

WAVERLY NEWSLETTER

August/September 2011

**WIA MEET
DATES /
TIMES :**

- > All meetings are on the first Tuesday of the month, 6:30 PM at the YMCA
- > Dates:
- > September 6th
- > December 6th
- > March 7, 2012
- > June 5, 2012
- > September 4, 2012

WIA QUARTERLY MEETING

Please join us on Tuesday, September 6th, 2011, 6:30 PM at the YMCA. We will have our Councilwoman Mary Pat Clarke and Councilman Bill Henry, Northern District Neighborhood Services Unit, Engine 31, Waverly K-8, Blue Water Baltimore, the new owners of Tony's Place on E. 38th street, and much more . . .

See you there!!!!



Thanks to all of our neighbors who came out for the *first ever* community social event at the Chestnut Hill Natural Lounge on July 16th. WE HAD A GREAT TIME!!

We plan to do have another event in late fall.

We hope to see you next time!!



MAIN STREET MANAGER

Waverly Main Street has a manager: Ebony R. Edwards!! Ebony was hired by the Waverly Main Street Board in May 2011.

Since hired

Ebony has hit the ground running meeting merchants and getting projects underway.

Join Ebony and the merchants for a clean-up on

Friday August 26th, 10am—5pm.

Please contact Ebony through the main street webpage,
waverlymainstreet.net/?q=Welcome

NEW NEIGHBORS IN WAVERLY

The WIA would like to take this time to welcome our new neighbors! Our new neighbors are on E. 34th Street, E. 36th Street, E. 37th Street and Old York Road.



If you have a new neighbor on your block (within the last two months), please notify the WIA so that we can give our neighbors a warm welcome!!!



WAVERLY IMPROVEMENT WALK SCHEDULE

The group meets every Monday at the corner of E.35th Street and Old York Road. Here are the dates for the remainder of 2011:

- Aug. 22nd, 6:30PM—7:30PM
- Aug. 29th, 6:30PM—7:30PM
- Sept. 5th, 6:30PM—7:30PM
- Sept. 12th, 6:00PM-7:00PM
- Sept. 19th, 6:00PM-7:00PM
- Sept. 26th, 6:00PM-7:00PM
- Oct. 3rd, 6:00PM-7:00PM
- Oct. 10th, 6:00PM-7:00PM
- Oct. 17th, 6:00PM-7:00PM
- Oct. 24th, 6:00PM-7:00PM
- Nov. 7th, 6:00PM-7:00PM
- Nov. 14th, 6:00PM-7:00PM
- Nov. 21st, 6:00PM-7:00PM
- Nov. 28th, 6:00PM-7:00PM
- Dec. 5th, 6:00PM-7:00PM
- Dec. 12th, 6:00PM-7:00PM
- Dec. 19th, 6:00PM-7:00PM
- Dec. 26th, 6:00PM-7:00PM



DUMPSTER DATES 2011

September 10th @ Old York and 38th
 October 8th @ Old York and 35th



Please remember to keep your porch light on. If you would like a “free” light sensor, please contact the WIA .



OPERATION CRIME WATCH

Operation Crime Watch is designed to prevent and reduce crime in Baltimore by creating and supporting neighborhood-based block watch and citizen patrol programs through a partnership between the citizens of Baltimore, the Mayor’s Office on Criminal Justice, the Baltimore City Police Department and the Washington / Baltimore High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area (HIDTA).

BLOCK WATCH NUMBER - Citizens will be provided with a crime watch number that allows 911 calls to be anonymous increases effectiveness of those calls.

For more information regarding

Operation Crime Watch please contact:

Lisa Fink (410) 396-9521 or Rian Parent (443) 984-2371

National Night Out (NNO) Success!!

Cities all across the US celebrated NNO on Tuesday August 2nd! Cities took back their communities by stating that NO CRIME would occur on this day.

Thanks to all who participated: Engine 31, Northern Police District, Mary Pat Clarke and WAVERLY Residents!!!





HONORING A WAVERLY RESIDENT!

Ms. Virginia Jefferson, a Waverly resident on the 500 block of E.35th Street since 1922, was honored by the community and the Baltimore City Council. Ms. Virginia is retiring from her family's 94 year old awning firm, L.E. Jefferson. The firm was started by her father, Leonidas E. Jefferson in 1917 on Greenmount Avenue and 31st Street. Ms. Virginia has worked for the company since 1946. As her 89th birthday approaches, she thought it was time to retire. We thank Ms. Virginia for the years she has shaded Baltimore City homes, and we honor her for carrying on her fathers' legacy which became a Baltimore tradition.



Traffic Advisory: University Parkway to be Temporarily One-Way

To facilitate the replacement of an aging underground water main, University Parkway will be made temporarily one-way, eastbound, on the blocks between 33rd Street/Barclay and St. Paul Street in Oakenshawe. The temporary traffic changes will begin around August 10th and last for approximately 2 months. MTA #22 westbound to Mondawmin will be re-routed around these blocks; angled parking will be temporarily installed to maintain parking for residents during construction.

Please plan accordingly when travelling in the area.



**REMEMBER TO VOTE :
SEPTEMBER 13TH**

It's election season!! Be sure to cast your vote on September 13th in the primary. To check your status or to see where you will vote, please contact the Board of Elections :

Baltimore City Board of Elections

417 E. Fayette St., Benton Office Building, Room #129
Baltimore, 21202 Phone: (410) 396-5550

Regular Office Hours: Monday - Friday 8:00 am to 4:30 pm

Absentee Ballots Request & Information: (410) 396-5574

Registration of Voters & Information: (410) 396-1444

Find out if you're registered:

<https://www.mdelections.umd.edu/>

Waverly and Redistricting

Due to redistricting, the 4th district now includes the top portion of Waverly starting at Chestnut Hill Avenue (even side) to E. 39th Street. Waverly from Chestnut Hill Avenue (odd side) to E. 33rd Street remains in the 14th district. As of January 2012 Councilman Bill Henry will officially be the councilman of the top portion. Of course our wonderful Councilwoman Mary Pat Clarke has vowed to still serve *all* of Waverly.

We should be honored to have two wonderful public servants at our disposal. Starting September 13th the top portion of Waverly will vote in the 4th district.

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The Waverly Standard

In believing that your block, our neighborhood and this City should be a desirable place to live, work and raise a family; I understand that this is only possible through the cooperative ongoing efforts of law abiding, concerned residents working hand in hand with each other, our police department, and city agencies, and it is our desire to be a responsible neighbor and to work toward that goal; and therefore I agree I will:



- Keep the street, sidewalk, and gutter in front of my house clean and free from trash and weeds.
- Keep porch lights on at night.
- Promptly repair any broken windows in my home.
- Keep the exterior of my home clean and in good repair.
- Keep my rear yard free from trash and litter.
- Keep my grass (if any) cut as required by City law.
- Promptly put out my trash in a trash can with a tight fitting lid. **Waverly trash days are on Tuesday, recycling on Thursday.**
- Promptly remove any snow and ice from my sidewalk in front of my home.
- Not abuse parking privileges nor abandon vehicles on the street.
- Report suspicious people, circumstances, or vehicles to the police.
- Report neighborhood problems to my block captain.
- Attend meetings called by my block captain and work with my neighbors.
- Ensure that my children (if any) obey curfew laws and respect the privacy of others.
- Obey all noise laws.
- Participate in neighborhood clean-ups, and report violators of littering statues.
- **Strive at all times to be a good and responsible neighbor!**

These are the standards of the Waverly Community. We hope that as good neighbors you will work to keep up the standard so that we can continue to have a clean, safe, drug free community.

The Waverly Improvement Association, Inc.