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MAYOR’S MESSAGE

"Live Love, Act Truth, Honor Life"
Carlo Carretto

Springtime greetings! Blessings to all, during this most joyful of seasons. We, of Judeo-Christian traditions celebrate our redemption at this time of year. The Jews, their redemption from slavery in Egypt, during the feast of Passover (Pesach, 3/25-4/2) and Christians, redemption from death that results in the promise of everlasting life! (1 Cor. 15:55) at Easter (3/31). Could there be a better time of year to celebrate this new life then springtime? I think not. Spend some time talking with your kids about the real meaning of our holidays. It is important that we pass on to our children real meaning of these holidays.

Not only are we thankful for this joyful season, but we should be thankful for all that has been going on in and around town, since I last wrote you all. A lot has happened indeed! I am happy to report the final project, connected with Street Scape, has been completed. That was the installation of new water lines and (some) sidewalks on York and Frederick Street. By the time you read these comments we should have the final overlay of our portion of MD RT 194 completed. The Mayor & City Council introduced the fiscal year 2014 budget at the March Council Meeting (3/11). A public hearing will be held on Wednesday April 3rd, in Council Chambers to discuss final approval. YOU are invited to attend this meeting that begins at 7:30PM and offer your comments for consideration by the Council. I promised you in my State of the City report that I would do everything possible to hold the line on taxes. We were able to do that. No tax increase from the City this year! My thanks to the staff and Council members and their diligence in helping arrive at this year’s budget. The budget is austere. There was not, and has not been, over the last several years, room for many ‘frills’. We have been able to hold the line on excess spending and still provide for the services we have all come to depend on from the City. For the first time since the recession began (2008) we have been able to offer our employees a small salary increase. If you would like a copy of the budget, you may pick one up at City Hall or view it on our web site (www.taneytown.org).

In other big news, this year is election year in Taneytown. The City of Taneytown will hold it’s City Election on Monday 5/6/2013 between 7AM and 7PM at the Taneytown Police Department, located at 120 E. Baltimore Street. The election is for three full-term (4-year) Councilmember seats. Residents of the City of Taneytown who are at least 18 years of age and registered with the Carroll County Board of Elections shall be a qualified voter of the City.

Residents of the City of Taneytown who are at least 18 years of age and registered with the Carroll County Board of Elections shall be a qualified voter of the City. Any qualified person may register to vote in the upcoming election any time before 4:30 PM, April 8, 2013. Residents must be registered to vote at the Carroll County Board of Elections no later than 4:00PM on Monday, April 8, 2013. If you are registered to vote in a Federal, State or County Election you do not need to register, however, if you recently moved to Taneytown and are from out of state or not within the County you will need to register with the Carroll County Board of Elections in order to vote in the City election.

Absentee ballots may be obtained from the City Clerk following a written request for an absentee ballot with reasons for the request. Absentee ballots shall be available beginning at Noon on April 15, 2013. All completed absentee ballots must be received by the City no later than 4:00PM on Monday, May 6, 2013.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

STREET SWEEPING SCHEDULE:

Monday, April 15, 2013
From 5AM to 10AM (no parking allowed):
• East & West Baltimore Streets
• Reindollar Street, Park Road, Playground Rd., Ball Park Rd. and City Parking Lots will also be swept.

Monday, May 20, 2013
From 5AM to 10AM (no parking allowed):
• East and West Baltimore Streets
• Middle Street, George Street, Mill Avenue, Antrim Street, Franklin Street, Courtland will also be swept.

YARD WASTE

Beginning in March, the Public Works Department will pick up grass clippings on Tuesdays. You must call the City Office no later than 3 p.m. the Monday before the Tuesday you wish to have yard waste collected. Currently there are no charges to Carroll County residents for disposal of yard waste, at the County Landfill in Westminster (410) 386-4550:

• Please place your bags at the curb by 7:30 a.m., the morning of pick up.
• Yard waste must be placed in paper-kraft bags only.
• Please limit the weight of bags so they can easily be lifted for loading and unloading without bag breakage.
• This service is limited to grass clippings, flower & shrubbery trimmings only. Please do not dispose of dirt, sod, thistle, or household garbage.

BULK TRASH

SATURDAY, MAY 11, 2013: From 7 a.m. to 1 p.m., the City will provide compaction trucks and dumpsters at Taneytown Memorial Park for the removal of bulk trash. Citizens are asked to observe the following procedures:
• Citizens will be responsible for bringing their trash to the park for disposal.
• All persons who are dumping material will be required to show proper ID to the attendants, before they can drop off their items. Only citizens of Taneytown will be allowed to dispose of trash. All others will be turned away.
• Please do not leave trash in the park after hours specified above. The trash disposal service will only operate during these hours.
• Vehicles transporting bulk trash for disposal must be limited to passenger vehicles and pickup trucks. Larger trucks should haul their items directly to the Carroll County Landfill.

HOLIDAY COLLECTION SCHEDULE - TRASH & RECYCLING:

Week of Memorial Day: Collection will take place on Thursday, May 30, 2013, instead of Wednesday, May 29, 2013.

For the latest news, alerts, events, and announcements relevant to our community:

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a Taneytown resident for at least two years and are over the age of twenty-five, you are eligible to run for election. Time is short though, the filing deadline is April 8th by 4 PM. If you are interested please pick up a candidate application form at City Hall during regular business hours. Our City Clerk/Treasurer Linda Quinn can answer all your questions.

As we look forward to warmer weather, we are reminded of all the activities available around town. Last spring/summer/fall proved to be a banner year for the City as far as the number of family events presented. I think we all can look back and pick a favorite. This year promises to be just as remarkable. Many of our biggest successes will be back, bigger and better than ever. On June 9th the Country Crusin’ Car Show will be back in Memorial Park, followed by the (Best) Taneytown VFD Fireman’s Carnival, June 10-15, and then the 2nd Annual Wine Art & Jazz Festival on June 22nd. There will be a lot more to come.

To view the complete list of upcoming events visit our web site. Springtime also means “sports” and in Taneytown youth sports have always been a huge focus and success. There are enough varieties of team sports available so that all our kids can put down the X Box or Wii, get up off the couch and shake off those winter cob webs. So whatever sport may be; if it is baseball or softball, lacrosse or soccer, football or just fishing in one of our ponds, get out and participate and enjoy our parks. Bob Mitchell, our Parks & Rec director can provide the details.

I hope all of you are looking forward to the coming season as much as I. Even though this winter “could have been a lot worse”, I am always glad to see springtime arrive. If you have not done so, make it a point to visit our downtown historic district. The downtown has never looked better. Taneytown is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Stop by City Hall and pick up a newly published “Walking Tour” brochure and visit some of our historic homes and buildings. Make sure too, you stop and read the historical markers that have been placed around town. We should be proud of our heritage. Our community was founded in 1754 and in those 259 years we have made a considerable contribution to our State and our nation’s history. Come, explore your heritage! I will see you there!

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- All items containing oil and/or gas must be drained.
- The attendant will direct you to dedicated dumpsters for metal items and appliances only.
- There will be one compaction truck designated for all other acceptable recyclable items, which includes little tyke play equipment, plastic trash cans, etc.
- To keep the flow of traffic moving, all recycling items should be separated before entering the drop-off area.
- Yard waste will be limited to grass clippings, flower & shrubbery trimmings only, and must be placed in paper-kraft bags.
- Batteries will also be accepted.
- This will be the only bulk trash event.

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CARROLL HOSPITAL CENTER TO RECOGNIZE NATIONAL HEALTHCARE DECISIONS DAY ON APRIL 16

Carroll Hospital Center along with other national, state and community organizations are leading a massive effort to highlight the importance of advance healthcare decision-making - an effort that has culminated in the formal designation of Tuesday, April 16 as National Healthcare Decisions Day (NHDD). As a participating organization, Carroll Hospital Center is providing information and tools for the public to talk about their wishes with family, friends and healthcare providers, and execute written advance directives (healthcare power of attorney and living will) in accordance with Maryland state laws.

From Tuesday, April 16 to Friday, April 19, Carroll Hospital Center is welcoming the public to visit the hospital’s main lobby throughout the day for free information about advance care planning and advance directive forms. A table will be set up from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. and staff will be available for one-on-one discussions and to provide information to the public. An opportunity to complete a directive, receive a free copy and have it placed on file at the hospital also will be provided.

Other resources to complete an advance directive are available at www.CarrollHospitalCenter.org or www.nationalhealthcaredecisionsday.org.

“As a result of National Healthcare Decisions Day, many more people in our community can be expected to have thoughtful conversations about their healthcare decisions and complete reliable advance directives to make their wishes known,” said Angela Boggs, manager of Carroll Hospital Center’s Spiritual Care Department. “Fewer families and healthcare providers will have to struggle with making difficult healthcare decisions in the absence of guidance from the patient, and providers and facilities will be better equipped to address these issues before a crisis occurs.”

For more information about National Healthcare Decision Day, please visit: www.nationalhealthcaredecisionsday.org.

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TANEYTOWN BUSINESS BREAKFAST

Date: Friday, April 12, 2013
     Friday- May 10, 2013

Time: 7:30AM – Networking and Breakfast
       8:00AM - Program

APRIL

Speaker: Jim Thomas – Samura Healing Center
Topic: Stress and Body-Symptoms as Your Messenger

MAY

Speaker: Congressman Andy Harris – District 1
Topic: Creating Jobs and Fixing the Economy

Location: Thunderhead Bowling Centre
4337 Old Taneytown Rd. Taneytown, MD 21787
(410) 751-1750

Cost $10.00
To be paid at the door
Checks payable to: Thunderhead Bowl
The History Museum currently exists on a smaller scale at the local branch of New Windsor State Bank, 222 E. Baltimore Street. There is a display case, memorabilia which is currently Easter related. Some of the Taneytown High School items are displayed in the hallway. Also Taneytown High School graduation class pictures which are changed on a rotating basis. There is a table displaying many of the Museum Gift Shop items which are for sale. Proceeds of these sales benefit the museum. Stop by to see the displays.

The museum has been invited to do the display case in April at the Taneytown Library. Stop in to see the selection of items on display.

The History Museum is continuing the search for a new location. During this interim period the museum is most grateful to the New Windsor State Bank for offering a display area.
NoWorriesIT RECYCLING COMPUTERS

Now it’s even more convenient for our Taneytown friends to participate in the NoWorriesIT Recycling Computers for Charity drive from now through March 31st. Lou Jordan has arranged for Carroll County Screen Printing in Taneytown to be a Drop-Off and Collection Site for any individual or business in the Taneytown area with non-working computer towers, laptops, or cables (no keyboards, monitors or printers, please), who would like to donate to this program.

NoWorriesIT, a Westminster-based networking and computer services company, will pick up the computer donations and sanitize the hard drives (remove all data) before transporting them to a recycling center for a cash rebate. NoWorriesIT then matches the cash rebate and donates the total amount to the 2013 spring charity, The Arc Carroll County. We’d like to thank Lou and his team at Carroll County Screen Printing for partnering with NoWorriesIT on this project. Please see either Joe or Kris at Carroll County Screen Printing at 1 Broad Street in Taneytown between 7:30 - 4:00 pm Monday through Friday with your computer donations before March 31st.
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for 2013, so please have your unwanted items ready for disposal this spring.

FIRE HYDRANT FLUSHING

The City’s Water Department will be flushing fire hydrants in the areas listed below. This process helps clean, remove sediment and release trapped air from the water distribution system. Customers in these areas, especially restaurants and those using washing machines are cautioned to check their water supply for rusty water, which may occur.

Monday, April 29, through Friday, May 3, 2013:
East Baltimore St, Trevanian Rd, Trevanian Terrace, Kings Dr, Kings Ct, Courier Dr, Courier Ct, Grand Dr, Cambridge Ct, Dunkle Ct, Saddletop Dr, Poyntail Lane, Butterfly Dr, Hayride Lane, Horseshoe Lane, Clubside Dr, Windy Hills Dr, Starbird Dr, Starboard Ct, Zephyr Ct, Carnival Dr, Fairground Ave, First St, Second St, Third St, Fourth St, Monocacy Circle, Divern St, George St, Franklin St, Broad St, Courtland St, Antrim St, Canoe Ct, Bancroft St, Kenan St in Copperfield, Morning Frost St, Huntinghorn Ct, Huntinghorn St, Bison St, Bentley St in Roberts Mill Run.

Monday, May 6 through Friday, May 10, 2013:
Carroll Heights Dr, Bankard Terrace, Taney Heights Dr, Taney Dr, Taney Cts, Roberts Mill Rd, Roth Ave, Spring Dr, Baumgardner Ave, O’Brien Ave, Tuscarora Trail, Cherry Oak Ct, Clover Ct, Daisy Dr, Berry Ct, Red Tulip Ct, Chestnut Ct, Warehouse Alley, Benner Lane, Mill Ave, Frederick St, Allendale Lane, West Baltimore St, Memorial Dr, Harney Rd, York St, Middle St, Fairview Ave, Blue Ridge Ave, Commerce St, Maryland Ave, Ridge Ave, Reaertown Ave, Pumphouse Rd, Westview Dr, Kenan and Bentley Streets in Meadowbrook, Colbert St, Kwanzaan St, Crimson Ave and Bowie Mill Ave.

STORM WATER DRAINAGE INLETS

Please do not sweep or blow grass and debris into the street. This practice can block downstream storm water inlet grates and pipes causing storm water to backup into the street, creating flooding conditions.

Also, please report anyone seen dumping materials into the storm water drainage system, by contacting the Taneytown Police Department (410-751-1150) or the City Office (410-751-1100). It could be contaminating our environment.

SATURDAY, APRIL 20, 2013
BEGINNING AT 10:00 AM!
WESTMINSTER HIGH SCHOOL

THE WALK IS A 2KM/8-LAP EVENT AROUND THE TRACK
THIS WALK IS STROLLER / KID FRIENDLY!
THERE IS NO REGISTRATION FEE TO WALK, BUT WE DO ASK THAT YOU COLLECT DONATIONS AND SPONSORSHIPS!!
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Live, Hope, Laugh
FSK HIGH SCHOOL LEO CLUB HIGHLIGHTS

In keeping with their motto, “Leadership, Experience, Opportunity,” five FSK High School Leo Club members (pictured) attended the District 22W Cabinet Meeting on January 27, 2013 for a Leo Leadership Gathering. Each Leo Club President gave a short speech to District Governor Paul E. Cannada and the District 22W Cabinet members. Each Leo President presented their major accomplishments for the school year. They outlined planned projects for the remainder of the school year and shared other important club information. At the completion of each presentation the Leo Leaders and members moved to a separate room where they met to socialize, network and brainstorm new projects going forward.

Additionally the FSK Leos worked with their sponsors (the Taneytown Lions Club) at their semi-annual Pancake Breakfast on March 16. The Leos are now coordinating a fundraiser (Pennies for Leukemia) for the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society.

The FSK Leos will have a Leo Club Social Gathering at the Terra Rubra Lions Clubhouse on April 2, for all Leos and Leo Club Advisors.
School News

FRANCIS SCOTT KEY HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

You win some, you lose some. The Francis Scott Key High School Varsity Basketball Program had a phenomenal record as they finished 16-8 this past season. With seven returning seniors, the group had an advantage when it came to experience. The veteran group was able to learn from their past mistakes, while giving advice to their six younger teammates, which allowed them to succeed this year. The team practiced every week with occasional Saturday practices, and participated in a Holiday tournament over Winter Break. Ryan Kimble, head coach, is very proud of the work his team has accomplished, “All of the kids worked hard, and I give every single one of them credit.” Kimble is excited for the new group of kids he has trying out next year, and thinks the team could advance further, exceeding everyone’s expectations. The support from student fans, faculty, administration and the community is what makes Francis Scott Key Athletics motivated to improve their standards. Two influential players, seniors Max Bell and Blake Straitman, have decided to further their passion for the game, and have committed to playing basketball at York College of Pennsylvania. “Overall, we had a fun season working together, and I’m proud of our guys”, Kimble added. The team finished with a 16-8 record, losing in the semi regionals final 2A West.

MULTI-FAMILY YARD SALE

SAT. APRIL 20TH (RAIN DATE SUNDAY APRIL 21ST)
TIME 8:00 AM TO 2:00 PM
SARAHS CHOICE (O’BRIEN AVE. AND THE CUL DE SAC’S)
OFF GEORGE ST. AND ROTH AVE.
art! We’ll teach you to make butterflies, so let’s celebrate by making some book art! We’ll teach you to make butterflies, flowers, hedgehogs, and more. Don’t worry about bringing anything, we’ll provide everything you need!

Small Steps to Health & Wealth - Thursday, 5/2 at 7 pm
For adults. Come and learn strategies to jumpstart your physical and fiscal health. University of Maryland Extension Education, Dr. Virginia Brown, will assist you in identifying achievable goals and develop strategies on how to make them a reality. Bring 1-2 physical and financial goals to get the most out of your experience.

Jedi Training Day - Saturday, 5/4 at 11 am
For all ages**. Celebrate Star Wars Day by becoming a Jedi Knight. The Jedi Academy is looking for new recruits. Do you have what it takes to defend the galaxy? Make your own lightsaber, practice your fighting skills, and stop by the cantina for a snack. Come and learn the ways of the Force. Refreshments will be served.

Minute to Win It Family Night - Tuesday, 4/2 & 5/7 at 6:30 pm
For ages 13 - adults. Come join us to watch some cult classics! We’re going to be watching films that were either unappreciated in their time, or just so bad that they’re fun to watch. Films will be rated PG or PG-13, so children under 13 should watch only with permission of their parent or guardian. Refreshments will be served.

Cult Classic Movie Night - Tuesday, 4/2 & 5/7 at 6:30 pm
For ages 13 - adults. Come join us to watch some cult classics! We’re going to be watching films that were either unappreciated in their time, or just so bad that they’re fun to watch. Films will be rated PG or PG-13, so children under 13 should watch only with permission of their parent or guardian. Refreshments will be served.

Spring Book Art - Thursday, 4/11 at 6 pm
For ages 5 - adults. Think fast and bring your A-game! Join the fun at our special after-hours family program. Compete in games emphasizing fun, fast-thinking, and logic - adapted for families from television’s Minute to Win It. Go for the glory and win prizes! Refreshments will be served.

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Teen Advisory Board - Monday, 5/13 at 3 pm
For ages 11 - 17. Join us at the library for a fun movie! Call 410.386.4510 or visit library.carr.org for movie title and rating.

FOR KIDS

Math 4 Me: Measurement - Friday, 5/3 at 11 am
For ages 3 - 6**. Help your preschool child discover math fun with hands-on stations for creative problem solving.

LEGOS - Thursday, 4/11 at 6 pm
For ages 11 - adults. Spring has sprung, so let’s celebrate by making some book art! We’ll teach you to make butterflies, flowers, hedgehogs, and more. Don’t worry about bringing anything, we’ll provide everything you need!

Teen Craft Night - Thursday, 4/25 at 6 pm
For ages 13 - 17. Come join us to make a fun duct tape present for Mother’s Day! We’ll have duct tape of all different colors and designs and show you how to make rose pens, picture frames, and more. Just bring your creativity and get ready to have fun!

Minute to Win It Family Night - Friday, 5/10 from 6 - 8 pm
For ages 5 - adults. Think fast and bring your A-game! Join the fun at our special after-hours family program. Compete in games emphasizing fun, fast-thinking, and logic - adapted for families from television’s Minute to Win It. Go for the glory and win prizes! Refreshments will be served.

Movie Madness - Monday, 5/13 at 3 pm 3:00 PM. For ages 11 - 17. Join us at the library for a fun movie! Call 410.386.4510 or visit library.carr.org for movie title and rating.

FOR TEENS

FOR ADULTS

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Duct Tape for Mother’s Day - Thursday, 5/9 at 6 pm
For ages 11 - 17. Come join us to make a fun duct tape present for Mother’s Day! We’ll have duct tape of all different colors and designs and show you how to make rose pens, picture frames, and more. Just bring your creativity and get ready to have fun!

FOR TEENS

LEGO Creations - Saturday, 4/6 at 11 am
For ages 5 - adults. Want to build a castle? Or a spaceship? Or something totally new and different? Join us for a LEGO program where you can build whatever you would like! We supply the blocks and you supply the creativity! Bring your dad or your mom and build together!

Pre/Kindergarten Science - Fridays at 11 am*
4/19: Owls

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Food Fun: How Dirty Are We? -
Monday, 4/1 at 1 pm*
For ages 8 - 15. Join the fun as we learn
how dirty we really are, examine “imagi-
inary” germs, and learn to keep ourselves
and our food safe and healthy. Prepare a
delicious snack! Presented by the Uni-
versity of Maryland Extension. Refresh-
ments will be served.

Recycling Craft Program: Celebrate Our
Earth - Tuesday, 4/2 at 11 am*
For ages 6 - 12. Join the fun as we make
Earth-friendly crafts from old CD’s, plas-
tic eggs, and much more. Learn how you
can help the Earth by reusing common
household items - and enjoy an Earth Day
snack. Refreshments will be served.

Music and More
Thursday, 4/4 & 5/2 at 1:30 pm*
1:30 PM. For ages 3 - 6. Join the fun with
your child as we celebrate the joys of
music with instruments, dancing, bean
bags, streamers, and more! With an ac-
companying adult caregiver; only chil-
dren need to be registered.

Castle Tales
Wednesday, 4/10 at 6:30 pm
For all ages**. Join the fun as we cele-
b rate the magic of medieval tales - with
princesses, knights, dragons and more.
Nibble delicious castle snacks and make
a craft to take home. Fun for the entire
family. Refreshments will be served.

Junior Gardener’s Workshop: Wreath
Making - Saturday, 4/20 at 10 am*
For ages 8 - 12. Join the members of the
Silver Fancy Garden Club to create a
beautiful natural wreath for your door.
Materials will be provided.

Jedi Training Day
Saturday, 5/4 at 11 am
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1st Annual SOA CARE Race 1 mile
1 mile Fun Run/Walk

When: Saturday April 27, 2013  9:00 a.m.
Where: Taneytown Memorial Park, MD  Route 140 @ Park Dr.
Cost: $10 (includes race shirt and giveaways)
Contact Bobbi Hollingsworth, School Counselor bhollingsworth@rrc.com
Proceeds will support outreach projects with
Human Services Program (HSP) & Student Tools for Life.
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Register at Racelt.com by April 14th
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EMMANUEL (BAUST) UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Start your Easter morning early by attending a Sunrise Service at Emmanuel (Baust) United Church of Christ on Sun. March 31. The service which begins at 6:30AM will be held at the top of the cemetery hill. You will see the sun rise as you overlook the surrounding countryside. The service will be conducted by the youth of the church.

The Easter worship service will be at 10:30AM in the church sanctuary. The sermon titled “Where’s Jesus Now?” will be delivered by the Rev. Gerry Hanberry, interim pastor. Holy Communion will be celebrated during the service.

The church is located at 2950 Old Taneytown Rd. (Rt. 832) in Tyrone, Md. For more info call the church office at 410 751-1237 or email office@ebucc.com.

It’s time for some spring cleaning and we have the perfect place to donate your outgrown used spring and summer clothing and used books.

Baust Church will have their semi-annual Rummage Sale and Used Book sale on April 26 and April 27. They will be accepting donations of used spring and summer clothing of all sizes. The times for April 26 are 8AM-5PM and Sat. April 27 from 8AM-2PM. This is the 6th year for the fundraiser that 100% supports the local schools.

Clothing and book donations will be accepted after April 1st. Contact Sussie Lawrence at slawr@hotmail.com or 410 984-2780 for more info.

In addition this year on Sat. there will be a Yard Sale and Car Wash. Here is a chance for you to sell some treasures you found in the attic while cleaning. The yard sale will be held on the church lawn rain or shine. Each yard sale sale space can be reserved for a fee of $10. Yard Sale spaces will be outside. This fee does not include a table. For more information contact Susie at 410 984-2780.

The youth will be having a car wash on the church grounds from 9AM-1PM. Be an early bird and come on Fri. April 26 for the Rummage Sale and Used Book Sale. Put the date, Sat. April 27 on your calendar or smart phone as a day of shopping for bargains, getting your car washed and mingling with members of the community.
**Church News**

**PINEY CREEK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Old Tyme Church Service and Picnic - Sunday, April 28, 2013 - Special old-fashioned church service featuring **Keystone State Quartet** and the church history begins at 11:00 a.m. followed by the Old Tyme Picnic (around 12:30 p.m.) located at Piney Creek Presbyterian Church, 4472 Harney Road, Harney, MD 21787. Old Tyme Church Service and Picnic for

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**Taneytown**  
Carroll Vista Community Wide Yard Sale  
55+ Del Webb Community off Trevaion just east of Atrium Boulevard.  
**Saturday, April 27** 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM  
Many residents of this community will be holding a yard sale at their home. Drive through the Community and visit all the different yard sales! Clothing, kitchen & household items, collectibles, and much more at reasonable prices! Rain Date: May 4th  
Take I-69 to exit 140 to circle in Taneytown, right on Atrium Boulevard, left on Trevaion to Carroll Vista on left.
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TANEYTOWN BRANCH LIBRARY
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For all ages**. Celebrate Star Wars Day by becoming a Jedi Knight! The Jedi Academy is looking for new recruits. Do you have what it takes to defend the galaxy? Make your own lightsaber, practice your fighting skills, and stop by the cantina for a snack. Come and learn the ways of the Force. Refreshments will be served.

Minute to Win It Family Night
Friday, 5/10 from 6 - 8 pm
For ages 5 - adults. Think fast and bring your A-game! Join the fun at our special after-hours family program. Compete in games emphasizing fun, fast-thinking, and logic - adapted for families from television’s Minute to Win It. Go for the glory and win prizes! Refreshments will be served.

Story Pals
Tuesdays at 11 am
For ages 2 - 3, with an accompanying adult caregiver. A theme-based storytime featuring interactive and age-appropriate stories, songs, fingerplays, and activities.

On My Own - Thursdays at 1:30 pm
For ages 3 - 6; all adult caregivers are welcome. A theme-based storytime for children who are ready for an independent, small group experience.

Evening Storytime
Wednesdays at 6:30 pm
For all ages**. End your day in a special way! This storytime, open to all ages, introduces stories through books, songs, and activities.

Year-Round Family Storytime
Thursdays at 9:45 am
For all ages**. An open invitation! This weekly storytime, open to all ages, introduces stories through books, songs, and activities.

*Registration is required for this program and begins 2 weeks prior to the program. Stop by the Information Desk, phone 410-386-4510, or log onto library.carr.org, select Programs & News, and follow prompts to register.

PLEASE NOTE that all branches of CCPL will be closed on the following dates:
Monday, May 27, 2013

**Children 3 and under must be accompanied by adult caregiver.
School News

FRANCIS SCOTT KEY HIGH SCHOOL

The FSK High School Choral Department is proud to present the Chamber Singers! Performing a wide variety of musical styles, the Chamber Singers would love to provide the entertainment for your next holiday party, organization meeting, or other special event. The group can provide soloists and groups ranging in size from 2 to 13 singers. Please contact conductor Matt Lamb for more information about availability and other details at mjlamb@carrollk12.org

Contact: Matt Lamb, mjlamb@carrollk12.org

Francis Scott Key will be hosting the second annual Battle of the Books on Friday, April 26, 2013 from 6-8 PM. This year Sykesville Middle School will be joining the Battle of the Books competition against New Windsor and North West Middle Schools. New Windsor will have five teams participating in the Battle this year! Our students have been reading the Black-eyed Susan nominees and have been preparing to answer questions about all 20 of the titles! At this time, we are requesting donations of prizes—gift cards to Amazon, O’s tickets, Frederick Keys tickets, movie passes, gift cards and/or gift certificates to local vendors and businesses. All prizes will be awarded to students who participate in or attend the Battle of the Books to cheer on their classmates. We also need snacks and refreshments for the evening. If you are able to donate pretzels, chips, popcorn, cookies, cupcakes, candy, soda, juice, bottled water, etc., it would be much appreciated. Please help us support and encourage reading in Carroll County. Donations may be sent to the media center marked for Battle of the Books by March 15th. Contact: Holly Fuhrman, hlfuhrm@carrollk12.org

Come on out to see the hit Broadway musical hit and film comedy, Little Shop of Horrors, at Francis Scott Key High School next month! The FSK Drama Department will be putting on this spoof of Science Fiction B movies of the sixties on April 12th, 13th and 19th at 7 PM and April 20th at 2PM. Join us for a night of family-friendly fun! Tickets can be purchased at the door, or reserved and paid for at the door. Prices are $12 for preferred seating, $10 for adults, and $8 for students and seniors. For additional information contact Matt Lamb, or to make reservations contact Heidi Eiwen. Contact: Matt Lamb, mjlamb@carrollk12.org, Heidi Eiwen, hejewen@carrollk12.org

The FSK Advisory Council is raffling Two Opening Day Orioles Tickets (April 5th 3:05 vs. Twins) for $5. Seats are behind the Orioles dugout - lower level. Proceeds benefit the Advisory Council’s scholarship program for Advanced Placement Testing fees. The drawing will be held on Wednesday, March 27th. Contact: Ken Fischer, kbfisch@carrollk12.org

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Any non-perishable food or monetary contribution given to Food Sunday from March 1 to April 30, 2013 will help our efforts to provide food security to families in Carroll County. In 2012 Food Sunday provided over 54,800 meal portions to food insecure Carroll County families.

Your efforts will give Food Sunday the opportunity to receive Feinstein funds and increase the value of your contribution. Your help is important during this economic time. With the Feinstein Foundation giveaway, we have a chance to add to any contribution Food Sunday receives.

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Everyone knows what it means to feel hungry. With that philosophy in mind, Susan Routson, PE teacher at Runnymede Elementary School, began “Runnymede Walks for Carroll County Food Sunday” 15 years ago. During that time, Runnymede students have walked and raised over $114,000 to help that organization meet its annual operating expenses. This year, on Friday, April 26, 2013, the school hopes to raise $7,000 for this worthy and much needed cause.

Carroll County Food Sunday, a non-profit which helps support Carroll County residents in meeting their emergency and supplemental food needs, regularly serves hundreds of families in Carroll County and has seen a dramatic increase in the number of those families in the last year. According to Dorothy Stottlemyer, CCFS Fundraising Chair, the organization averages about 8,000 pounds of weekly food distribution. In 2012, Carroll County Food Sunday serviced an average of 430 families a week, handled 20,507 requests for assistance and purchased 225,238 pounds of food for the food bank. That was in addition to 143,509 pounds of donated food and 38,918 pounds of food received from the federal government. In 2012, their milk budget exceeded $50,000 and, because of decreased contributions and rising food costs, milk was only offered every other week. They have also had to discontinue distribution of peanut butter, beef stew, tuna and eggs - something they hope to turn around in 2013.

In addition to the walk, and new this year, the school sponsored a staff basketball game between Runnymede staff and staff members of Taneytown Elementary on March 15, 2013. This event featured not only the game, but performances by the combined Eisteddfod choruses and 5th grade pep bands of Taneytown and Runnymede Elementary Schools, the Runnymede Honors Chorus and Runnymede’s staff dance team, “The RUE Crew”. Over $1300 was raised for CCFS and Runnymede would like to thank the Taneytown Elementary Community for their generosity and support.

During the month of March, Runnymede’s third, fourth and fifth grade students participated in a t-shirt design contest. The winning design will be printed on tee-shirts that the whole school will wear the day of the walk. According to Michelle Cash, Art teacher, the tee-shirts are created to show the hard work and dedication of the students, faculty and staff for the annual fundraiser for Food Sunday. Business sponsors are advertised on the back of the shirts. The school is still looking for business donations. All other money raised goes directly to Carroll County Food Sunday. Every donation is greatly appreciated. For more information or to donate, please contact Susan Routson at 410-751-3203.

**RUNNYMEDE WALKS FOR CARROLL COUNTY FOOD SUNDAY**

**THE CITY OF TANEYTOWN ANNUAL FISHING DERBY**

**SATURDAY, MAY 25, 2013**

8:00 A.M. - NOON

**AGES 4 TO 12 YEARS**

(10 AND UNDER MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT)

*To be held at Roberts Mill Park located on Roberts Mill Road*

Participants must bring their own bucket, pole and bait.

Registration is free

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WANTZ CHEVROLET STEPS UP TO BAT THROUGH SUCCESSFUL YOUTH BASEBALL PROGRAM

WANTZ CHEVROLET INC. FORGES SEASON-LONG PARTNERSHIP TO AID TANEYTOWN BASEBALL

In the spirit of community collaboration and teamwork taught through youth sports, WANTZ CHEVROLET INC. is supporting Taneytown Baseball through the Chevy Youth Baseball Program. This sponsorship will include both monetary and equipment donations during the Spring 2013 youth baseball season.

Chevy Youth Baseball is a grassroots initiative that establishes a positive relationship between local dealers and the communities they serve. WANTZ CHEVROLET INC. is sponsoring Taneytown Baseball as a part of Chevrolet’s nation-wide commitment to support youth sports, one community at a time. Over the course of the season, WANTZ CHEVROLET INC. will donate equipment to the league which may include: equipment bags, baseballs, softballs, catcher’s gear, batting helmets, ball buckets, umpire’s equipment, coach’s kits, break away bases, bat racks and first aid kits.

Each sponsored league will be able to offer Chevrolet Certified Service Coupons to their community to help boost support for their league. In addition, the FREE Chevrolet Youth Baseball Double Play Sweepstakes is back in 2013. This is an opportunity for the members of the community to win a 2013 Chevy Traverse, along with HD Televisions, courtesy of the local Chevrolet dealership.

Also, thanks to WANTZ CHEVROLET INC. and other participating area Chevrolet dealers, youth baseball participants will have a chance to attend a youth clinic with a local professional baseball team.

“We are looking forward to a great season with Taneytown Baseball that will be filled with exciting games and an enhanced experience for the teams through the equipment and cash donations” Scott Wantz, of WANTZ CHEVROLET INC., said. “Chevy Youth Baseball is just one example of how committed our dealership is to supporting the youth and families in our community.”

The 2013 program will provide assistance to an impressive 339 leagues in the Northeastern region and Chevrolet dealers will contribute nearly $600,000 in monetary and equipment donations.

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We will also have a table at Taneytown Carnival. Ages 5 to 8th grade. Any questions please call 410-259-6301.

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UPCOMING EVENT

THE TANEYTOWN FARMERS’ MARKET

The Taneytown Farmers’ Market will be back Saturday, June 1st. Mayor McCarron will again join us and open our market. We are open from 9:00am to 12 Noon every Saturday thru September.

The market is located in Memorial Park, located on Rt. 140. We will have entertainment, music, plants, herbs, flowers, fruits, vegetables, eggs, honey, bakery, dog treats, pony rides, artists, culinary demonstrations, and workshops.

Taneytown Lions’ will be back selling breakfast, hamburgers, hot dogs, coffee, and soft drinks. Our Master Gardeners will answer any of your gardening questions.

So mark your calendar and join us at the Taneytown Farmers’ Market.

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