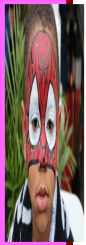




Forest Heights Annual Community Festival IT'S A TASTE OF FOREST HEIGHTS SATURDAY, AUGUST 5, 2017 11:00 AM-5:00 PM



To Start the Morning Off at 11:00 a.m. at Bell Acres Park the Marching Band and Forest Heights Limitless All Starz Dance. Parade route begins at Bell Acres Park to South Huron Dr. to Seneca Dr. to Ottawa and end at Tayac Park.



One Big Festival! Tayac Park between Ottawa Street and Terrell Ave. Food, events, games, step shows, tournaments, a live March Band, Jazz and R&B Bands and a lot more fun for the entire family so bring your family and your lawn chair and party with your community.

COME PICKUP YOUR FREE MEAL TICKETS FOR FOREST HEIGHTS DAY NO TICKETS WILL BE PASSED OUT AT THE PARK. (PICKUP MONDAY-FRIDAY 9:00-4:30 P.M.)



Come out and watch the parade. Park and Ride start at 11:30 a.m. to bring resident to the park



For more Information, to speak at the event, or to register to be a vendor call
Mrs. Sherletta Hawkins
301-839-1030/
shawkins@forestheightsmd.gov



The Band Line Up,
The Steel Band, ShaMain & Band, Reil (Spoken Word)
Layla Khepri, Wildboy Ra and
The Resurrecting Queenz.



Festival Anual de la Comunidad de las Alturas del bosque

ES UN SABOR DE LAS ALTURAS DE LOS BOSQUE SABADO DE 5

AGOSTO DE 2017 11:00 A.M-5:00 P.M.

Para comenzar la mañana a las 11:00 a.m. en bell acres parque de la banda y el bosque alturas ilimitadas todas starz danza. La ruta del desfile comienza en el parque de las acres de la campana al dr del sur de Huron. Para seneca dr. A ottawa y terminan en el parque tayac.



Un gran festival ! Tayac park entre la calle ottawa y la avenida terrell. Comida, eventos, juegos, demostraciones paso a paso, torneos, una banda de marcha en vivo, bandas de jazz y r & b y mucho más divertido para toda la familia. Así que trae tu familia y tu silla de jardín y fiesta con tu comunidad.

Venga a recoger sus boletos de comida gratis para el día de las alturas de los bosques, no se pasarán boletos en el parque. Recojo de lunes a viernes de 9:00 a.m.-4: 30 p.m.

Salir y ver el desfile.
Park and ride comienza a las 11:30 a.m. para llevar a los residentes al parque.



La formación de la banda, La Banda de Acero, ShaMain & Band, Reil (Palabra Hablada) Layla Khepri, Wildboy Ra y La Resurrección de Queenz.

Para más información, para hablar en el evento o para inscribirse para ser una llamada de vendedores. Sra. Sherleta Hawkins 301-839-1030/
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Town Community News (continued)

Message from Town Clerk Ms. Bonita Anderson

Town Council Town Meeting – 8:00 pm Wednesday, June 21, 2017 Municipal Building Meeting Minutes

Call to order– 8:00 pm

Roll Call – Mayor Muhammad; CW Smith-Barnes; CM Barnes; CW Brownson; CM Kennedy II (arrived at 8:55 pm); CW Hines & CM McLaurin (arrived at 8:01 pm) were present.

Moment of Silence –

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America

Approval of Agenda (8:00 pm) – Motion by CW Hines; seconded by CW Brownson to adopt the agenda; all were in favor; motion passed.

Approval of Meeting Minutes – (June 5th, 2017) motion by CM Barnes; seconded by CW Hines to waive the reading & to adopt the meeting minutes; all were in favor; motion passed.

Public Period – Ms. Kuny spoke about the vehicles speeding on Woodland Drive; Mr. Ware asked for clarification about the meeting signs and the status of the vacant property ordinance.

Legislation –

Resolution 37-17 to Adopt and Approve a Town Employee Compensation Plan; postpone until the next meeting.

Resolution 40-17 to Approve and Accept the Funding from MD Dept. of Natural Resources' MD Program Open Space in the amount of \$27,750 for the Development of the Community Garden located at 135 N. Huron Drive & the Community Gathering Space located at 5433 Indian Head Highway; motion by CM Barnes; seconded by CW Smith-Barnes to waive the reading; all were in favor; motion by CW Smith-Barnes; seconded by CW Hines to adopt Res. 40-17; vote (6) yes; (1) absent; motion passed

Resolution 41-17 to Approve a MEA MD Smart Energy Communities Grant Agreement for Solar Photovoltaic System at the Police Station; motion by CM McLaurin; seconded by CW Smith-Barnes to waive the reading all were in favor; motion by CM Barnes; seconded by CW Smith-Barnes to adopt; discussion; postpone until the next meeting.

Resolution 42-17 to Approve a Consulting Services Agreement with Greenwill Consulting Group, LLC as the Town Lobbyist; motion by CW Brownson; seconded by CM McLaurin to postpone until the next meeting; vote (6) yes; (1) absent; motion passed.

Closed Session – (8:43 pm) Mayor Muhammad read into the record the reason for going into a closed session under State Government Article Section 10-508(a) #1(ii) any other personnel matter that affects one or more specific individuals and #7 to consult with counsel to obtain legal advice on a legal matter on the closed meeting form; motion by CW Hines; seconded by CW Smith-Barnes; vote (7) yes; (0) no; motion carried.

Persons present for the closed session were: Mayor Muhammad; Council President Kennedy II; CW Smith-Barnes; CM Barnes; CW Brownson; CW Hines; CM McLaurin; Town Attorney, Town Administrator, Police Chief and Town Clerk.

End closed session/Back in session – 10:13 pm

Resolution 43-17 to Accept Francis J. DiSalvo, CPA to perform the year ending June 30, 2017 Audit for the TOFH; motion by CW Smith-Barnes; seconded by CW Hines to waive the reading all were in favor; motion by CM Kennedy II; seconded by CW Smith-Barnes to adopt Res. 43-17; discussion; all were in favor; motion passed.

Resolution 44-17 Revising and Employment Agreement with LaVerne E. Haefele, as Town Administrator; motion by Mayor Muhammad; seconded by CW Smith-Barnes to waive the reading; all were in favor; motion by CM Barnes; seconded by CM Kennedy II to adopt Res. 44-17; vote (6) yes; (1) no; motion passed

New Business – None

Adjournment – 10:21 pm

Town Community New

Rule of Order Governing Meetings

By Councilwoman Theresa Brownson Ward II

What is the Responsibility of the Council? (The Charter Section 33-20)

Sometimes, we as citizens of the United States of America, the State of Maryland, and the Town of Forest Heights might wonder what is the responsibility of the Council?

(Ch Res. No 1, 8-21-1963, Sec 20; Res. No 6, 9-15-1982) The Council shall have the power to pass all such ordinances not contrary to the Constitution and laws of the State of Maryland of the Charter as it may deem necessary for the good government of the Town; for the protection and preservation of the Town's property, rights, and privileges; for the preservation of peace and good order; for securing persons and property from violence, danger, or destruction; and for the protection and promotion of the health, safety, comfort, convenience, welfare, and happiness of the residents of the Town and visitors, thereto and sojourners therein.

The Council shall have, in addition, the power, to pass ordinance, not contrary to the laws and Constitution of this State, for the following specific purposes: (1) **advertising**; (2) Aisles; (3) Amusements; (4) **Appropriations**; (5) Auctioneers; (6) Billboards; (7) Bridges; (8) **Buildings**; (9) **Codification**; (10) **Community Services**; (11) Cooperative Activities; (12) **Curfew**; (13) **Dangerous Conditions**; (14) **Departments**; (15) **Disorderly houses**; (16) **Dogs**; (17) Explosives; (18) **Filth**; (19) **Finances**; (20) Fire; (21) Food; (22) Franchises; (23) Gambling; (24) **Garbage**; (25) **Grants-in-Aid**; (26) Hawkers; (27) Health; (28) Jail; (29) **Licenses**; (30) **Liens**; (31) Lights; (32) Livestock; (33) Minor privileges; (34) **Noise**; (35) **Nuisances**; (36) Obstructions; (37) Parking facilities; (38) Parks and recreation; (39) **Police force**; (40) **Police powers**; (41) Property; (42) Quarantine; (43) Regulations; (44) **Sidewalks**; (45) Sweeping; (46) Taxicabs; (47) **Vehicles**; (48) Voting machines; (49) **Weed control**; and (50) Saving clause.

As you will note when you read the **Charter**, there are a lot of responsibilities for the Council. Some you might be familiar with but others are no so familiar. If you have questions regarding any of these topics, please bring them to your Council representative.

TAKE A BITE OUT OF
CRIME



Neighbors On Watch (NOW) Recruiting Volunteers

It takes a Village to stop Crime to get on the list.

Call Councilman Barnes at 301-873-2708 or the office
301-839-1030.



SAVE THE DATES:

Forest Heights Police Department's National Night Out,
Saturday, August 5, 2017 at Tayac Park

The Forest Heights Seniors' Recreation Program presents a seminar on:

**Monday August 14, 2017
at 1:00 p.m.**

Forest Heights Municipal Building

5508 Arapahoe Drive,

Forest Heights, MD 20745

Light Refreshments served

Medicare and Medicare Plans

Are you New to MEDICARE or want to know more about the Insurance. Ms. Hodgson will attend the Seminar from Department of Family Services. She would like to talk to you about all the Benefits of Medicare.

Town Community News (continued)

Forest Heights would like too say Congratulations to Ms. Bonita Anderson. After 14th years she leaving Forest Heights we will say farewell on August 12th from 3:00-5:00 p.m. at the Town Hall and all are welcome.

It may be hard to say goodbye but the Good with it is a promise of something better.

Please RSVP by August 7, 2017 at 301-839-1030.

Goodbye Colleague



Forest Heights Noise Control Section 16.3 Loud and unnecessary noises prohibited.

It shall be unlawful for any person to make, continue or cause to be made or continued any of the following noises, which are hereby declared to be loud and unnecessary:

A. Use of vehicle horns or signals. The sounding of any horn or signaling device on any automobile, motorcycle or other vehicle on any street, way, avenue, or alley or other public place of the Town, except as a danger warning; the creation by means of any such signaling device of any unreasonably loud or harsh sound; the sounding of any such device for an unnecessary or unreasonable length of time; the use of any signaling device except one operated by hand or electricity; the use of any horn, whistle or other device operated by engine exhaust; and the use of any such signaling device when traffic is for any reason held up.



B. Use of radios, phonographs and musical instruments.

(1) The using of, operating of or permitting to be played, used or operated any radio receiving set, musical instrument, phonograph or other machine or device for the producing or reproducing of sound in such manner as to disturb the peace, quiet and comfort of the neighboring inhabitants or at any time with louder volume than is necessary for convenient hearing for the person or persons who are in the room, vehicle or chamber in which such machine or device is operated and who are voluntary listeners thereto.

(2) The using of, operating of or permitting to be played, used or operated any radio receiving set, musical instrument, phonograph or other machine or device for the producing or reproducing of sound between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 8:00 a.m. In such a manner as to be plainly audible at a distance of 50 feet from the building, structure or vehicle in which it is located.

C. Yelling, shouting, hooting, whistling and singing.

(1) Yelling, shouting, hooting, whistling or singing on the public streets or from private property at any time or place so as to annoy or disturb the quiet, comfort or repose of persons in any dwelling, hotel or other type of residence or any persons in the vicinity.

(2) Yelling, shouting, hooting, whistling or singing on the public streets or private property at any time or place in such a manner as to be plainly audible at a distance of 50 feet from the building, structure or vehicle from which the noise emanates.

D. The operation of any vehicle equipped with any broadcasting, record-playing or amplification system when any music, the human voice or any other noise shall be broadcast from said vehicle.

Town of Forest Heights Town Meetings

Mayor/Council Workshop Meeting First Monday of each Month at 7:30 p.m.

Mayor/Council Town Meeting

Third Wednesday of each Month at 8:00 p.m.

Next Meeting

Monday, August 7, 2017 at 7:30 p.m.

Próxima reunion

Lunes 7 de agosto de 2017 a las 7:30 p.m.

ALL ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND



Town Community News (continued)

Walk the

Woodrow Wilson Bridge

Trail every Tuesday walk start at 7:00 p.m.

Meet at 6:30 p.m. Town Hall

If you are interested, please contact
Bean at 301-839-1030



**Seniors Exercise
Classes**

Monday and Wednesday,

Class Begins at 12:00 noon



**Mark your Calendar
each Month for Community Cards
the First and Third Friday**

**Town Hall 5508 Arapahoe Drive,
Forest Heights, MD 20745**

Councilman Robert Barnes working to provide activities to our citizens. Please mark your calendar for the:

**FIRST and THIRD FRIDAY of each month
COMMUNITY CARDS 7:00p.m. -11:00 p.m.**



IS YOUR CHILD FREE ON SATURDAYS?
**FOREST HEIGHTS HAS A
DANCE PROGRAM**
“LIMITLESS ALL STARZ”
EVERY SATURDAY 10:30-1:00 PM
AGES 8 YRS TO 18 YRS
Call Nikkei 301-404 6772

JOB OPENINGS

**Forest Heights— Police
Chief**

**Posted 7/26/17 – Closes
8/16/17**

Seeking a Police Chief for progressive six-member department, including Code Enforcement Officer and Police Clerk, for a town of approximately 3,700 in Prince George's County, MD. Responsible for patrol and investigative functions, code enforcement, grant writing, and maintaining budget of over \$600,000. Must be self-motivated, able to work well with the public, town officials and staff. The incumbent will report to the Mayor and work at the pleasure of the Mayor. Must be certified or certifiable with the MD Training Commission, have a valid driver's license, Bachelor of Arts in Police Administration, Criminal Justice, or related field with current experience in community policing, officer training and at least five years in command position, or an equivalent combination of education and experience. Must pass physical, psychological, drug screen, and background check. Benefits package includes take-home car, health, leave and retirement. Salary is negotiable. To apply, send resume with cover letter, references and salary history to: Mr. Vern Haeefe, Town Administrator, Town of Forest Heights, 5508 Arapahoe Drive, Forest Heights, MD 20745; or fax (301) 839-9236; or e-mail vhaefe2010@gmail.com. For additional information call (301) 839-1030. Deadline for submission is August 16, 2017 at 4:30 p.m. Application review and interviews will be held during this period and continue until the position is filled.

Chicken Marsala with Chef James Ware

Boneless Chicken Breast	4-6oz
Marsala Wine (Sweet or Dry)	3oz
Chicken Stock	4oz
Mushrooms	1oz
Floor	1oz
Salt & Pepper	To Taste
Oliver Oil	1oz
Can of Non-stick Spray	

Chicken breast should be pounded flat, lower the heat to medium pre-heat a nonstick pan and spray with a non-stick cooking spray then add olive oil, saute for 1 minute to render out some of the fat. Now, Place Chicken into the pan and fry for 5 minutes on each side until golden, remove the chicken to a large platter in a single layer to keep warm. Add the mushrooms and saute until they are nicely browned and their moisture has evaporated, about 5 minutes; season with salt and pepper. Pour the Marsala in the pan and boil down for a few seconds to cook out the alcohol. Add the chicken stock and simmer for a minute to reduce the sauce slightly. Stir in the butter and return the chicken to the pan; simmer gently for 1 minute to heat the chicken through. Put chicken back into pan- reduce heat- and allow to simmer for 5 or 10 minutes. Dish can be served with Pasta, Rice or Mashed Potatoes.

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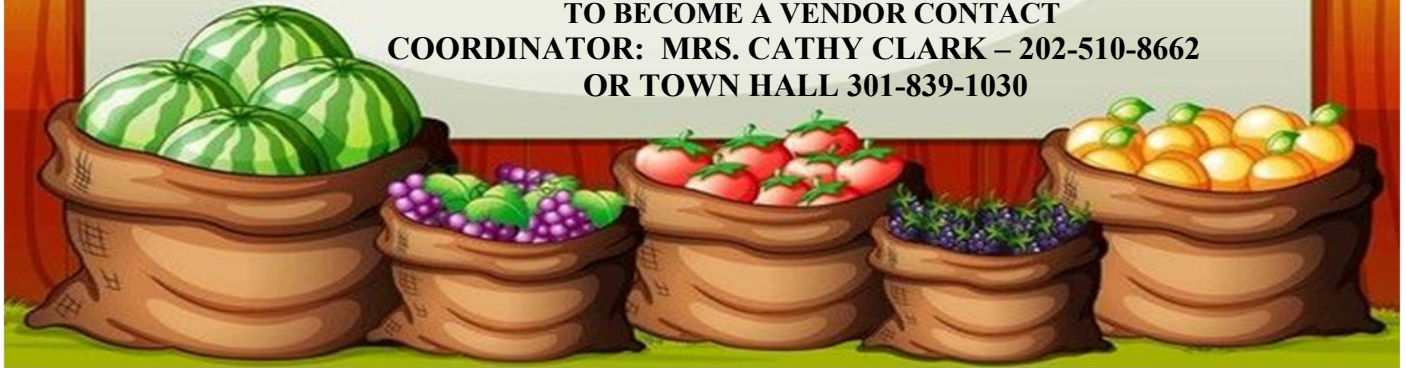
FOREST HEIGHTS FARMER'S MARKET

ST. MARK AME CHURCH NEXT TO HENRYS SOUL CAFÉ FOOD

FOREST HEIGHTS, MD 20745

DATE: EVERY WEDNESDAY TIME: 11:00 AM – 4:00 PM

TO BECOME A VENDOR CONTACT
COORDINATOR: MRS. CATHY CLARK – 202-510-8662
OR TOWN HALL 301-839-1030



AUGUST 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 Forest Heights Farmer's Market at St. Mark Church 11am-4pm	3 Bulk Trash 3 Items of Less	4	5 FOREST HEIGHTS DAY
FOREST HEIGHTS DAY AUGUST 5,						
6 National Harbor Movie Mighty Duck 6:00pm National Harbor Farm Market 10:00am	7 MAYOR/COUNCIL TOWN MEETING 7:30pm Senior Exercise Classes 12-1:00pm Trash, Yard Waste and Recycling	8 Every Tuesday, National Harbor free fitness class on the Plaza from 7pm - 8pm	9 Senior Exercise Classes 12-1:00p.m. Forest Heights Farmer's Market at St. Mark Church 11am-4pm	10 Bulk Trash 3 Items of Less National Harbor Date Night Movie Love & Basketball 7pm	11	12 Dance Class 8-18yrs 9-12 Noon
Please contact the Town on Monday before close of business for missed collection on Trash, Yard Waste and Recycling						
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FOREST HEIGHTS DAY AUGUST 5, 2017 TAYAC PARK

HAVE YOU PICK-UP YOUR TICKET YET

*****EWCWSS****

Local Forest Heights
Post Customer

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ECRWSS
U.S. POSTAGE
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Town Community News (continued)

FROM THE TOWN CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER MR. RICK SMITH

Lawn grass heights should be Below 8" inch.



Town is in the process of purchasing Dog Waste Stations. If you know of good locations, please contact Mrs. Hawkins (Bean) 301-839-1030 at the Town Hall. Also, Town has Dogs Waste Poop Bags. Come pick up one.



Leash Law. It is against the law for the owner or custodian of any animal to allow the animal to run at-large. Any dog or cat that is found at-large may be impounded. A violation notice may be issued to the owner of an animal found.



Trash/Recycle and Yard Waste Collection is to be placed at the curb the night before collection

PICK-UP DAYS BEGIN AT 6:30 a.m.,

MONDAY—Recycle, Trash and Yard Waste



Tree limbs must still be tied together in small bundles not to exceed 4 feet in length.

THURSDAY—Bulk (Three Items or Less)

METAL PICK-UP Metal placed on the curb will be picked up by Public Works for a minimum of \$35.00 (paid in advance)

Propane Tank Pick-ups are \$30 each: Tires \$15.00 each

Holiday Collection Schedule



Monday September 4, 2017 No Collection

Tuesday September 5, 2017

Trash and Recycle Only

Forest Heights Notary

9 am - 4 pm Monday - Friday

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES

Phone (301) 839-1030 Fax (301) 839-9236

8:30a.m.—5:00 p.m.

www.forestheightsmd.gov

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Non-Emergency (301) 749-4900

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