

# The Riverdale Park *Town Crier*

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## **DON'T MISS OUT!**

**Holiday  
Market and  
Festival of  
Lights**



**Town Center  
Sat., December 15  
Noon - 8:00 pm**



**Pick up  
presents and a  
bite to eat  
during the day!**

**Night trolleys for riders  
to see our Town's  
holiday decorations!**



## **STEP: Small Town Energy Program**

Fifteen of your Riverdale Park neighbors are already preparing to keep their homes warm and their energy bills low this winter through the Small Town Energy Program (STEP). Let STEP do the same for *your* home!

STEP covers \$300 of the \$400 cost of your home energy evaluation report. If you decide to make any of the report's recommended improvements, STEP then helps you get up to 60% of the costs back through rebates. STEP Energy Coach Suzanne Parmet helps you every step of the way, making the whole process easy.

To learn more about STEP or to attend a STEP house party at the home of a Riverdale Park neighbor, contact Suzanne at [energycoach@smalltownenergy.org](mailto:energycoach@smalltownenergy.org), call 240-695-3991, or visit the STEP web site at <http://www.smalltownenergy.org>.

Riverdale Park residents who drop by the STEP booth at the Riverdale Park *Holiday Market and Festival of Lights* on Saturday, December 15<sup>th</sup> can enter a drawing for a chance to win up to \$500 in energy efficiency improvements in their home. Hope to see you there!

## **Senator Pinsky's Town Hall Meeting**

Chief Administrative Officer Bradford Seamon will present the latest news from the Prince George's County Executive's Office.

**What:** Maryland State Senator Paul G. Pinsky will share a legislative update.

**When:** Saturday, December 15, 2012, 9:30-11:00 a.m.

**Where:** Riverdale Elementary School, 5600 Riverdale Road  
Riverdale, MD 20737

Time will be set aside to hear from you! Mark your calendars and bring your family and neighbors.

For more information, call 240-391-8154 or email [ppinsky@senatorpinsky.org](mailto:ppinsky@senatorpinsky.org)

By Authority: Citizens for Paul Pinsky - Anna Frankle, Treasurer

# Council Actions

By Waverly Pollitt

## Regular Legislative Meeting November 5, 2012

1. **Approved**-Permit to build a 6ft wood fence at 6125 43<sup>rd</sup> Street Riverdale, MD (Ward1)
  2. **Approved** - Farmers Market request to install a new LED sign at Beal Circle (contingent upon compliance with grant)
  3. **Adopted**- Ordinance 2012-OR-11 to amend the FY 13 Budget.
  4. **Approved**- to send a letter to Fern Piret, Prince George's County Planning Director, requesting a planning study of the Kenilworth Avenue corridor.
  5. **Approved**- Authorizing the town administrator to sign an MOU with the City of Hyattsville for purchase of salt.
  6. **Approved**- Authorizing the town administrator to sign an MOU with State of Maryland regarding electronic fingerprinting.
  7. **Approved**- To move the December worksession date to December 17, 2012
  8. **Approved**- To adopt minutes for the regular legislative meeting from October 1, 2012.
- New Business**- Introduction to 2012-OR-12 in reference to a budget amendment.



## Riverdale Park Police Department: Public Safety Community Walk

By Captain Patrick Timmons

On Saturday, November  
17, 2012, Mayor Vernon

Archer, members of the Town Council, and residents joined Chief David Morris and staff for the Ward 3 Public Safety Community Walk. Everyone met at the Town Center Market, grabbed coffee and snacks, and headed out to the walk of the Ward 3 area.

## Town of Riverdale Park

[www.riverdaleparkmd.gov](http://www.riverdaleparkmd.gov)

### Town Hall

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Riverdale Park, MD 20737

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### Council Members

**Ward 1**—Jonathan W. Ebbeler,  
Chair, Econ Development, 404-626-2082  
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Information - 301-927-0356

Charles Ryan, **Chief**  
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It is the policy of the Town of Riverdale Park, pursuant to the provision of Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act and The Americans with Disabilities Act, to prohibit discrimination against qualified persons with disabilities in any aspect of employment within the government.

It is also the policy of the Town of Riverdale Park to disallow discrimination in fair housing based on race, gender, sexual orientation, marital status, disabilities, and/or age.

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**Submission deadline: 15th of each month.**

Submit all copies to  
[towncrier@riverdaleparkmd.gov](mailto:towncrier@riverdaleparkmd.gov)

This was the fourth Public Safety Community Walk under the leadership of Chief Morris. These walks allow those who participate the opportunity to interact with the community and to note any issues of concern, whether they are related to public safety or code. These walks will continue on a rotating basis during the years to come.



## Riversdale House Museum Events

### AN 1812 WINTER EVENING AT RIVERSDALE

The doors of the stately 200-year-old mansion open. George Calvert and his wife, Rosalie Stier Calvert, welcome you into their home as the smells of gingerbread, spices and pine and the sounds of festive music waft through the air.

Riversdale House Museum invites you to relax during this busy season in the warm glow of our candlelit **1812 Winter Evening on Friday, December 28, from 6-9pm**. The house will be festooned with seasonal greens and period music will play as costumed interpreters representing family, friends, and servants of the house interact with visitors on their self-guided tours of the illuminated mansion. "My house is full of people every day and night," wrote Mrs. Calvert in 1814. Some of those visiting War of 1812 military troops add to the cheery atmosphere of the evening. Cooking over an open hearth fire in the kitchen, children's activities, and warming refreshments are all part of the spirit of the evening.

Admission for the event is \$5.00 for adults and free for accompanying children 12 and under. No reservations are necessary. The house is open 6:00-9:00 p.m. and refreshments are provided with admission.

### TWELFTH NIGHT BALL AT RIVERSDALE

Bring the holiday season to a close in style at the Riversdale House Museum's Regency-style **Twelfth Night Ball on Saturday, January 12, 2012**. This National Historic Landmark mansion provides a sparkling setting for dancing to live music by Karen Ashbrook and Paul Oorts. This year, we will also be featuring the lively sounds of fiddler Andrea Hoag. Dancing begins at 7:30 pm. An elegant ball supper will be served with additional dance sets to follow. Following tradition, a king and queen will be crowned. Come dressed in your finest Regency attire or black tie. The cost is \$35 for residents of Prince George's & Montgomery Counties and \$42 for non-residents. Advance registration is required by January 4, and capacity is limited.

For more information or to register, call 301-864-0420; TTY 301-699-2544; email [Riversdale@pgparks.com](mailto:Riversdale@pgparks.com); or visit our website: [history.pgparks.com](http://history.pgparks.com).

Riversdale, a historic house museum of the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission, is located at 4811 Riverdale Road in the town of Riverdale Park, Maryland. Call or email [Riversdale@pgparks.com](mailto:Riversdale@pgparks.com) for more information. Contact: Riversdale House Museum [Riversdale@pgparks.com](mailto:Riversdale@pgparks.com) // 301.864.0420 // TTY 301.699.2544 [www.history.pgparks.com](http://www.history.pgparks.com)

**TOWN OF RIVERDALE PARK  
FAIR SUMMARY OF  
ORDINANCE 2012-OR-12**

This is to give notice that the Riverdale Park Town Council has introduced and intends to take action on Ordinance 2012-OR-12.

Ordinance 2012-OR-12 would amend the Capital Improvement Program (CIP) Budget for the Town of Riverdale Park for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2012, and ending June 30, 2013. This amendment would add to the FY 2013 CIP a new appropriation in the amount of \$525,000 for the purchase of real estate, to be funded from the sale of bonds.

Ordinance 2012-OR-12 is available for inspection by the public at Town Hall during normal business hours, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

## **Ward and Committee Reports**

### **Ward Two Report**

By Council Member Alan Thompson  
*akthompson@riverdaleparkmd.gov*

### **Finance Committee Report**

Happy Holidays!

The Finance Committee met in late October. We discussed the status of our annual accounting audit by the State of Maryland, how the budget was moving along (in particular some items, like spending on Cafritz consulting, that have been issues in the past), what financing process we would need to go through to purchase the property on the southeast corner of Baltimore Avenue (US Route 1) and Madison Street (the property known as “Jey’s Auto”), and whether the budget amendment for legal expenses was the right amount or needed to be changed (we left it alone). Town Administrator Imhulse also updated us on the status of various projects that have been in the works for a while, including a major revision of the personnel manual, and a system for electronic voucher processing, which should improve the town’s efficiency in paying bills.

I was honored to speak at Riverdale Park’s observance of Veterans Day on November 11 at the Veterans Monument; I thank our veterans, as well as everyone who turned out for the event. I also want to thank all departments of Riverdale Park’s

town government for helping the event to go smoothly.

The Preliminary Plan of Subdivision for the Cafritz project has been significantly revised and submitted to Parks and Planning for review and approval (or denial) by the Planning Board in January. This plan lays down the location and size of streets and building lots, and part of the approval process is verifying that there are sufficient public facilities (police, fire department, public schools, parks, storm water capacity, etc.) to meet the needs of the new development. The most important part of the plan is that it now has a definite location for the bridge across the CSX railroad tracks. The bridge location, which is still subject to approval by the American Center for Physics (ACP), puts the bridge at the southern boundary of the ACP property, with the road coming out on Rivertech Court roughly where the ACP driveway nearest Raytheon comes out now (a slightly different version, which may be implemented, has the road making a right turn and coming out at the current circle on Rivertech Court). This plan for the bridge is much better than other proposals that have been discussed, and will allow easy access to the bridge (both by car and on foot) to most of Ward 2 while discouraging traffic from cutting through our neighborhood. This is the last Town Crier before the Preliminary Plan is either approved or rejected, so if you have concerns or want to know more please contact me or Mayor Archer to learn more and let us know what you think.

As we head full-speed into the holiday season, I'd like to remind everyone that the Town's Holiday Market and Festival of Lights will be held this year on Saturday, December 15<sup>th</sup> from 12:00 noon to 8:00 pm. Pick up presents and a bite to eat during the day, and at night trolleys will go through town so riders can see our town's holiday decorations. I hope to see you all there!

Best wishes to you all for a safe and happy holiday season!

## Public Works Report

By Leonard Addison

**Saturday Drop Off** – The next scheduled date for drop off of bulk trash on the third Saturday of each month, from 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM, is on **December 15**. The January – June 2013 schedule is as follows: January 19, February 16, March 16, April 20, May 18 and June 15.

### **Holiday Collection – Happy Holidays to Riverdale Park residents!**

- Regular trash **WILL BE** collected on **Christmas Eve**, Monday, December 24, 2012, and on **New Year's Eve**, Monday, December 31, **and on** Monday, January 21, 2013, Martin Luther King's birthday.
- **Holiday Closing** – The Department of Public Works will be closed on Christmas Day, Tuesday, December 25, 2012, New Year's Day, Tuesday, January 1, 2013, and Monday, January 21, 2013, in recognition of Martin Luther King's birthday.

**Leaf Collection** - As part of our fall leaf collection services, leaves will be collected from **November 15<sup>th</sup>** through **January 15<sup>th</sup>**. DPW will vacuum leaves from Town streets following our previous trash collection schedule. Please see map below.

In order to make this process work as efficiently as possible, residents are encouraged to:

- Rake leaves to the curb. Pile leaves away from cars and storm drains. The leaf vacuum cannot reach around cars.
- Remove tree limbs, rocks and other debris from leaves to be collected. They

can damage the equipment and cause delays.

- Please put bagged leaves out on Wednesdays with the yard waste. **Do not put them out with regular trash.**

*Noise and dust may be noticeable during the leaf vacuuming process. Dry conditions generate more dust. We apologize for any inconvenience.*

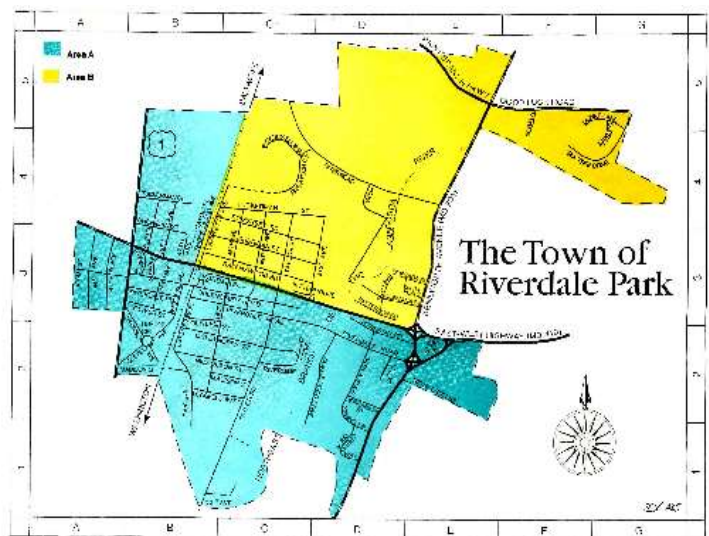
**Monday** – AREA A residents – leaf vacuum service

**Tuesday** - AREA B residents – leaf vacuum service

**Wednesday** (yard collection day) – Bates Trucking Company will collect **BAGGED LEAVES**. Please do not include tree branches, wood or other debris in the bags.

**Thursday** – AREA A residents – leaf vacuum service

**Friday** – AREA B residents – leaf vacuum



### **What is a State or County Road?**

The State Highway Administration (SHA) is responsible for all State roads. Most State roads are identified by route number and are posted with signs indicating those route numbers. For example, Route 410- East-West Highway, Route 201- Kenilworth Avenue, Route 1-Baltimore Avenue, and the Capital Beltway is Interstate Route 495-95,

are State roads. Please call 301-513-7300 for maintenance problems on State roads.

The Prince George's County Department of Public Works and Transportation (DPW&T) is responsible for all County roads. County roads are identified by road names only. For example, Good Luck Road is a county road. For highway and traffic problems in the County, please call 301-499-8600.

Municipal Streets are the responsibility of the individual city or town governments within their respective city limits. Exceptions may be major thoroughfares through a city which may be maintained by either the State or the County, i.e., Riverdale Road. For problems with Town streets, please call the Department of Public Works in Riverdale Park at 301-864-1803.

If you are unsure if the route, road or street is a State, County or Municipality, respectively, please contact the Right-of-Way Division of the DPW&T at 301-883-5642.

Some roadways are private or designated "other public" roads and must be maintained by the property owner.

### **Bulk Trash Pickups & Special Trash Pickups**

Bulk Trash pickups are scheduled by **APPOINTMENT ONLY**. In order to have bulk items picked up on Wednesdays, you must call Bates Trash and Trucking Company at 301-773-2069, before 2:00 PM on Tuesdays.

Items must be at curbside by 7:00 AM on Wednesdays. Bates is not required to pick up more than **THREE (3) bulk items from any one-family dwelling per week**. If you have more than three (3) items, you can make another pick up appointment on the following Wednesday.

The following items will **not** be picked up: building materials, concrete, bricks, roof shingles, stumps, bamboo, pressurized containers, explosives, paint (unless paint is dry in cans), poisons, caustics, construction and demolition debris, asbestos, toilets, free liquids, sewage, sludge. These items can be taken to **Brandywine Sand & Gravel, 5800 Sheriff Road, Capitol Heights, MD. 301-925-8100, or to the Prince George's County Landfill, 16111 White House Road, Upper Marlboro, Maryland, 301-952-7630.**

## **Boy Scouts Troop 252**

By Robert Killen

On 12 October, Troop 252 set up our tipi and tents at Phyllis E. Williams Elementary School field and lit up twin fires, just like last year (when it rained - HARD!) The school was having its Second Annual Outing, and we were there to help them out. This year the weather turned cold, and some 350 folks made smores and cooked marshmallows over our fires --some just stood by the fires to keep warm. The Hayride trailer had a flat tire, so there were guided tours along the scary route. We watched the outdoor movie - from the vicinity of the fires. Everyone went to bed early. There was ice on the tipi cover, tents and cars Saturday morning when we took them down - the temperature had dropped to 28 degrees during the night. No rain, just a little snow.

On 19-20 October we helped staff the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning's American Indian Festival 19-21 October at Jug Bay (Patuxent River Park, Upper Marlboro); we set up our tents and our tipi Friday night at campsite B, and learned and taught others about our American Heritage on Saturday. We helped Karen Marshall clean up after the crowd went home Saturday afternoon, and Joseph and Joey put out the campfire which we had kept burning since Friday evening. The Park Ranger made sure our fire was out.

On 1 November some of us went to the Department of Mental Health Auditorium in Baltimore, and attended Maryland's Kick-Off celebration of Native American Month. Keith Colston, Assistant Director of the Maryland Commission on Indian Affairs was the MC; there was Native food, Native dancing, Lt. Governor Anthony G. Brown read the Governor's proclamation announcing the beginning of Native American month, and exhibits for all to enjoy.

We donated 106 cans of food for Scouting for Food, too, and there's more to come!

On 16 November, we all put on our new Troop 252 Tee Shirts, fashioned by Lucian's Trophies & Awards in Bladensburg! Thank you, Rob and Bob!

On 17 November, we bicycled around Jug Bay, riding to the observation tower at the Merkle

Wildlife Sanctuary, so we can easily see why they call it "Jug Bay." AND we'll tell the "War of 1812" story to the new Scouts - the "old" Scouts know it by heart, but they appear to enjoy it again and again.

We'll go tubing the first snowfall, because we have the tubes and hill! If the weather is cold enough, we'll ice up the hill for REALLY fast rides! We'll keep the cocoa hot for between-ride drinks (by the time you read this, we will already have done all this, and you missed it) –same with skiing and camping in the snow. We'll build quinzees (snow shelters) and sleep in them - just because we can! Snowball fights? Probably not...

Our new Senior Patrol Leader is Samir Salih, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader is Guillian Canete, and our new Scribe is Joseph Elliott. The adult leaders haven't changed - yet... so stay tuned for Scouting in Action!

Feel free to join in the fun! Call or email Bob Killen (rfkille@yahoo.com 301-483 8455), Eneida Martinez-Brown (301-864-0059) or Sandra Tolson (301-927-2275) for joining information.

## **Doll Club Annual Tea Party**

By Emily Fanning

The Doll Club held its Second Annual Doll Tea Party at the Montpelier Mansion in Laurel, Maryland, Oct. 21, 2012. The Doll Club is a youth study group where students learn how to make dolls by hand from the 1810 era & how to dress them including making miniature accessories. To get into the ambiance of the Regency era, the students dressed up in their 1812 fashions which consists of an 1810 dress made according to the 1810 authentic pattern, a gauze shawl dyed from roots, vegetables & fruits, a bonnet, mob cap, coral bead necklace, fancy white gloves, white knee sox and ballet type shoes. Upon entering the mansion, the students stepped back in time to be greeted by Miss Edna who smiled warmly. She then began to teach the girls how to curtsy and the gentleman to bow properly. Miss Edna took the students on a tour of the house including the hidden staircase. The students learned all about life back then and how the children were cared for plus

all the things that were different in everyday life compared to today.

The room with the early 1800 toys was challenging. The early toys were designed to keep children busy for long periods of time because there were no video games back then. The students tried their hand at the skill of early 1800's toys. After the tour, we went to the Tea Room for a party and to learn more table etiquette. All the food was in miniature size – little tea sandwiches, scones with whipped cream topping, tiny tarts, cookies, and other mini treats. Each student received a handmade dress by Miss Emily for their 10" doll which they hand made, a cherry table to fit their doll with a tiny tea set, real beeswax candles, napkin ring & cloth napkin, tiny silverware.

They also received their first 8" old collector doll. When asking the students what their favorite part of the afternoon was – some said learning how living was so different back then compared to now, some said the presents but all in all we had a great time stepping back in time. Miss Edna and her staff did a wonderful job.

The Doll Tea was sponsored in part by ATHA. The costume collection belongs to the Doll Club and was made by Emily Fanning, Michelle Burns and Mia Enns and was also sponsored in part by ATHA. The students wear their costumes to the Riverdale Park Arts Festival, Bostwick Day, the Jr. Docent program at Riversdale House Museum & other historical functions. Would also like to thank Mr. Rivas for taking us and our 2 chaperons Trudy & Tyronne Thornton. This was the grownups' first Doll Tea Party. Mr. Thornton graciously put on George Washington's white wig for all to see.

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El Club de muñeca celebró su segunda fiesta anual de té el 21 de octubre del 2012, en la mansión de Montpelier en Laurel, Maryland. El Club de la muñeca es un grupo de estudio de la juventud donde los estudiantes aprenden cómo hacer muñecas a mano desde la época de 1810 y cómo ellos incluyendo hacen accesorios de vestir. Para entrar en el ambiente de la época de la regencia, los estudiantes vestidos con sus modas de 1812 que consiste en un vestido de 1810 hecho según el patrón auténtico 1810, un chal de gasa teñido de

raíces, verduras y frutas, un bonete, casquillo, coral del grano, guantes blancos de lujo, calcetas blancas a la rodilla y zapatos de ballet.

Al entrar en la mansión, los estudiantes dieron un paso atrás en el tiempo a ser saludados por Miss Edna que sonrió con gusto. Luego empezó a enseñar a las niñas cómo el caballero se inclina correctamente. Miss Edna llevó a los estudiantes en un recorrido por la casa incluyendo la escalera oculta. Los estudiantes aprendieron todo sobre la vida en aquel entonces y cómo los niños fueron atendidos más de todas las cosas que eran diferentes en la vida cotidiana que hoy.

La sala con los primeros juguetes de 1800 fue un desafío. Los primeros juguetes fueron diseñados para mantener a los niños ocupados durante largos períodos de tiempo porque en aquel entonces no había video juegos. Los estudiantes trataron con sus manos la habilidad de los primeros juguetes de 1800. Después de la gira, fuimos a la sala de té para un partido y a aprender más etiqueta en la mesa. La comida fue en tamaño miniatura – poco tea sándwiches, crema batida, pequeñas tartas, galletas y otras delicias. Cada estudiante recibió un vestido hecho a mano por Miss Emily para su muñeca, una cereza tabla para el ajuste de sus muñecas con un pequeño juego de té, velas de cera de abeja real, servilletas, anillo y paño de servilleta, cubiertos diminutos.

También recibieron su primera muñeca antigua de 8 pulgadas de la coleccionista. Al pedir a los estudiantes lo que fue su parte favorita de la tarde – algunos dijeron cómo la vida era tan diferente a continuación, en comparación con ahora, algunos decían que los regalos pero todo tuvimos un gran tiempo atrás en el tiempo de aprendizaje. Miss Edna y su equipo hicieron un trabajo maravilloso.

El té de la muñeca fue patrocinado en parte por ATHA.

La colección de traje pertenece al Club de muñecas y fueron hechas por Emily Fanning,

Michelle Burns y Mia Enns, también fueron patrocinadas por ATHA. Los estudiantes usan sus disfraces para el Festival de Artes de Riverdale Park, el día de Bostwick, el programa docentes Jr. en la Casa Museo de Riversdale y otras funciones históricas. También quisiera dar las gracias al Sr. Rivas, Trudy & Tyronne Thornton. Esta fue la primera fiesta del Te de los adultos. Sr. Thornton amablemente se puso la peluca blanca de George Washington para todos.

## Community Circles

### Local Organizations

- Lion's Club Meeting:** Every Fourth Wednesday. Contact President Patrick J. Prangley at (240) 882-4993.
- Northern County Soccer Alliance:** Contact [NCSA@soccer.net](mailto:NCSA@soccer.net) or (301) 927-0560.
- Riverdale Park Daisy Troop #2546:** Contact Dannielle Glaros at (301) 779-5915.
- Riverdale Park Boys Scouts Troop 252—** Contact: Scoutmaster Bob Killen at (301) 483-8455.
- Madison Hill Homeowners Association--** For information, call (301) 583-8857 or [www.madisonhill.biz](http://www.madisonhill.biz)
- Riversdale Historical Society –** Riversdale Mansion. Contact (301) 864-0420.
- Riverdale Park Farmer's Market --** Contact Jim Coleman at 301-332-6258.
- Riverdale Boys & Girls Club—**Email [riverdaleboysgirlsclub@yahoo.com](mailto:riverdaleboysgirlsclub@yahoo.com) (301) 277-KIDS
- Riverdale Park Business Association—**call Bruce Wernek for meeting site
- Riverdale Park Arts Council—**Contact Emily Fanning at [ourdollmom@aol.com](mailto:ourdollmom@aol.com)
- The Historical Association of Riverdale Park (HARP)—**Website: [www.riverdaleparkhistory.org](http://www.riverdaleparkhistory.org)  
Email: [harp@riverdaleparkhistory.org](mailto:harp@riverdaleparkhistory.org)





# January 2013-Town of Riverdale Park

**HAPPY NEW YEAR!**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 New Year's Day Closed PW & TH	2 MUTC, 7:30p, TH  Yard Waste	3  Town-Wide Trash	4	5
6	7 Reg Leg Mtg, 8p, TH  Town-Wide Trash	8	9 RPBA, 5:30p, TH  Yard Waste	10 Brownie Troop, 6:30-7:45, TH  Town-Wide Trash	11	12
13	14	15 Finance Committee Meeting 7:30pm	16  Yard Waste	17  Town-Wide Trash	18	19
20	21 MLK, Jr. Birthday Closed PW & TH Town-Wide Trash	22	23 Lion's Club, 7:00p, TH  Yard Waste	24 Brownie Troop, 6:30-7:45, TH  Town-Wide Trash	25	26
27	28 Work Session, 8p, TH Town-Wide Trash	29	30	31		