

AROUND AND ABOUT GATEWAY CROSSING COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

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Housing Choice Voucher Wait List Open

Accepting applications for a limited time. The Wait List will close after the Authority receives at least 2,000 local applicants, assuring a reasonable wait time.

For faster & more efficient processing, please apply online at
www.hagerstownha.com

Income limits apply and preference will be given to local, elderly, and disabled residents.

For more information about this agency and affordable housing in the City of Hagerstown, visit www.hagerstownha.com



It is Illegal to Discriminate Against Any Person Because of Race, Color, Religion, Sex, Handicap, Familial Status, or National Origin.

Arriving on time to your appointment

Please arrive on time to your appointment. Oftentimes, we have a full schedule and arriving late causes other appointment times to be pushed back. As a courtesy to others, we reserve the right to reschedule your appointment if you arrive late.



ORRSTOWN BANK

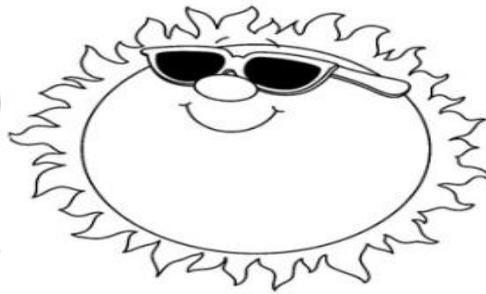
A Tradition of Excellence

Hagerstown Housing will be switching banks soon to Orrstown Bank. For the month of June you can still pay your rent at Columbia Bank.

Gateway Crossing Management Office will be closed on:
Wednesday July 4, 2018
Independence Day
&
Monday Sept. 3, 2018
Labor Day

Visit our website at: gateway.hagerstownha.org

Summer Word Search



W S U N S H I N E N Y U E L A
M G A G W C S L A D N A S S M
A N T A A I X F X A D L X T H
E I K K T E L C I S P O P D N
R M H L E H O L I D A Y S G B
C M T A R Z G B V Q U I C P M T L
M I M I M M O S Q U I T O S R
T W R Q E U C I N C I P P G Y
Z S A T L V A C A T I O N O M
I U W T O B G Z O B J O Q M B
L B F M N P O H F I P U F Z S
H O T V W T Q Q G N I Y A L P
L S U M M E R D E S C L A V I
V A E C I R E W O L F N U S Z
J U J O F D Y Y B E A C H W R

BEACH
CREAM
HOLIDAYS
HOT
ICE
MOSQUITOS
PICNIC
PLAYING
POPSICLE
SANDALS
SUMMER
SUNFLOWER
SUNSHINE
SWIMMING
VACATION

WARMTH
WATERMELON

—HEAD START—
of Washington County, Inc.

NOW ENROLLING!!

**Serving children birth–5 years
in Full-Day classes
(and a home visiting program)!!**

Free!! (* Must meet Federal eligibility guidelines*)

Sites:

- MLK** (131 W. North Ave.)
- Sargent Shriver** (837 Spruce St.)
- Elgin Station** (40 Elgin Blvd.)

Noland Village Community Center

- Transportation provided to many areas.
- MSDE accredited and OCC licensed
- Children do NOT have to be potty trained!

Call 301-797-5231 x.110 OR stop by any of our sites for more information or an application.

Office of Child Care License numbers:
MLK #33651 Noland #99613 Elgin #125881 Shriver #159397

(Head Start is an independent child development program serving children birth-5 and expectant mothers. It is not affiliated with WCPS.)

**Here's how to keep a drain clean
Taken from Hints from Heloise**

Here's the scoop on what to do to keep drains smelling fresh and free-flowing. First, pour in about ½ cup baking soda and ¼ cup table salt. You can mix them together first if you want to.

Then the magic! Grab a big bottle or jug of cheap household white or apple-cider vinegar and glug, glug away! You will see the foam and bubbles rise out of the drain----it's really pretty cool! Let it sit for 10-20 minutes (longer is not more effective), then turn on the hot water, let run for 20-30 seconds, followed by about the same of cold water. That is it!

If you do this every few weeks, it will help prevent a blockage.

Another hint? Don't stand over the sink to brush/comb your hair. Where do you think all of the loose hair goes? Down the drain, in the pipes, and then add gunk from washing hands, washing off make-up and all of the other normal things we do when using a sink. It's a super-duper gunky mess just waiting for the right time to cause a big old backup of water!

No stinky, yucky drains-----ever!!!!

**Money Saver Idea
to Nix an Ant problem for less**

To outsmart an ant infestation without harsh chemicals, combine 1 part baking soda with 1 part powdered sugar and sprinkle in areas you suspect ants are entering your home. The bugs are attracted to the sugar, but because they can't differentiate between the two ingredients, they'll ingest the baking soda, which is fatal to them.

Maintenance Inspection Schedule 2018

Week of	Units to be Inspected
April 2nd	953, 955, 961, 963, 969, 971, 977, 985, & 991 Lanvale—952 Main
April 9th	932, 934, 936, 938, & 942 Lanvale—210, 230, 240, 250, 260, & 280 Buena Vista
April 16th	25, 27, 29, 31, 33, 35, 37, 39, 41, & 43 Elgin
April 23rd	Free Week—No Inspections
April 30th	45, 47, 49, 51, & 53 Elgin—702, 708, 710, 716, & 718 Lanvale
May 7th	730, 732, 736, 738, 802, 806, 808, 810, & 812 Lanvale—181 Summer
May 14th	103, 113, 115, 117, 119, 125, 127, 153, & 155 Summer
May 21st	265, 267, 271, 273 S. Burhans—701, 709, 711, 715, & 717 Lanvale
May 28th	Free Work—No Inspections
June 4th	801, 803, 805, 807, 815, 817, 823, 825, 816, 818, & 822 Main
June 11th	Free Week—No Inspections
June 18th	824, 827, 829, 835, 837, & 845 Main—901 & 903 Ross
June 25th	1017, 1019, 1021, 1023, 1029, 1031, 1035, & 1037 Westport—907 & 909 Ross

Pest Control Schedule



July 2018

Week 1 - Phase 1 151 to 281 Ross, 902 to 947 Lanvale
 Week 2 - Phase 1 953 to 1025 Lanvale, 201 to 250 Buena Vista
 Week 3 - Phase 1 251 to 281 Buena Vista, 902 to 1002 Main
 Week 4 - Phase 2 1006 to 1018 Main, 941 to 989 Main, 311 to 361 Chessie 310, 350, 360 Buena Vista, 913 to 929 Ross

August 2018

Week 1 - Phase 2 931 to 990 Ross
 Week 2 - Phase 3 1017 to 1037 Westport, 901, 903, 907, 909 Ross, 801 to 827 Main
 Week 3 - Phase 3 829 to 845 Main, 265, 267, 271, 273 S. Burhans, 701 to 812 Lanvale
 Week 4 - Phase 3 103 to 181 Summer, 25 to 53 Elgin

September 2018

Week 1 - Phase 4 1030 to 1068 Ross
 Week 2 - Phase 4 1070 to 1084 Ross, 348 to 368 Merrbaugh, 400, 401 Gandy Dancer
 Week 3 - Phase 4 121 to 182 Merrbaugh, 331 to 347 Merrbaugh
 Week 4 - Phase 4 3 to 120 Merrbaugh and 1203 W. Washington St.

First Day of School
September 4th



Tenant Meeting Scheduled

- Thursday, July 14th @ 2:00pm
- Attendance counts towards community service!
- MARK YOUR CALENDAR



If you live in	Text the word	To phone number
Scattered Sites	Sites	844.707.0110
C.W Brooks	cwb	844.707.0110
Frederick Manor	fred	844.707.0110
Walnut Towers	wt	844.707.0110
Potomac Towers	pt	844.707.0110
Noland	Noland	844.707.0110
Gateway Crossing	gwc	844.707.0110
Parkside Homes or Douglass Court	park	844.707.0110

PHONE NUMBERS YOU SHOULD KNOW

- Narcotic Task Force 301-791-3205
- Non-Emergency Police 301-790-3700
- Poison Control Center 800-222-1222
- Child Protective Svcs. 240-420-2222
- Adult Protective Svcs. 240-420-2155
- Gateway Crossing Office 301-766-7968

Gateway Maintenance Dept. 301-766-7968

For after hours maintenance calls, dial 301-766-7968, your call will be redirected to the answering service.



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