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Note the Dates: October 6

Celebrate the life of Carol Kabler

Unitarian Universalist Fellowship at Easton 7401 Ocean Gateway Easton, Maryland

Service at 11:00 AM Reception immediately following

October 16 – 7 PM Sherwood Methodist Church Hall

Sherwood Seminar Series "Relaxing Your Mind" Bob Hyman, former
Executive Director at
Evergreen Cove in Easton
joins us to talk about
Mindfulness Meditation.

November 3 – 6 PM

Claiborne Village Hall - Celebrate the Space!

What's going on at the Village Hall?

Plan to be our dinner guest at the Village Hall on Saturday, November 3 at 6 PM as we **Celebrate the Space!**

Come for dinner and music and an appreciation of how far we have come at the Village Hall! It will be the first dinner served from our new community kitchen, so we want to make it something special. Live music will be provided, thanks to Jack & Judy Harrald, by the ensemble Ampersand. Mark it on your calendar now, and we'll send a reminder as the time gets closer

As of Oct 1st, the kitchen cabinets are all in place, the microwave oven is in place and the countertops have been installed. The floors will be refinished on Wednesday. Outside, Will Murdoch and his volunteer crew will install the deck surface and railing system when the weather cooperates. Following that, the steps and decking of the portico will be replaced.

Adine Dow Cockey Kelly



Sadly, on September 17th, a few days shy of her 92nd birthday, Adine peacefully passed away in her home. While growing up, she moved around extensively but her great grandfather's Maple Hall farm and Claiborne was always her home base and where she felt most at home. We will miss her...

October Birthdays

- 2 Sarah Sayre
- 7- Lexi Lednum
- 12- Susanne Scott
- 16- Ed Schaefer
- 19 -Mike McCaughy
- 23- Mary Gregorio
- 25- Stella Kabler
- 31- Dawn Lednum

Happy Birthday Ralph!



Ralph Steinberger had two friends visit him on his birthday. Pamma and Julie, former residents of Claiborne, rode their motorcycles up to New Jersey for his special day. They said Ralph is happy in his new home -So nice to have good friends.

Guest Editors Needed

The Clarion needs guest editors for 2018. If you are interested, please contact Pat Flory at patflory@gmail.com or 443-472-6800.

Community Updates

Claiborne Beach and Jetty Update – There are indications that illegal Beach and Jetty uses have declined since the Sheriff and the Department of Natural Resources have increased enforcement of park closing and illegal fishing rules. We have gained relief from recent nights with many fishermen on the Jetty, parties on the Beach and a dozen or more vehicles parked along Landing Road.

If you see cars and trucks parked along Landing Road after dark, people on the Beach or people fishing on the Jetty, please call the Sheriff's office at 410-822-1020 and report it. Sheriff Gamble has requested that we report any infraction.

Village Hall Update - Jack Harrald, Rob Todd and Kirke Harper met recently with Jim Bass of the Eastern Shore Land Conservancy, Kristin Baja of the Urban Sustainability Directors Network and Geneva Harrison, Talbot County's Emergency Management Coordinator, to discuss designating the Claiborne Resilience Center as a model Resilience Hub.

Designation would mean serving as a model for other villages and could result in grants for completing our center. ESLC and USDN will help Claiborne size and design back-up power systems to achieve 100% of our emergency power needs. Grant funding to purchase and install a photovoltaic generating and storage system and back-up generator power may become available. The next meeting will be at Claiborne Hall the week of October 22.

Election Information

Early Voting –October 15th and will continue, Monday – Friday, 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. until November 2nd. Vote at Easton Firehouse, 315 Aurora Park Drive, Easton

Voter Registration - Last day to register to vote or change party affiliation is Tuesday, October 16 by 9 PM

Deadline to request absentee ballots:

Mail/faxed ballot: November 1 Electronic ballot: November 4

Election Day – November 6, 7 AM – 8 PM

Election Board is located at 215 Bay Street, Easton, MD 21601.