

THE PARK BULLETIN

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HALLOWEEN PARADE

Sunday October 28th at 3:00 PM

Everyone will meet at the triangle of Adana and Kingston Road. The parade will be lead by the Baltimore County fire and police departments. The parade goes up Adana, turns right on Carysbrook, then right onto Olmstead and a final turn left on Kingston to stop at the Spooktacular Sudbrook Playground where all the fun continues! Awesome Halloween music provided by DJ Gary Martson, Thunder Productions, to get every bone of your body moving! There will also be games and prizes for everyone before heading out for trick-or-treating. Some of this year's activities and prizes are provided by Sudbrook Park, Inc., our **Sudbrook Park businesses, Pawpy Dog Sitting & Services, Montessori Luna Bilingual Day Care LLC as well as our Pikesville Indoor Playground Bubala**. This event is one of many wonderful activities that take place in Sudbrook Park as it is a tradition going on for decades. As we remember and celebrate those who are no longer with us, we also celebrate those who still among us. Let us all get together and show our kids and adults what a good time they can have in Sudbrook. Bring your friends and family to join us on October 28th! For now we leave you with some fun facts about Halloween.

- Halloween is also know by other names: All Hallows Eve, Samhain, All Hallowtide, The Feast of the Dead, The Day of the Dead
- Halloween also is recognized as the 3rd biggest party day after New Year's and Super Bowl Sunday.
- Halloween is Oct. 31st – the last day of the Celtic calendar. It actually was a pagan holiday honoring the dead.
- Trick-or-treating evolved from the ancient Celtic tradition of putting out treats and food to placate spirits who roamed the streets at Samhain, a sacred festival that marked the end of the Celtic calendar year.
- Halloween is correctly spelt as Hallowe'en.
- If you see a spider on this night, it could be the spirit of a dead loved one who is watching you.
- Halloween is one of the oldest celebrations in the world, dating back over 2000 years to the time of the Celts who lived in Britain.
- More than 93 percent of children go trick-or-treating each year. (source: NCA)
- The tradition of adding pranks into the Halloween mix started to turn ugly in the 1930's and a movement began to substitute practical jokes for kids going door to door collecting candy.
- Black cats get a bad rap on Halloween because they were once believed to be protected their master's dark powers.
- Halloween was brought to North America by immigrants from Europe who would celebrate the harvest around a bonfire, share ghost stories, sing, dance and tell fortunes.
- Orange and black are Halloween colors because orange is associated with the Fall harvest and black is associated with darkness and death.

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RESOURCE:

www.theholidayspot.com/halloween/facts.htm#kIYCzTxMJlUXpC84.99

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Monarch Waystation

The monarch waystation in the park is now officially registered with Monarch Watch. Small as it currently is, it was a great success in attracting monarchs, with 25 caterpillars sighted at one time! We will expand the garden as able, with more fall nectar plants and variety.

WELCOME to SUDBROOK PARK

Do you know someone who has recently moved into Sudbrook Park? Please relay their address and name to Linda Rundell on the Sudbrook Board who chairs the Welcoming Committee. We want new residents to enjoy the neighborhood and feel at home! Contact Mrs. Rundell by email: momjogs@att.net or phone: 765-730-9942.

Visit the Little Free Library

Sudbrook Park has our first Little Free Library. If you aren't familiar with this wonderful nonprofit-reading-promoting movement, you can access their website at www.littlefreelibrary.org

Stop by the entry triangle at Cliveden and Sudbrook Lane and check it out! Books are for taking or borrowing. Donations are welcomed! We are aiming to keep the library half full with children's books in addition to books for grown ups. **Also, a second library is located at the park playground.**

Fall Tree Drive

For our second tree planting in conjunction with Blue Water Baltimore we received

15 orders for new yard trees, in a mix of big and understory trees.

Sudbrook Park Inc. subsidized the \$75 cost with a \$25 rebate.

Plantings will be in late October. Thanks to all who ordered and all who are planting and replacing trees, such an important part of maintaining the character of our lovely neighborhood!



SCHEDULE OF UPCOMING COMMUNITY MEETINGS

Board Meetings: Board meetings are held at 7:30 pm on the third Thursday of each month and are hosted by the neighbor listed. *You may want to check with the host to confirm that there has been no change in the meeting schedule or location.* All residents are welcome! Please come and bring a neighbor! Help continue our cherished traditions and create new ones!

Thu. Oct 18 Mark Plogman, 603 Upland Rd.
(410) 484-0341; mjplogman@verizon.net

Thu. Nov 15 Deana Karras, 507 Sudbrook Ln.
(410) 653-5010; cdkarras@gmail.com

No December meeting

Sudbrook Park Landmark Committee (SPLC) Meetings: SPLC meetings start promptly at 7:30 pm. Residents are encouraged to attend, but we ask that you call the Chair, Charles Locke (410-580-0342) forty-eight hours in advance for issues to be presented to the committee. *We suggest you check with the host to confirm that there has been no change in the meeting schedule or location.*

Tues. Oct 16 Andrew Schaffer, 716 Howard Rd.
(410) 602-0778, Schaffereast@msn.com

Tues. Nov 13, Peter King, 711 Cliveden Rd.
(410) 602-2796, pclarkking@msn.com

Tues. Dec 18, Denise Watkins, 709 Cliveden Rd.
(420) 415-5429, cdenisewatkins@gmail.com

Active Sudbrook, A Life Style

Soccer Shots, Fall Sessions

Soccer shots sessions has begun. The first session took place Saturday, September 29 and will go on for the next five weeks with classes starting at 9am and ending at 11am. Even if your child is not participating, this is a great opportunity to go to the park and meet other friends from the neighborhood. The playground comes so alive with so many kids having fun, whether is playing soccer or just hanging out, swinging and sliding at the playground! It's a great meet and greet for families with children. Haven't registered yet, use coupon Sudbrook 20 to get a discount on your registration!



Workout Mamas, Workout Sessions, Fall Initiative

Workout Mamas is a brand new initiative that is taking place at the park as well. Ana Jimenez is organizing the workout sessions with Cece, the owner of Workout Mamas. They are fun beginner's level sessions for those who are just starting and or want to establish a workout routine. This is also a great opportunity to meet other moms from the neighborhood who share the same interest of looking for an active life style without sacrificing being away from their children. This could also be a great way of setting up a play date while working out at the park, strollers are welcome and encouraged if you have small children! The sessions are taking place on Sundays at 8:45 am. For more information and to register visit, <https://workoutmamas.us/>.



Runners, All Levels

Summer came and went. Welcome Fall! Beautiful weather, in the opinion of many, perhaps one of the most preferred seasons of all to go out for a run, whether is early morning, afternoon or evening. We have such beautiful sightseeing around the neighborhood with so much wooded area in the Park that it is a delight to go out for a walk, jog or run and breathe in the fresh and crisp air fall weather has to offer. For those early risers, there is a running group that ventures out at 6:45 am every Saturday. Everyone at all levels is welcome to join, the more the merrier! Starting Saturday October 6th, we will go over the fundamentals of running, how to prepare for your first 5K, 10K or Half Marathon. Whether you are a beginner, intermediate or advanced runner, share your expertise and or experiences on runs you have already done. Once a month we will have our "Bagel Run", and coffee to go along with! For more details, come and meet us on Saturday morning or reach out to Ramon Gonzalez through the Sudbrook Facebook group page or Sudbrook Facebook Running Group page.



A REMINDER ABOUT TRASH AND TRASH CANS

Nobody relishes dealing with trash, but it's even less appealing when debris is scattered about on driveways, sidewalks and the street. Please use trash cans with secure lids, and do not place your garbage out in plastic or paper bags – the crows and dogs will quickly invade these, making an unsightly mess. Worst of all, scattered garbage attracts rodents, and this is a problem no one wants. PLEASE DO YOUR PART TO HELP MAINTAIN AN ATTRACTIVE COMMUNITY.



Sudbrook Park

Community Association 2018 membership drive

Sudbrook Park Inc. January 1 - December 31, 2018 Membership Membership Dues and Registration

Individual or household: \$25

Senior (65+): \$20

Year you moved to Sudbrook Park _____

Check here if you do **not** want your name listed when we publish a member list in the newsletter:

Additional contribution: Triangle Landscaping: \$ _____ Holiday Tree: \$ _____

Other (please specify) \$ for _____

Payment options:

Use the **PayPal link on our website**, www.sudbrookpark.org; **or send a check** made out to "Sudbrook Park, inc." to Elissa Hozore - Treasurer, 722 Howard Rd.

Member(s) Information (please print clearly)

Last Name*(s) _____

Address _____

Email address _____ Phone _____

*To include another household individual with a different surname at the same address, please include it here:

Last Name _____ First Name _____

Email address _____

Volunteer Opportunities

All of the Sudbrook Park traditions, from the Fourth of July and Halloween parades to the Flower & Bake Sale and the Holiday Tree Lighting, are made possible by your donations, and the efforts of volunteers.

To volunteer, please check one of the boxes below:

Refreshments for Bake Sale or Events

Welcoming New Neighbors

Dumpster Day

July 4th or Halloween Parades

Newsletter Distribution

Holiday Tree Lighting

Help keep Sudbrook Park a great place to live