

**The LOG Newsletter**  
**June 18, 2026**

*What's happening in and around the Village of Hickory Ridge!*

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## Hickory Ridge Pool Party

Saturday, June 27th  
6:00 - 8:00 PM  
Hawthorn Pool

It's that time of year again! Join us for an evening of fun in the sun! Pack a picnic, enjoy some music and savor a sweet treat from Bruster's Ice Cream. Picnics encouraged.

*This event is open to Hickory Ridge residents only.*

*There's still time to RSVP....Sign up today!*

**RSVP HERE!**

## Village Office Closed, Friday June 19th

The Village office will be closed in observance of the Federal holiday. We will be open as usual on Monday, June 22nd.

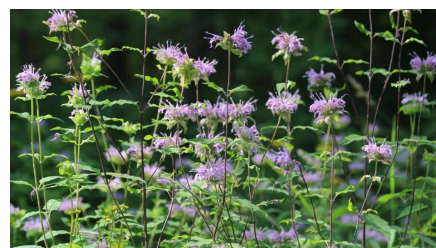


## Hickory Ridge Block Party Grants

Plan Your Block Party in Hickory Ridge! Get ready to connect with your neighbors and celebrate your community!

Organize a block party—simply choose a date, complete the application, and share your invitation with your neighbors.

As a bonus, you can receive a \$100 Giant gift card to help cover party supplies! Only 15 grants are available for CA-assessed addresses, and they're awarded on a first-come, first-served basis—so don't wait!



## Cul-de-Sac Beautification Grants

Join with your neighbors and make a plan to beautify the center of your cul-de-sac! Hickory Ridge offers \$300 grants to residents to beautify the center of their cul-de-sac.

If your grant request is approved, Hickory Ridge will reimburse up to \$300 in expenses.

Cul-de-sac Grant form must be filled out, including signatures of adjacent property owners. A plan must be submitted in order to receive approval from Howard County.

[Applications here!](#)

Bee City plans available from the Village office.

[Applications here!](#)




## Join the Resident Architectural Committee!

Are you interested in the housing styles and architecture in Hickory Ridge? Join the Resident Architectural Committee (RAC)! The RAC reviews exterior alteration applications for homes in Hickory Ridge. Get to know community members and learn more about the Village you live in! The RAC meets on the first and third Wednesdays of the month in a virtual meeting at 7:30pm. In addition, RAC members visit 1 – 4 neighborhood properties in the week before the meeting as part of the application review process. Interested? Email Tania at [applications@hickoryridgevillage.org](mailto:applications@hickoryridgevillage.org).



## Roving Radish Pop-Up Market

Check out the Roving Radish Pop-Up Market at Patuxent Commons! It'll be a fun-filled morning with fresh produce and good vibes.

 **17** Saturday, June 27th  
 9:00 am – 12:00 pm  
 Patuxent Commons (6441 Freetown Road)



The Roving Radish is a mobile farmers market in Howard County bringing fresh, locally sourced produce and healthy food options directly to the community, offering discounts to SNAP/EBT users and Medicaid recipients. The market will feature a variety of farm-fresh fruits, vegetables, and herbs.

- Celia's Cuban Cuisine, will feature yummy Guava y Queso empanadas.
- Orinoco Coffee & Tea, will offer delicious coffee tastings and coffee for purchase.
- Enjoy free face painting by autistic professional face painter MasCharade!
- Bethany Church Columbia will provide fun lawn games and snacks.

 Fun for All Ages!

## Happenings at the HoCo Conservancy

### Fiddlers and Fireflies

June 25 | 6:30 p.m. | \$15

Bring your supper and spread out your blanket and lawn chairs for a magical evening at Mt. Pleasant! Enjoy the toe-tapping tunes and delightful stories of Bill Wellington performing traditional folk music on fiddle, banjo, and guitar. During the event, get creative with a fun firefly craft and insect habitat activity to keep our twinkling friends happy. As dusk falls, prepare to be enchanted as fireflies light up the trees and grasses around you. It's a perfect mix of nature, music and hands-on fun for the whole family.

\$15 per car // Space limited // Advanced registration recommended // In the case of inclement weather, registrants will be notified. Register here:

<https://howardnature.org/event/fiddlers-and-fireflies-2026/>



## July Weekday Butterfly Walk

Jul 7 | 10:30 a.m. | FREE

Join experts from the Howard County Bird Club for a guided walk around our Mt. Pleasant trails and gardens to learn butterfly identification tips and tricks. Our native plant and pollinator gardens are bursting with flowers that attract butterflies.



Registration required: [Free Butterfly Walk!](#)

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### Farmers' Markets in HoCo

Howard County is not just city life in Columbia ... we have farmers who grow great fruits and vegetables that are truly fresh since they have not been transported here from other states. If you are anxious to take advantage of local produce here are the markets and the times they are available:

**2026 HOWARD COUNTY Farmers' Markets**

VISIT YOUR LOCAL FARMERS' MARKET FOR A WONDERFUL TIME AND SOME GREAT LOCAL PRODUCTS.

- Savage Farmers Market**  
Washington and Foundry St.  
Wednesdays, May 27 – October 28  
4 p.m. – 7 p.m.
- Ellicott City Farmers' Market**  
Miller Branch Library, Frederick Rd.  
Wednesdays, May 6 – October 28  
2 p.m. – 6 p.m.
- Merriweather District Farmers' Market**  
Merriweather Row Plaza (10680 Little Patuxent Pkwy)  
Thursdays, June 11 – August 27  
3 p.m. – 7 p.m.
- Fulton Farmers' Market**  
11788 Scaggsville Rd., Fulton  
Fridays & Saturdays, April 17 – November 21  
10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
- Clarksville Commons Farmers' Market**  
12230 Clarksville Pike  
Saturdays, May 2 – November 14  
9 a.m. – 1 p.m.
- Old Ellicott City Farmers' Market**  
Tiber Park, across from B & O Railroad Museum  
Saturdays, May 23 – October 24  
9 a.m. – 1 p.m.
- Oakland Mills Farmers' Market**  
5851 Robert Oliver Place, Columbia, MD  
Sundays, May 10 – November 1  
9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Learn more here: [bit.ly/HCFarmersMarkets](https://bit.ly/HCFarmersMarkets)

HOWARD COUNTY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

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Howard County has also published a list showing what produce is available during each month [HERE](#).

### Who Takes Care of What??

The Village office receives anonymous reports of concerns about a lot of different issues. Often, they are concerns that can be addressed by the Village, but we also get reports of issues that we cannot address.

The Village **Covenants** empower the Covenant Advisor to address problems like unmowed grass, peeling paint and bulk items in a yard. However, the Covenant Advisor is limited by the Covenants as well.

Some issues that ARE NOT included in the Covenants, which would be addressed by other agencies are:

- Pet issues (off leash, waste etc.) - [Howard County Animal Control](#)
- Trees between the sidewalk and the street - [Bureau of Highways](#)
- Street issues like pot holes or a sign down - [Bureau of Highways](#)
- Columbia Association Open Space (paths, bridges, tot lots, playgrounds) - [open.space@columbiaassociation.org](mailto:open.space@columbiaassociation.org)
- Street light outage - [BGE reporting tool](#)

Some issue are on HOA property. If you live in a townhome or condo community, your HOA would handle the following:

- parking issues
- mailbox issues

- trash or trash cans on islands/collection points
- carports
- common property of the HOA

Find contact information for HOAs on the Hickory Ridge website here.



## Columbia Card = DISCOUNT

If you live on CA-assessed property but aren't a CA member, you can request a free Columbia Card to access CA facilities at a reduced, pay-as-you-go rate. As a Columbia Cardholder, you'll get discounts at CA's pools, tennis courts, and golf courses, as well as on group fitness classes and kids' programs.

**SUMMER BONUS:** Columbia Cardholders receive 4 single-use guest passes per family on their Columbia Cardholder accounts. These guest passes are automatically added. The passes can be used at any of CA's 23 outdoor pools throughout the summer, Monday – Thursday only (excluding Holidays). They cannot be used at other Columbia Association facilities or programs.

**To get your Columbia Card, please fill out the form here.** You can also reach out to CA's Customer Care Team via email at [CustomerCare@ColumbiaAssociation.org](mailto:CustomerCare@ColumbiaAssociation.org) or by calling 410-730-1801, option 6.

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**To Find What Produce is available each month click here!**

Hickory Ridge Community  
Association Upcoming Meetings

Questions for CARES  
Committee?

**June 8:** Board meeting \*  
**June 17:** RAC meeting \*  
**June 18:** CARES meeting \*  
*\*virtual meeting*

### Meeting Information



### Let's Have a Party!

The Hawthorn Center is a lovely location to celebrate life's moments. Whether it's a birthday, shower, wedding or retirement party, we would love to help you host your event. Call or submit a rental inquiry for more information.

### Submit Inquiry

The Community Action and Resources for Environmental Stewardship (CARES) Committee will answer your environmental sustainability questions! Email questions to [cares@hickoryridgevillage.org](mailto:cares@hickoryridgevillage.org) and CARES will answer. Some questions with answers may be featured in future issues of The Log!



### Community Mailboxes

The community mailboxes are property of the United States Postal service. If the mailbox your mail is delivered to is in need of attention, find [more information here under "Community News."](#)



### Who Handles What?

Want to know who handles what—Columbia Association, Howard County Government, or the Columbia Village Community Associations? Click [HERE](#) to see a simple breakdown.

### Want To Make Some Extra Cash This Summer?

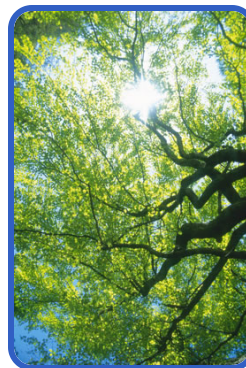
Hickory Ridge has a babysitting list and a dog walkers list, but we could use some folks for a lawn mowing/light yard work list. If you are interested in offering your services, please send your name and contact info (email, cell number) to [events@hickoryridgevillage.org](mailto:events@hickoryridgevillage.org). Your information will be listed in a future issue of the newsletter.



### Fireflies in the Village!

At twilight and the evening hours, look up towards the treetops and down to your toes, and there you will find one of summer's delights — the 'firefly,' also known as the 'lightning bug.' Its scientific name is Lampyridae, and it's a beetle, not a 'fly' or a 'bug.' Their flickering 'bioluminescence' is 'efficient' since it produces no heat, and its flashing signals are unique patterns that attract a partner. Among the over 2000 species worldwide, Maryland has about 25 different species. Fireflies deposit their eggs in moist soil or leaf litter, then survive on consuming snails, slugs and worms as larvae. After the larvae transform in the soil, they emerge as adults to reproduce, bringing joy and inspiration to the world around us.

Scientists have observed declines in the firefly population because of habitat loss, light pollution and pesticides. However, you can still attract more fireflies to your own backyard by decreasing outdoor lighting at night and allowing a patch of leaf litter in your yard without pesticides to be a



### ADOPT A TREE OR THREE

#### We Need Volunteers!

Many of us walk the CA pathways for exercise and to enjoy our natural habitat. For those who walk in Clemens Crossing, please be aware that Columbia Association arranged for new trees to be planted along the pathway that runs from HRBR10 to Cardinal Lane in Clemens Crossing. This grant funded project is a collaboration between Howard EcoWorks and Columbia Association. Students already worked with EcoWorks during spring break to remove invasive plants in the area. Subsequently over 50 moisture tolerant trees were planted including

place where it's safe for their eggs and their food supply.

To find out more about fireflies, visit the [University of Maryland Extension "In a Flash" found here.](#)

A good children's story is [Fireflies in the Night](#) by Judy Hawes, and for older children and adults, [The Fireflies Book](#) by Brett Ortler.

You may email pics and videos of fireflies you have seen to [CARES@hickoryridgevillage.org](mailto:CARES@hickoryridgevillage.org) and we will be sure to post them on the Village's social media! Show us your Hickory Ridge fireflies!

bald cypress, sycamore, witch hazel, black gum, and pin oak. The objective of this work was to reforest the area since multiple trees had been removed due to disease.

Now we need a few volunteers who can help maintain the trees. We would ask for two or three visits to your adopted tree/trees across the year to remove any tall grass or weeds at the tree base or invasive vines that try to creep up the wire cage and strangle the tree. If you would be willing to help please send your contact information to [CARES@hickoryridgevillage.org](mailto:CARES@hickoryridgevillage.org). We will contact you for an information session so you know how best to maintain your adoptee(s).

[I'd Like To HELP!](#)

## Curbside Collections - Trash & Recycling

**NEW! 5:00am Summer Start Time**

Starting June 22nd, all curbside collections will begin at 5:00am. In compliance with [Maryland heat stress regulations](#), curbside collections will begin 1 hour earlier to beat the summer heat.

Please make sure all items for recycling, yard trim, food scraps and trash are at the curb by 5:00am, or the night before to ensure collection.

Trucks cannot return for items that are set out after the truck has serviced the area.



## Columbia Association Mapping & Geographic Information Systems

Check out the new Mapping & Geographic Information System (GIS) Resources page for Columbia Association! You can download maps, discover interactive apps and use the information provided to explore the Columbia community. Find tot lots, fun

activities, pool information and more! Find out information about Open Space projects and download maps and other information.

[Discover CA Here!](#)

# ***Hickory Ridge Mondays Community Walk***

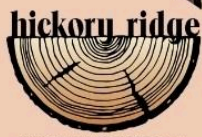
**Every Monday @ 9:00AM**

**📍 Meet at**

**The Hawthorn Center,  
6175 Sunny Spring**

**Join us every Monday at 9 AM for a community walk in Hickory Ridge!  
Meet your neighbors, enjoy fresh air, and connect with the  
Community Engagement Volunteers. Stay after for coffee at the  
Hawthorn Center. All ages and abilities welcome—come walk with us!**

**Let's build community, one step at a time!**



[www.hickoryridgevillage.com](http://www.hickoryridgevillage.com)



# Summer Sounds Series

## 2026 Calendar

Hickory Ridge 5:30PM - 8:30PM	Dorsey's Search Village Center 5:30PM - 8:30PM	River Hill Village Center 5:30PM - 8:30PM	Kings Contrivance 4:00PM - 7:00PM	The Shoppes at Wilde Lake 5:30PM - 8:30PM	Harpers Choice 4:00PM - 7:00PM
<b>JUNE 12TH</b> Ice Cream Social Live music, kid's craft, Hoops & Stage Show, & free ice cream*	<b>JUNE 19TH</b> Ice Cream Social Live music, kid's craft, & free ice cream*	<b>JUNE 26TH</b> Ice Cream Social Live music, kid's craft, Hoops & Stage Show, & free ice cream*	<b>JUNE 14TH</b> 40th Anniversary Live music, kid's craft, & treats*	<b>JUNE 18TH</b> Crafts & Chords Live acoustic music, kid's craft & treats*	<b>JUNE 7TH</b> Ice Cream Social Live music, kid's craft, & free ice cream*
<b>JULY 10TH</b> Yacht Rock Live music, kid's craft, caricature artist, & a stilt walker	<b>JULY 17TH</b> Totally 90's Live 90's music, kid's craft, & 90's swag	<b>JULY 31ST</b> Liberty & Lemonade Live music, kid's craft, Hoops & Stage Show, & lemonade stand*	<b>JULY 12TH</b> Crafts & Chords Live acoustic music & kid's craft		<b>JULY 24TH</b> Liberty & Lemonade Live music, kid's craft, & lemonade stand*
<b>AUGUST 14TH</b> Summer Vibes Live Reggae music & Hoops & Stage Show	<b>AUGUST 21ST</b> Summer Vibes Live Latin music, salsa dancing, & kid's craft	<b>AUGUST 7TH</b> We Love the 80's Live 80's music, kid's craft, 80's swag, treats* & a stilt walker	<b>AUGUST 8TH</b> Crafts & Chords Live acoustic music & kid's craft		<b>AUGUST 2ND</b> 50th Anniversary Live music, kid's craft, & treats*

SEE FULL EVENT DETAILS, UPDATES & WEATHER ALERTS



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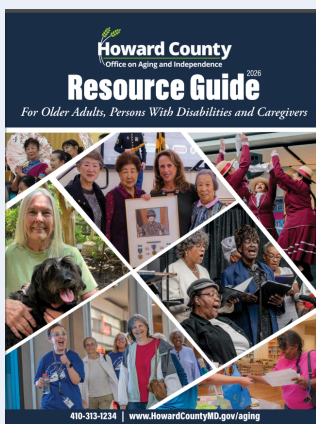


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Instagram

\*while supplies last



### 2026 HoCo Resource Guide For Older Adults Now Available

Howard County residents are embracing new opportunities to live longer and thrive, and the **Office on Aging & Independence** (OAI) helps ensure those added years are healthy, connected and secure.

With this in mind, they've updated the **Resource Guide for Older Adults, Adults with Disabilities and Caregivers** with programs and services for older adults of all ages



### A Smarter Way to Age in Place

Need a place to live, but looking to make a connection? Want a roommate, but not sure how to start?

**HoCo Home Share** is a free program that matches homeowners who have a room to spare with local residents seeking housing. Program staff use a smart, automated platform to identify strong potential matches based on personal profiles and preferences, then guide both parties through introductions, development of a home-sharing agreement, and the leasing process.

The program is managed by **Bridges to Housing Stability**, a nonprofit organization

and abilities, including wellness and prevention programs, caregiver and benefits support, nutrition and housing options, dementia-friendly initiatives, transportation, and opportunities to stay active and engaged.

Pick up a copy at your local 50+ Center or view the [2026 Resource Guide online](#).

that has provided housing services to Howard County residents for 35 years.

For more information:

[Program Details](#)

Contact the program staff at (410) 312-5760 x121 or email

[HoCoHomeShare@bridges2hs.org](mailto:HoCoHomeShare@bridges2hs.org)

To apply to the program:

[Homeowner Application](#)

[Home Seeker \(Renter\) Application](#)



### Petsitters in Hickory Ridge

If you live in Hickory Ridge, you pet sit and would like to be included in the pet sitter list in the next edition of The Log, please email [events@hickoryridgevillage.org](mailto:events@hickoryridgevillage.org).

Please note that the list below are individuals with experience and interest in pet sitting but are not vetted by this office.

#### Pet sitter List

\*Za'ir Scarborough:443-362-0128

\*Vanessa Castro  
[Twopugz.dogcare@gmail.com](mailto:Twopugz.dogcare@gmail.com)

\*Jae Johnson: [jjohns4728@gmail.com](mailto:jjohns4728@gmail.com)

\*Saloomeh Khodami: 6674792858,  
Dog walking only, Availability:  
Afternoons

\*Gita Ehssan: 6674792855,  
Availability: Afternoons

\*Amanda Kirkpatrick: "Loving Care  
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[amandakirkpatrick1990@gmail.com](mailto:amandakirkpatrick1990@gmail.com)

\*Beth Roberts:  
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\*Skye Anderson  
[skkyebird48@yahoo.com](mailto:skkyebird48@yahoo.com)  
410-960-7327



### Babysitters in Hickory Ridge

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#### Baby sitter List

\*Gloribeth "Glory" Gancedo: 305-224-2095

\*Kailyn Shaw: [kailynshaw@yahoo.com](mailto:kailynshaw@yahoo.com)

\*Zandi Jera: [sunsetjera@yahoo.com](mailto:sunsetjera@yahoo.com)

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\*Grace (Stevie) Brown:  
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\*Jae Johnson: [jjohns4728@gmail.com](mailto:jjohns4728@gmail.com)

\*Gita Ehssan: 6674792855, Availability:  
Afternoons



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### THREE-YEAR-OLD PROGRAM

Mon / Weds / Fri  
9:15 - 11:45 AM  
Class size: 16  
\$286 / month  
Must be 3 by Oct. 15

### FOUR-YEAR-OLD PROGRAM

Monday - Friday  
12:30 - 3:00 PM  
Class size: 16  
\$385 / month  
Must be 4 by Oct. 15



### Why Choose Our Cooperative Preschool?

Families are an active part of our school! Parents and grandparents are encouraged to participate in the classroom, stay closely connected with teachers, and help build a strong, supportive community.

#### Our curriculum focuses on:

- Social-emotional growth
- Early math and literacy skills
- Learning through play in a fun, positive environment

#### Interested?

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## Letter of Compliance

If you are putting your house on the market, request a Letter of Compliance well in advance of a settlement date. It's best to make the request when the house is put on the market. This letter is not required, but it is a valuable tool for sellers because it verifies that your property is in compliance with the Hickory Ridge Covenants. Any covenant violations on your property become the responsibility of the new owner, so home buyers often request a Letter of Compliance from the Seller. Request forms are available on the [Sellers and Buyers page](#) of our website and at the Village Office. Questions? Email [applications@hickoryridgevillage.org](mailto:applications@hickoryridgevillage.org).





**Who Do I Call?**

Check out the [Useful Information page on the Hickory Ridge website](#). There are phone number and/or links to various resources.

**Call 988 for emergency emotional support.**

*Safe, supportive, confidential. Available 24/7.*



**See Click Fix**

See Click Fix is an interactive website for Howard County residents to report issues to the County. Issues include, but are not limited to, roadway issues, missing street signs or fallen street signs, street tree issues, potholes, cracked sidewalks, etc. **THIS IS NOT a site for 911 emergencies or police or fire issues.**

[See Click Fix](#)



**CA Open Space Questions or Concerns?**

If you have questions or concerns about Columbia Association Open Space areas, contact CA Open Space directly by calling 410-312-6330 or by emailing [Open.Space@ColumbiaAssociation.org](mailto:Open.Space@ColumbiaAssociation.org).

Columbia Association (CA) Open Space project information is now available online via CA's Project & Access Dashboard. Visit [columbiaassociation.org/open-space/development/real-estate-services/](http://columbiaassociation.org/open-space/development/real-estate-services/) and click on the Dashboard. You can view various projects, access, and requests currently taking place on CA Open Space.



**HoCo Crime Statistics Map**

Howard County has interactive maps with information about properties and neighborhoods. One is the Crime Statistics map. It used to be that the Howard County Police would have to put these statistics together for us, but now they are available at our fingertips. [Check out the Crime Statistics map.](#)

[Crime Statistics Map](#)



**CA Community Programs**

You've made Columbia your home. You're part of a unique and diverse community, and that certainly has its benefits. At Columbia Association, it's their mission to foster a unique sense of place and enhance the quality of life. Take a moment to explore some of their many options.

[Community Programs](#)

**Paid Advertisements**

We offer very affordable advertising rates! For information on placing an advertisement in The Log, please email [manager@hickoryridgevillage.org](mailto:manager@hickoryridgevillage.org).



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[Melanie@ChildLedSpeech.com](mailto:Melanie@ChildLedSpeech.com)

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[www.columbiatreeandlawn.net](http://www.columbiatreeandlawn.net)

### THE HAWTHORN CENTER



Event Space For Your Next Celebration!

Conveniently located in the Village of Hickory Ridge, The Hawthorn Center offers attractively appointed and reasonably priced rental space for both social and business events.

- ♦ Free WiFi and Sound System
- ♦ Lobby and Kitchen
- ♦ Ample parking, and more



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