

The Greater Mondawmin Courier

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SALUTE TO THE FIFTY SEVENTH YEAR
TO THE MARCH ON WASHINGTON

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September, 2020 President Courier Message



2020 Elections are upcoming. Please make an effort to attend and teach what each candidate's stances are regarding improvements to Baltimore City. If possible take your children so that they can learn why one should vote and the value of voting if for no other reason than teach them how a vote can support their school. Maryland General Election will be November 3, 2020. If you are not able to go to the poles, please mail in your Ballot application.

If you've moved since you last voted, **VOTER REGISTRATION** can be done online at www.Greatermondawmin.org

CENSUS: DEADLINE: Sept. 30, 2020. *"The Census is happening now. You can complete your questionnaire online, (my2020Census.gov), by phone (844) 330-2020 or Mail".* To complete your questionnaire will only take ten minutes. Since COVID-19 the agency has made attempts to reach out to each of you, person to person. Your support will enable us to determine the federal funding levels for Baltimore City, local communities and the number of congressional seats assigned to Maryland.

The Greater Mondawmin Community would like to thank our member, Mrs. Hughes for spearheading and organizing the historic 1963 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., March on Washington. Residents from Hanlon Park, Parkway, Panway, Whittier Monroe and New Auchentoroly Terrace were stationed along the medians of Gwynns Falls parkway from Druid Hill Park to Leaken Park. Members were holding signs and banners honoring the march, along with saluting Black Lives Matter. Cars were honking their horns and waving in support. We could not attend the March on Washington for 2020, but we showed our support. Go Greater Mondawmin!

Now that we are under the umbrella of this Pandemic, we want our community organizations to continue to work virtually. We have a Zoom account that we want each of you to assess and make things happen virtually.

Amazon Smile: For those of you who are, and will be ordering your items via Amazon, we ask that you support Greater Mondawmin by utilizing "Amazon Smile". Your orders will generate .05% to the organization with no additional cost to you. Thank You!!

GMCC we ask that you think about what we can do to support our students. We realize that social distancing is a must, but can we host an after school study hall? The education of our students is a must now that they are virtual learners.

September is *Healthy Aging Month*, now is an ideal time to focus on taking good care of yourself-body and mind. Eat whole foods (visit the farmers markets), listen to what your body is telling you and ask your doctor about your physical and mental health.

Keeping track of your health is vital.

Stay Healthy and Blessed.

Sincerely, Adeline Hutchinson

President, GMCC



National Grandparents Day

Sunday, September 13, 2020



August 31, 2020

Baltimore City Recycling Update

Recycling will NOT be collected from residences in Baltimore City beginning August 31.

The Department of Public Works, the City agency responsible for trash & recycling pickup, faces staffing shortages due to the COVID-19 pandemic, and the recycling suspension will allow staff to focus on timely trash collection. Recycling collection may resume after November 1, depending on DPW staffing levels.

Please continue to recycle!

You can bring your recycling to one of the follow Community Collection Centers, open Monday to Friday from 7am to 3pm.

- ▲ **District 1:** DPW Maritime Operations Facility, 3311 Eastbourne Avenue
- ▲ **District 2:** DPW Eastside Sanitation Yard, 6101 Bowleys Lane (9 a.m. to 7 p.m., Mon-Sat)
- ▲ **District 3:** Hamilton Elementary School, 6101 Old Harford Road
- ▲ **District 4:** Chinquapin Middle School, 900 Woodbourne Avenue
- ▲ **District 5:** Former Police Academy, 3500 W. Northern Parkway
- ▲ **District 6:** Greenspring Middle School, 4701 Greenspring Avenue
- ▲ **District 7:** Westside Elementary School, 2235 N. Fulton Avenue
- ▲ **District 8:** Westside Skills Center, 4501 Edmondson Avenue
- ▲ **District 9:** DPW Meter Shop, 200 N. Frankintown Road
- ▲ **District 10:** DPW Southwest Sanitation Yard, 701 Reedbird Avenue (9am - 7pm, Mon - Sat)
- ▲ **District 11:** Digital Harbor High School, 1100 Covington Street
- ▲ **District 12:** Dunbar High School, 601 N. Central Avenue
- ▲ **District 13:** DPW Property Management Facility, 1825 Edison Highway
- ▲ **District 14:** Mergenthaler ("Mervo") High School, 3500 Hillen Road

The sites listed will accept recycling only (no trash), and recycling should be brought in a reusable container like one of the yellow recycling bins or a recyclable container, like a brown paper bag.



City of Baltimore
Community
Collection Centers

You can visit a Citizen Drop-off Center to drop off your recycling AND trash! For a list of these locations, visit: bit.ly/dpwwdropoff

For more information on City services impacted by coronavirus (COVID-19) and other resources, visit: coronavirus.baltimorecity.gov



31 de agosto de 2020

Noticias sobre el reciclaje de la ciudad de Baltimore

El reciclaje no se recogerá de las residencias en la ciudad de Baltimore a partir del 31 de agosto.

El Departamento de Obras Públicas, la agencia de la ciudad responsable de la recolección de basura y reciclaje, se enfrenta a escasez de personal debido a la pandemia del COVID-19, y la suspensión de reciclaje permitirá al personal centrarse en la recolección oportuna de basura. Puede reanudarse la recolección de reciclaje después del 1 de noviembre, dependiendo de los niveles de personal del DPW.

¡Por favor, continúe reciclando!

Acerque sus materiales reciclables a uno de los siguientes centros de recolección de la comunidad, abiertos de lunes a viernes de 7am a 3pm.

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Los sitios enumerados solo aceptarán reciclaje (sin basura), y el reciclaje debe ser traído en un envase reutilizable como uno de los contenedores de reciclaje amarillos o un envase reciclable, como una bolsa de papel marrón.



City of Baltimore
Community
Collection Centers

¡Usted puede visitar un centro de entrega ciudadana para dejar su reciclaje y basura! Para obtener una lista de estas ubicaciones, visite: bit.ly/dpwwdropoff

Para obtener más información sobre los servicios de la ciudad afectados por el coronavirus (COVID-19) y otros recursos, visite: coronavirus.baltimorecity.gov





Greetings from Christian Liberty Church

JOIN US ONLINE

THIS WEEKEND



@ 10:00 AM



Join Us Online Each Sunday on Facebook LIVE at 10:00 AM

and...

JOIN PASTOR WAYNE

Wednesday @ 6:30 pm

BIBLE GOD'S WORD
DISCOVER **STUDY**

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FACEBOOK LIVE

@CHRISTIANLIBERTYCHURCH



“Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever” Hebrews 13:8

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/christianlibertychurch/>

Website: <https://www.christianlibertychurch.org/> / Email address: info@christianlibertychurch.org

Contact #: 410-523-LOVE (5683)

Wayne Lee, Lead Pastor, Christian Liberty Church





“Mondawmin Mall successfully opened its’ doors on June 22, 2020 with the abbreviated hours of Monday-Saturday 11am-7pm and Sunday 12pm-6pm. These hours will continue throughout the summer, please check the website for updated hours www.Mondawmin.com. We are so excited to see all our familiar faces as well as new friends. Just a friendly reminder that masks are required while in the mall shopping. All mask must always be covering your mouth and nose. Our focus is to open the mall safely with a dedication to cleanliness and pushing the understanding of Shopping with Space. Please remember to socially distance at least 6 feet away while shopping. Thank you to all who have visited the mall after we re-opened and we look forward to those who have not returned just yet. Be Bless!

Romaine Smallwood-Faison, CSM

T410.523.1535 opt 3

General Manger/Mondawmin Mall Retail

rsmallwoodfaison@brookfieldpropertiesretail.com

Brookfield properties

www.brookfieldpropertiesretail.com

2401 Liberty Heights Ave., Baltimore, MD 21215

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PURCHASE ANYWHERE IN GREATER MONDAWMIN**

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LIMITED OFFER



**TO ASSIST WITH
DOWNPAYMENT, CLOSING COST
OR PRINCIPAL REDUCTION**

**Area Median Income (AMI) Limits
@ 100% Household Income
1 person \$72,800k, 2 people \$83,200k
Required Housing Counseling
Pre Approved by Lender**

For more information contact
Vernice Turner,
Neighborhood Resource Coordinator
for Greater Mondawmin
410 523-4556
vtumer@nhsbaltimore.com



Are you ready to meet new people, get out of your comfort zone, and build a more connected Baltimore? [Thread](#) is an innovative, nationally-recognized, homegrown community weaving a new social fabric in Baltimore, and is looking for volunteers to join our community virtually during COVID-19. Social distancing should not mean social isolation, and Thread is here to bring people together in this unprecedented time.

What does Thread do? Thread is often mistaken for a mentoring program or tutoring group, but we're really a community of individuals working to end our social isolation by rallying around Baltimore's most academically-underperforming and highest potential 9th graders. Thread volunteers work in groups with a single young person, building relationships that transcend lines of race, class and zip code. Young people in Thread consistently defy the odds: 85% of Thread students have graduated from high school within six years, and 83% have completed a college degree or certificate program.

Thread works with over 600 students and alumni and 1000+ volunteers, with plans to reach 7% of Baltimore City Public Schools' entire 9th grade class. We are all-in in Baltimore and are looking for individuals ready to work directly with Thread students or lead a team of other volunteers. You can sign up for an information session and/or complete a volunteer application [here](#) or email volunteer@thread.org to find out more.



Thread

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SALUTE TO DR. ANNE O. EMERY



Dr. Anne O. Emery was a lifelong educator in Baltimore. She received a bachelor's degree at Tuskegee University and later earned a master's degree in education from what was then Morgan State College and a doctorate in education from Temple University. She was a vice principal at Lemmel Junior High School in 1960. She was principal at Walbrook High School from 1971 through 1980. In 1980 to 1989 she became an assistant schools superintendent.

She was a leader in the Ashburton community for decades and loved that neighborhood, worked hard to preserve it and took great pride in it.

She was just a fantastic person, and there are not enough words to describe the type person Anne Emery was. She was empathetic, compassionate, and would help people at the drop of a hat. She was all about the kids and the people she worked with. She inspired the people who worked for and around her because she wanted to see growth in them also.

She was a founder of Heritage United Church of Christ in 1963.

She was a daughter, sister, wife, mother, mother-in-law, grandmother, great-grandmother, and friend. She is the grandmother to GMCC's Treasurer, Tyrone McNeill.



At the request of many, I will be starting a new class in September.

Please join me for a complimentary chair aerobics to be held on Thursday, August 27 at 6:45 a.m. through ZOOM.

ZOOM ID: 839 0483 9771
Password: 220095

*** Note: Class to Open at 6:30 a.m.***

For anyone experiencing technical issues,
I will have my cell phone near by.

Come with a chair,
small hand weights (if you have) and water

For More Information, Contact Daphne Hicks
410-491-8976/fitnance@comcast.net/fitnancehealthandwellness.com

Fitness. Dance. Grace.



Virtual Class Schedule

Mondays (Evening)

Pilates (Sculpt, Stretch and Strength) 6:00 p.m. – 6:40 p.m.

Description - Sculpting for Shaping and Toning; Stretching for Core Strength, Improved Flexibility; Strength Training for Building Muscle and Improved Body Image

Zumba 6:45 p.m. – 7:25 p.m.

Description – an Aerobic Fitness Class that combines Latin, International, Hip Hop and R&B music with Dance Moves and use of Toning Sticks or Weights to Target Arms, Abs, Thighs and other Muscles.

Line Dance 7:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Description - A line dance is a choreographed dance with a repeated sequence of steps in which a group of people dance in one or more lines or rows, all facing either each other or in the same direction, and executing the steps at the same time

Thursdays (Evening)

Cardio Moves and/or Strength and/or Toning 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.

Description - Basic Aerobic and Dance or Circuit Training to Various Genres

Saturdays (Morning: same classes as Monday Evenings)

Pilates 8:00 a.m. – 8:40 a.m.

Zumba 8:45 a.m. – 9:25 a.m.

Line Dance 9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

COST: \$6.00/class (Pilates and Zumba)

COST \$8.00/class (Cardio, Strength, Toning, or Line Dance)

Inquire About Discounts for Advance Payment and/or Multiple classes.

For More Information, Contact Daphne Hicks
410-491-8976/fitnance@comcast.net/fitnancehealthandwellness.com
Inquire about fundraising opportunities for your organization

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Eligibility Requirements

- Baltimore City resident
- Aged 65 and older
- 80% or below the Baltimore Metro Area Median Income

How to Get Started
Contact the HUBS Intake Line at Civic Works to determine your service area.

We can be reached at 443-470-9871 or email us at HUBSintake@civicworks.com.

Participating Organizations



Civic Works



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Right Care. Right Time. Right Place.



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on WHEELS
OF CENTRAL MARYLAND
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Baltimore



SINAI HOSPITAL
a LifeBridge Health center



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HOUSING
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Housing Upgrades to Benefit Seniors (HUBS)



What We Do

The Housing Upgrades to Benefit Seniors (HUBS) program serves residents of Baltimore. Social Workers based at six HUBS sites will provide application assistance to older adults to determine home improvements that will make their houses healthier and more secure.

Older adults **may** be eligible for:

- Home Safety Improvements (e.g. grab bars, handrails)
- Home Rehab Services (e.g. roof repair, plumbing repair)
- Energy Efficiency Upgrades (e.g. LED and CFL light bulbs)
- Weatherization Services (e.g. insulation, caulking of foundation)

Mission

All older adults have the right to increase the amount of time that they can remain in their homes. Our program helps them receive modifications such as grab bars, handrails, and structural repairs that make their houses more comfortable and aging-friendly.

Program Background

HUBS is a collaborative program of Civic Works, Green & Healthy Homes Initiative (GHHI), Neighborhood Housing Services (NHS) of Baltimore, and Rebuilding Together Baltimore.

We are funded by the Leonard and Helen R. Stulman Charitable Foundation and the Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Foundation.



HUBS Sites

Banner Neighborhoods

2911 Pulaski Highway
Baltimore, MD 21224

Civic Works

3501 Brehms Lane, Suite C
Baltimore, MD 21213

Keswick Multi-Care Center

700 W. 40th Street
Baltimore, MD 21211

Meals on Wheels of Central Maryland

515 S. Haven Street
Baltimore, MD 21224

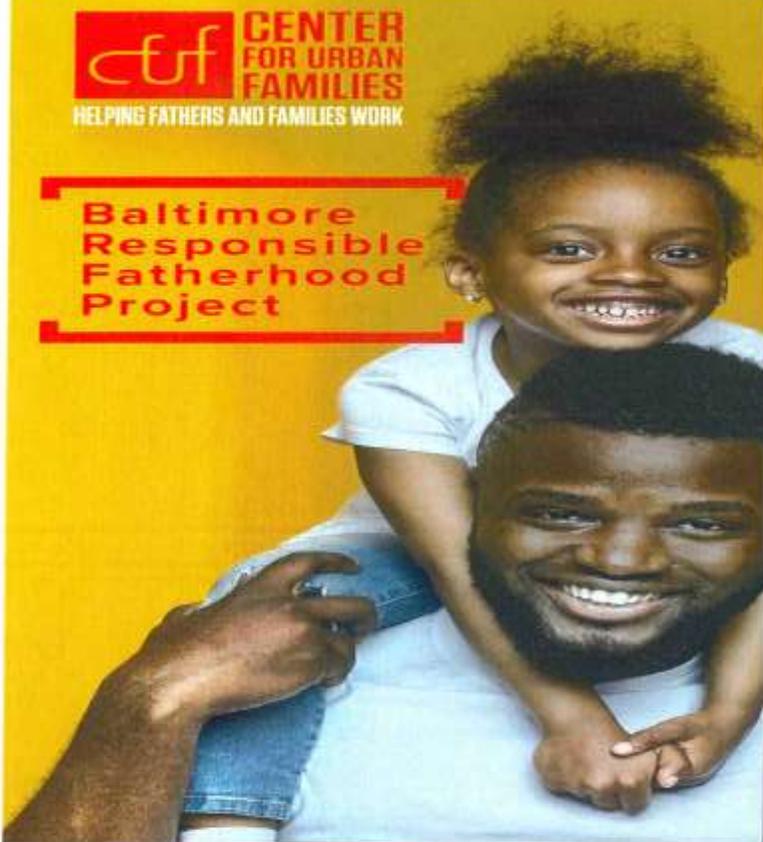
Sinai Hospital of Baltimore and Comprehensive Housing Assistance (CHAI)

2401 W. Belvedere Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215

St. Ambrose Housing Aid Center

321 E. 25th Street
Baltimore, MD 21218

**Baltimore
Responsible
Fatherhood
Project**



**CFUF is now offering
FATHERHOOD
CLASSES
virtually during
the COVID-19
pandemic**

**Baltimore Responsible
Fatherhood Project
is designed to increase
fathers' emotional and
financial support of
their children and
families.**

ELIGIBILITY:

- 18 years of age or older
- Baltimore City resident
- Have a child 17 years old or younger

PROGRAM BENEFITS INCLUDE:

- Incentives up to \$150
- Co-parenting strategies
- Child support management
- Job/career resources
- Assistance navigating COVID-19 challenges

These services are available to all eligible persons regardless of race, gender, age, disability, or religion. Funding for this project was provided by the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families, Grant #90FK0086-01-00.

**NOW ENROLLING FOR VIRTUAL CLASSES
FILL OUT THE ONLINE CONTACT
FORM AT WWW.CFUF.ORG TO GET STARTED
CONTACT HOURS: 9:00 AM-5:00 PM
410-367-5691**

**NEXT WORKSHOP STARTS
SEPTEMBER 8, 2020**

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**CFUF IS NOW
OFFERING STRIVE
VIRTUALLY DURING THE
COVID-19 PANDEMIC**

**NEXT CLASS STARTS
SEPTEMBER 11, 2020**

**WHAT IF
YOU COULD
CHANGE
YOUR LIFE
IN THREE
WEEKS?**

**STRIVE is more than a
job training program.
It's an opportunity to
move beyond what's
holding you back in life
– with the support of
coaches and peers who've
been EXACTLY where
you are today.**

PROGRAM BENEFITS INCLUDE:

- Incentives up to \$100
- Job training and placement
- Career path mentoring
- Attitudinal coaching
- Assistance with navigating COVID-19 challenges
- Occupational certifications
- Programs for fathers
- Supportive services to help you reach your goals!

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GMCC Neighborhood Associations

Fulton Heights Community Association
Rev. Keith Bailey, President 443-500-2149

Liberty Square Community Organization
Selwyn Shields, President, 410-728-5446

Mondawmin Neighborhood Improvement Association
(MNI)
Sandra Almond-Cooper, President, 410-383-0096

New Auchentoroly Terrace Association (NATA)
Barbara Anderson-Dandy, President, 410-669-0035

Panway Neighborhood Improvement Association
Wanda Freeland, President, 443-801-8312

Parkway Community
James "Mel" Brooks, President, 443-858-8359

Robert W. Coleman Community Organization (RWCCO)
Adeline Hutchinson, President, 410-669-0063

Whittier-Monroe Community Neighborhood Association
Jacqueline Caldwell, President, 410-728-2046

Churches

Greater New Hope Baptist Church
Dr. Linwood Robinson, Pastor, 410-225-0003

Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church
Dr. Franklin Lance, Pastor, 410-669-1800

New Shiloh Baptist Church
Dr. Harold A. Carter, Jr., Pastor, 410-523-5306

Baltimore City Community College
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Chief Executive Officer, 410-362-3000

Center for Urban Families
Joseph T. Jones, Jr., Founder, President & CEO 410-367-5691

Coppin State University
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Daniel Hindman, 443-915-2370

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