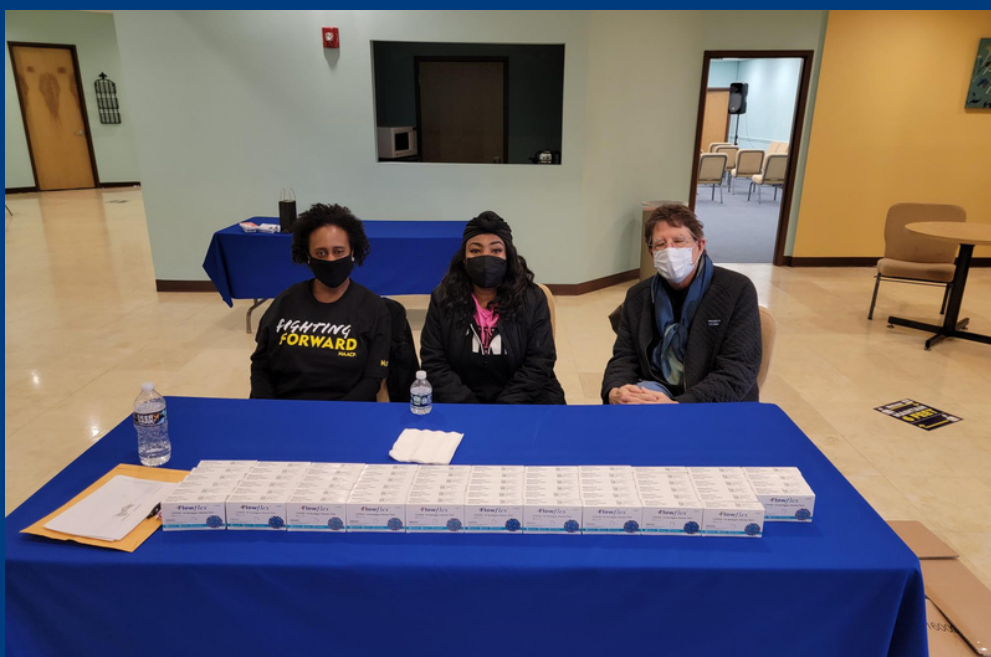


NAACP HIGHLIGHTS

Redistricting Press Conference on March 21st with the NAACP Baltimore County, ACLU, Common Cause Maryland, Indivisible Towson and the League of Women Voters of Baltimore County.



In March, we held our Covid Test Kit Distribution Events in Randallstown, Windsor Mill and Dundalk. Despite the inclement weather, our members came and assisted in the kit distribution. We commend them for their efforts in helping our community in the fight against Covid-19.



Danielle Dyer, Marcquetta Carey and Neil Shovlin at the Dream Life Workshop Center, Randallstown

NAACP ON THE MOVE

In June, we kicked off our voter registration outreach. Every Saturday we had branch members who volunteered at libraries and community centers, in Owings Mills, Pikesville, Woodlawn and Dundalk. We want to thank our members that volunteered their time to get people registered to vote.



Lakeia Newkirk and Evelyn Johnson
at the Dundalk Public Library



Dr. Tolson, Senator Charles E. Syndor III,
Evelyn Johnson, Cliff Collins and Ms. Pat
at the Juneteenth event at the Benjamin
Banneker Historical Park and Museum



COMMUNITY EVENTS

Raffles

Silent Auction

Prizes

Gift Certificates



Inaugural **Golf** TOURNAMENT

**A friendly tournament
supporting @bcaacfest
2022 scholarships**

REGISTER NOW

[LINKTR.EE/BCAACFEST](https://linktr.ee/bcaacfest)

410.635.4381

BALTIMORE COUNTY

**AFRICAN
AMERICAN**
Cultural
FESTIVAL

**MONDAY
JULY 25, 2022**

SHOTGUN START @ 8 AM

Registration, Breakfast & Range 630am

Woodlands Golf Course

2309 Ridge Rd, Windsor Mill, MD 21244

\$140

Per Golfer

Discount Foursome \$530



a 501c3 - Federal ID #52-2007541

REGISTER



TO ★★

2022
ELECTION

VOTE

★ PRIMARY ELECTION
JULY 19, 2022

7AM-8PM



YOU CAN REGISTER IF YOU:

- Are a US Citizen
- Live in Maryland.
- Will be at least 18 years old by November 8, 2022.

HOW DO I REGISTER?

www.elections.maryland.gov

Register online by June 28th at 5pm. You will need a Maryland ID, such as your driver's license or state ID.



★ Early Voting for Primary Election
July 7th-July 14th 2022 from 7am - 8pm



★ General Election November 8, 2022
from 7am - 8pm. Deadline to Register - October 18, 2022.
Early Voting - October 27th -November 3rd from 7am - 8pm

Questions? Contact the MD State Board of Elections
at 1 (800) 222-8683 or (410) 269-2840

Maryland State Board of Elections

Early Voting Centers – 2022 Primary Election

There are locations in each county where you can vote before election day. To vote early in the 2022 Primary Election, go to a location in your county Thursday, July 7th through Thursday, July 14th between 7 am and 8 pm. If you vote early, you cannot vote on election day or by mail-in ballot.

Allegany County (1 center)

Allegany County Office Complex
701 Kelly Road, Room 100
Cumberland, MD 21502

Anne Arundel County (9 centers)

Annapolis Middle School
1399 Forest Drive
Annapolis, MD 21403

Anne Arundel County Board of Elections
6740 Baymeadow Drive
Glen Burnie, MD 21060

Arundel Middle School
1179 Hammond Lane
Odenton, MD 21113

Central Middle School
221 Central Avenue E
Edgewater, MD 21037

Crofton High School
2291 Davidsonville Road
Gambrills, MD 21054

Deale Elks Lodge
6022 Drum Point Road
Deale, MD 20751

Gladys D. Greene Banquet Hall
898 Airport Park Road, Suite 207
Glen Burnie, MD 21061

Laurel Park Race Track
198 Laurel Race Track Road
Laurel, MD 20725

Magothy River Middle School
241 Peninsula Farm Road
Arnold, MD 21012

Baltimore City (7 centers)

The League for People with Disabilities
1111 E. Coldspring Lane
Baltimore, MD 21239

Mount Pleasant Church & Ministries
6000 Radecke Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21206

Patapsco Elementary School
844 Roundview Road
Baltimore, MD 21225

Public Safety Training Center
3500 W. Northern Parkway (Enter on Manhattan Ave)
Baltimore, MD 21215

Southeast Anchor Library
3601 Eastern Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21224

University of Maryland at Baltimore
Community Engagement Center
16 South Poppleton Street
Baltimore, MD 21201

Westside Skill Center
4501 Edmondson Avenue (Enter on Athol Ave)
Baltimore, MD 21229

Baltimore County (11 centers)

Arbutus Recreation Center
865 Sulphur Spring Road
Halethorpe, MD 21227

Baltimore County Board of Elections
11112 Gilroy Road, Suite 104
Hunt Valley, MD 21031

Carver Center for Arts and Technology
938 York Road
Towson, MD 21204

County Campus Metro Centre at Owings Mills
3rd Floor
10302 Grand Central Avenue
Owings Mills, MD 21117

Dundalk High School
1902 Delvale Avenue
Dundalk, MD 21222

Franklin High School
12000 Reisterstown Road
Reisterstown, MD 21136

Jacksonville Recreation Center at Sweet Air Park
3605 B Sweet Air Road
Phoenix, MD 21131

Perry Hall High School – Fine Arts Lobby
4601 Ebenezer Road
Nottingham, MD 21236

Randallstown Community Center
3505 Resource Drive
Randallstown, MD 21133

Victory Villa Community Center
404 Compass Road E
Middle River, MD 21220

Woodlawn High School
1801 Woodlawn Drive
Gwynn Oak, MD 21207

Calvert County (3 centers)

Community Resources Building
30 Duke Street – Lower Level
Prince Frederick, MD 20678

FREEDOM FUND AWARDS BANQUET

SAVE THE DATE

BALTIMORE COUNTY
BRANCH NAACP

Saturday October 15, 2022 1to5@ Martins
West

Join us in celebrating our annual
Freedom Fund Banquet



HEALTH AND WELLNESS FAIR

Join the Women In NAACP at their first event, the Health and Wellness Fair!! For more information go to: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/health-and-wellness-fair-tickets-375662636057>



HEALTH AND WELLNESS FAIR

Sunday, October 23rd
Time: 11:00am-4:00pm

Mount Pleasant Church and Ministries
6000 Radecke Avenue
Baltimore MD 21206

Health Screenings



Holistic Services

Health/Natural Products

Food! Fun! Fitness Activities!

Care for the Mind, Body & Soul



Interested in vending? Email: win@naacp-bcountymd.org

GRANT OPPORTUNITIES!!

The Baltimore County's ARPA Nonprofit Grant is live!! Baltimore County has allocated \$1.3 million of its federal American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds for non-profit grant-making. The County is currently accepting pre-proposal eligibility questionnaires from interested 501(c)3 organizations regarding public health through **July 25th, 2022 at 5:00PM.**

To download a copy of the pre-proposal eligibility questionnaire please go to the County's ARPA Nonprofit Grant Program page: <https://arp-bc-gis.hub.arcgis.com/pages/grants>. For additional information please see the County Executive's press release: <https://www.baltimorecountymd.gov/countynews/2022/06/29/baltimore-county-executive-olszewski-announces-arpa-grant-funding-for-nonprofits>.

Eligible applicants who have submitted a pre-proposal to the County will be invited to complete a full application in August 2022 through the Baltimore Community Foundation.

TECHNOLOGY FOR OLDER ADULTS: A NEW FRONTIER

Baltimore County Department of Aging partnered with Baltimore County Department of Economic Workforce Development and AARP programs; OATS (Older Adults Technology Services) and Senior Planet Workshops to provide technology training for older adults. BCDA hosts two five-week courses – Computer Essentials at Fleming Senior Center and iPad Essentials at Bykota Senior Center. Senior Planet Workshops also offer one-time classes at various senior centers around the county. The Computer Essentials course meets in the mobile tech unit, while the iPad course meets virtually. BCDA aims to cover a wide variety of tech needs and accessibilities. Cynthia Mingo, Director, Fleming Senior Center, says



that she is “so happy to work with Vishnu and Ethel to bring this opportunity to Fleming,” and excited to see the courses “open up a new lane for the aging community.” While older adults are typically the smallest demographic of online users, those aged 65 and up are now the fastest-growing online users, those aged 65 and

up are now the fastest-growing group, according to the Washington Post. The pandemic forced many in the aging community to stay home and adapt to online culture. This new frontier brought new risks, such as phishing and online scams. BCDA aims to ensure that older adults have the tools to enjoy the internet safely. Donald Jones, a student in the Computer Essentials course, is a member of Fleming Senior Center.

Donald says he enjoys holding class in the mobile unit because “it’s more personable and it gives the teacher a chance to really interact with the students.” He joined the five-week course because he wanted to become more confident in his computer skills and has since learned how to safely and more efficiently navigate the internet. In the future, Mr. Jones hopes to learn more about Excel and how to create a PowerPoint. The class has now graduated, and while Donald is excited, he is eager to enroll in more courses and learn more skills.

Not only are the Senior Planet Workshops an opportunity to learn, but also a chance to hang out with friends – and even make new ones. During a Senior Planet Workshop, attendees Susan Ewing gained two new friends. Susan says she "simply offered the Everists a ride at the first class they attended, and we have been friends since." Susan says she sought to take the class because she and her husband wanted to learn more about computers. She also intends to attend more workshops.

Vishnupriya (Vishnu) Desai, BCDA Digital Inclusion Specialist, organizes and teaches many classes alongside Carlos Melendez of the Baltimore County Department of Economic and Workforce Development and Ethel Rasmussen of BCDA. Vishnu says, "At BCDA, we are excited to help seniors connect with the world digitally." BCDA also offers free virtual tech support and more tech assistance with trained Cyber-Senior Technology Mentors. BCDA offers tech support every Thursday, from noon to 2 p.m., and Friday from 10 a.m. to noon. Older adults are encouraged to take advantage by joining the workshops - not only to learn new skills but to make new friends and save money as well.



There are many opportunities to attend a workshop or to get useful tips. The schedule of classes, and more information on the technology resources that BCDA offers, can be found online at; <https://www.baltimorecountymd.gov/departments/aging/programs-services/technology-resources/index.html>. You can email inquiries to bcdatechtools@baltimorecountymd.gov.

FREE TECHNOLOGY CLASSES



BCDA TechTools



Senior Planet Technology Training

Baltimore County Department of Aging is partnering with Senior Planet from AARP to help older adults over the age of 60 use technology to learn new skills, save money, get in shape and make new friends. Sign Up Today for FREE Technology Classes!

- **5 WEEK COMPUTER ESSENTIALS COURSE**
Learn to use a PC for email, web research, and more so you can stay connected online!
- **5 WEEK IPAD ESSENTIALS COURSE**
Review how to use an iPad for email and web research, and how to download apps to your device so you can stay connected online!
- **SMARTPHONE LECTURE**
Discover how a smartphone can help you access the internet when you need it!
- **SMARTPHONE PHOTOGRAPHY LECTURE**
Capture incredible photos on your smartphone.
- **INTERNET OF THINGS LECTURE**
Learn how to safely find thermostats to fitness trackers on the rapidly growing internet.
- **ONLINE HEALTH RESOURCES LECTURE**
Find two reputable online resources for researching and evaluating health-related information.
- **VIDEO CHAT LECTURE**
Connect with family and friends by using popular no- or low-cost video chat apps.
- **VIDEO CHAT WITH ZOOM WORKSHOP**
Master how to join a Zoom meeting and navigate the platform to connect with family, friends and coworkers.
- **ONLINE SHOPPING LECTURE**
Discover ways to save money and time by shopping online!
- **PROTECTING YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION ONLINE LECTURE**
Unearth tips for staying safe online, like safe browsing and how to recognize online scams.

If you have questions about future opportunities for technology training with Baltimore County Department of Aging, please contact **410-887-2002** or email BCDAtechtools@baltimorecountymd.gov. Please visit us at <https://www.baltimorecountymd.gov/techresources>



**Baltimore County
Department of Economic
and Workforce Development**

Baltimore County Executive John A. Chasenki, Jr.
and the County Council

COURSE CALENDAR

Senior Planet Technology Training Calendar Summer Schedule 2022

Please review the list below to find the course of interest and contact the location where the class is offered to register.

DATE	TIME	TOPIC	LOCATION	REGISTER
<u>Tuesday</u> (July 12, 19, 26, August 2,9,) and <u>Thursday</u> (July 14, 21, 28, August 4, 11)	11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	5 Week iPad Essentials Course	Fleming Senior Center (iPAD)	410-887-7225
Friday, July 15	10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	Smartphone Lecture	Reisterstown Senior Center	410-887-1143
Friday, July 22	10:30 a.m. - Noon	Protecting Your Personal Information Online Lecture	Seven Oaks Senior Center	410-887-1143
Monday, August 1	10:30 a.m. - Noon	Smartphone Lecture	Pikesville Senior Center	410-887-1245
Friday, August 5	10:30 a.m. - Noon	Online Health Resources Lecture	Seven Oaks Senior Center	410-887-5192
<u>Monday</u> (August 8, 15, 22, 29) and <u>Wednesday</u> (August 10, 17, 24, 31, September 7, 14)	10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	5 Week iPad Essentials Course	Reisterstown Senior Center (iPAD)	410-887-1143
Thursday, August 11	10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	Video Chat with Zoom Workshop	Parkville Senior Center	410-887-5338
Tuesday - Thursday (August 16- September 15)	10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	5 Week Computer Essentials Course	Hunt Valley Career Center Room 125 Computer Lab	410-887-7940
<u>Tuesday</u> (August 16, 23, 30, September 6, 13) and <u>Wednesday</u> (August 17, 31, September 7, 14)	10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	5 Week Computer Essentials Course	Pikesville Senior Center (MCC)	410-887-1245
<u>Tuesday</u> (August 16, 23, 30, September 6, 13) and <u>Wednesday</u> (August 17, 31, September 7, 14)	1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.	5 Week Computer Essentials Course	Woodlawn Senior Center (MCC)	410-887-6887
Thursday, August 18	1 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.	Smartphone Lecture	Parkville Senior Center	410-887-5338
Friday, August 26	10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	Video Chat with Zoom Workshop	Reisterstown Senior Center	410-887-1143
Thursday, September 8	10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	Smartphone Photography Lecture	Parkville Senior Center	410-887-5338
Friday, September 9	10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	Internet of Things Lecture	Reisterstown Senior Center	410-887-1143
Monday, September 12	10:30 a.m. - Noon	Smartphone Photography Lecture	Pikesville Senior Center	410-887-1245
Thursday, September 15	10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	Online Health Resources Lecture	Parkville Senior Center	410-887-5338
Friday, September 16	10:30 a.m. - Noon	Online Shopping Lecture	Seven Oaks Senior Center	410-887-5192

COMMUNITY RESOURCES

AFFORDABLE CONNECTIVITY PROGRAM (ACP)

Sign Up Events

Baltimore County Department of Aging (BCDA) welcomes all the qualifying older adult residents of Baltimore County to register for an appointment at our regional application assistance events.

In addition to getting help with the application process, we will have various internet/wireless service providers available for you to learn more about and/or set up your service.

WHAT IS THIS ABOUT?

The Affordable Connectivity Program (ACP) is a new federal program that helps low income families afford the cost of having internet service at home.

ACP Participants Receive:

- Up to a \$30/ month discount on your internet service
- Up to a \$75/ month discount if your household is on qualifying Tribal Lands
- A one-time discount of up to \$100 for a laptop, tablet or desktop computer (with a co-payment of more than \$10 but less than \$ 50)

Please see other side of flyer for ways to Qualify and Confirmation information.



HOW TO REGISTER TO ATTEND A BALTIMORE COUNTY EVENT?

You can click on the following link

<https://bcwebservices.wufoo.com/forms/bcda-acp-application-assistance/>

or call us at **410-887-2002** to make an appointment for one of the scheduled events below:

- **Monday, July 11,**
9 a.m. - 12 Noon
Ateaze Senior Center,
7401 Holabird Avenue,
Dundalk, MD 21222
- **Thursday, July 14,**
12:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Liberty Senior Center,
3525 Resource Drive,
Randallstown, MD 21133
- **Thursday, July 21,**
9 a.m. - 12 Noon
Arbutus Senior Center,
855 Sulphur Spring Road,
Arbutus, MD 21227
- **Monday, July 25,**
4 p.m. - 7 p.m.
Bykota Senior Center,
611 Central Avenue,
Towson, MD 21204

COMMUNITY RESOURCES

AFFORDABLE CONNECTIVITY PROGRAM (ACP) *cont.* **Sign Up Events**

WHO QUALIFIES?

There are four (4) ways your household can qualify for the Affordable Connectivity Program (ACP):

- **Based on your household income** – Single - \$27,180, Couple - \$36,620, Trio - \$46,060
- If you or anyone in your household already **receives a Lifeline benefit**
- You may qualify for the ACP through a **participating provider's existing low-income program**
- If you or someone in your household **participates in one of these programs** you are automatically eligible for ACP:
 - Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), formerly known as Food Stamps
 - Medicaid
 - Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)
 - Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
 - Federal Public Housing Assistance (FPHA)
 - Veterans Pension and Survivors Benefit
 - Free and Reduced-Price School Lunch Program or School Breakfast Program
 - Received a Federal Pell Grant in the current award year

Confirmation Notice

Once you have registered online, please watch for an email confirmation of your appointment from ***AgingNews@baltimorecountymd.gov***.

IMPORTANT: The email will provide a link to the list of documents you will need to bring to the event to successfully sign up for your ACP discount and begin your benefit.

If you do not receive this email, please call 410-887-2002 as soon as possible.

To learn more about ACP Benefit or sign up directly please visit their website at <https://www.affordableconnectivity.gov/>



NEW! SUMMER SNAP FOR CHILDREN FOOD BENEFITS !

The Summer SNAP for Children program provides critical food assistance during the times of the year when hunger is at its worst. Last year, only 450 children in Baltimore County benefited from the support of Summer SNAP for Children, which significantly reduces poverty and food insecurity.

The NAACP, in partnership with the Student Support Network and the Baltimore County PTA, have been advocating for full funding so that all children with SNAP can receive the extra support.

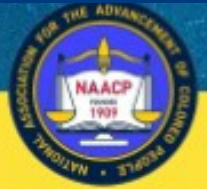
Our advocacy has paid off! The County Executive has recently announced that more than 30,000 children will receive support in 2022. Towson University economists report that the increased funding will "greatly benefit" the economy while reducing food insecurity, creating additional jobs, and increasing tax revenues.

Maryland's Summer SNAP for Children builds on the federal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), which helps more than 77,000 County households put food on the table. Summer SNAP for Children benefits are \$100 per child and are automatically added to SNAP EBT cards. This year, all children in Baltimore County ages 5-19 with SNAP will receive the extra benefit.

Summer SNAP for Children benefits began on June 1st and will be added to the household's EBT cards 15 days after the federally funded SNAP benefits are issued in the months of June, July, and August and 7 days after the December SNAP benefit is issued.

To see if you may be eligible for SNAP, text the word FOOD to 74544. You can apply for SNAP online or over the phone by calling Maryland Hunger Solutions (1-866-821-5552) or Catholic Charities (1-667-600-2291).

THE VALUE



Of Your VOTE

If you felt your vote wouldn't make a difference in an election, perhaps the following will convince you otherwise...

- In 1800, one vote kept Aaron Burr from becoming the third President of the United States.
- In 1839, one vote elected Marcus Morton as Governor of the State of Massachusetts.
- In 1868, one vote gave Rutherford Hayes the Presidency of the United States.
- In 1868, one vote saved President Andrew Johnson from being impeached.
- In 2018, John Olszewski won the Primary Election for Baltimore County Executive by seventeen votes.

YOUR VOTE MATTERS!

Vote in the 2022 Primary Election on July 19th and
in the 2022 General Election on November 8th.

For more info visit: <https://www.elections.maryland.gov>



Mark your calendars for the following meetings and activities.

Free Summer Concerts

Enjoy performances from local bands playing a variety of live music. Bring your own lawn chair or blanket.

- **The Catonsville Chamber of Commerce** presents its Frederick Road Friday Concerts on Fridays through Aug. 26 from 6 to 8 p.m. at 15 Mellor Ave. in Catonsville.
- **Lurman Woodland Theatre** weekend concerts take place Saturdays and Sundays, 5 to 7 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m. depending on the concert. The bands will play on the grounds of Catonsville High School, at 315 Bloomsbury Ave., in Catonsville.
- **Music on Main Street** kicks off July 1 through Aug. 26, 6:30 to 9:30 p.m., 120 Main Street and Cockeys Mill Rd. in Reisterstown.
- **Foundry Row** in Owings Mills summer concerts take place Thursdays through Aug. 18, 6:30 to 8 p.m. on the shopping center's "main street."

Lawyers in the Library

July 13, 4 to 6 p.m. at the Woodlawn Library, and July 27, 3 to 6 pm at the Randallstown Library. Maryland Legal Aid lawyers are on hand to offer free legal advice for eligible individuals.

Bring all relevant documents. Assistance is offered on a first-come, first-served basis to those eligible. For more information about eligibility requirements, visit mdlab.org.

Local Farmers Markets

- **Original Catonsville Farmers Market** takes place Wednesdays, 9 a.m. to noon, at The Christian Temple, 5820 Edmondson Ave., Catonsville.
- **Sunday Farmers Market**, Sundays through Nov. 21, 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at 15 Mellor Ave., Catonsville. It is sponsored by the Greater Catonsville Chamber of Commerce.
- **Pikesville Farmers Market**, Tuesdays through Nov. 29, 2 to 6 p.m., Pomona Square, 1700 Reisterstown Rd., Pikesville. The market is sponsored by the Greater Baltimore Chamber of Commerce.
- **Northwest Chamber's Farmers Market**, Wednesdays through October from 3 to 7pm at Hilton Garden Inn, 4770 Owings Mills Blvd., Owings Mills. There will be special activities on certain dates.

- **Reisterstown Farmers Market**, Sundays through Oct. 30, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Franklin Middle School, 10 Cockeys Mill Rd. in Reisterstown. Organized by the Reisterstown Improvement Association.



[Narcan Training: Community Outreach and Harm Reduction](#)

July 11, 1 to 5 p.m., and July 28, 1 to 4 p.m. in the Owings Mills Library. The Baltimore County Department of Health is offering free, on-the-spot opioid overdose response training on recognizing, preventing and responding to an opioid overdose using intranasal naloxone. Attendees receive a completion certificate, a prescription for naloxone and a kit containing the medication.

[Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program](#)

Tuesday, July 12, 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Owings Mills Library. Connect with a SNAP benefit eligibility specialist to help locate resources and services to support you and your family.

[School Board](#)

Upcoming meetings of the Baltimore County Board of Education will be July 12 and Aug. 9 and 23, 6:30 p.m. at the board's Greenwood campus, Building E, Room 114, 6901 N. Charles St. in Towson. To watch the meetings online, go to bcps.org/video/liveStream.html. You can submit comments to the board at boe@bcps.org.

[County Council](#)

Upcoming legislative sessions of the County Council will be held via web conferencing at 6 p.m. on July 5 and Aug. 1, with work sessions on June 28, July 26 and Aug. 30. The Police Department will give its annual report on July 5 at 4:30 p.m.

For more information, including on the agendas and instructions to watch the meeting online and testify, visit baltimorecountymd.gov/county council. The virtual meeting page is at baltimorecountymd.gov/county council/virtualmeetings.html or you may call 410-887-3916 for more information.

The public are encouraged to provide written testimony or comment via email: countycouncil@baltimorecountymd.gov or traditional mail.

[Police Community Relations Council](#)

These councils consist of community leaders, interested citizens and representatives of the local business community, which meet to resolve issues of concern and provide an open forum. Many meetings are now held online and/or may be paused during the summer.

- **Wilkens Precinct 1** meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month. The police precinct station number is 410-887-5165.
- **Woodlawn Precinct 2** meetings are held the second Wednesday of each month. Precinct station number is 410-887-4714.
- **Franklin Precinct 3** meetings are held the third Tuesday of the month. Precinct station number is 410-887-6985.
- **Pikesville Precinct 4** meetings are held the fourth Tuesday of each month. Precinct contact number is 410-887-6775.

ACT-SO Winners!

The NAACP Baltimore County Branch held the Afro-Academic, Cultural, Technological and Scientific Olympics (ACT-SO) Annual Competition on Saturday April 30th at New Town High School Owings Mills. High School students throughout the county competed in the areas of arts, music, dancing and poetry. There were five students who were the winners of the ACT-SO competition in Baltimore County.

They were Couryn Branch, Hamini Lewis, Jada McAiley, Jada Iwunha, and Alphonso Betts. The winners are going to the ACT-SO National Competition at the NAACP Convention in Atlantic City from July 14th - July 20th. Let's support our youth and wish them well at the ACT-SO National Competition!

DYNAMIC OPPORTUNITIES

We are always looking for volunteers to work in any of our 10 committees, visit our website to learn more about them at: <http://www.naacp-bcountymd.org/committees.html>. You can also send an email: naacpbaltimorecounty@hotmail.com

JOIN US

Our General Body meetings are every first Wednesday at 7:00pm. For the zoom link, refer to our monthly emails or go to our Linked Tree at: <https://linktr.ee/naacpbaltimorecounty>

www.naacp-bcountymd.org

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County

File a Complaint

If you need to file a complaint. Please send an email to Roland Patterson, Legal Redress Chair, naacp-rnp@outlook.com

Article Submissions:

Technology for Older Adults
and Grant Opportunity -
Mary Wontrop

New Summer Snap Benefits-
Tam Lynne Kelley

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