

# **THE SAUNDERS POINT CITIZEN**

**NEWSLETTER OF THE SAUNDERS POINT CITIZENS ASSOCIATION**

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**APRIL 2004**

## **ATTEND THE SAUNDERS POINT ASSOCIATION SPRING MEETING THURSDAY MAY 13, 2004 MCA HALL**

YOUR ASSOCIATION HAS BEEN WORKING WITH THE STATE OF MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, SOIL CONTROL DIVISION TO COME UP WITH A PLAN TO HALT THE DETERIORATION OF OUR BEACH. DEPENDING ON THE LEVEL OF COMMUNITY SUPPORT WE COULD DEVELOP A PLAN TO RESTORE THE BEACH TO A CONDITION WHICH WOULD ENHANCE RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES, PROTECT THE SHORELINE, IMPROVE THE ENVIRONMENT AND INCREASE OUR PROPERTY VALUES. PLAN TO ATTEND THE MEETING AND ADD YOUR INPUT.

### **SPRING CLEAN UP**

OUR ANNUAL SPRING CLEAN UP IS SCHEDULED FOR APRIL 24, 2004 9 AM. AGAIN THIS YEAR WE WILL BE SPRUCING UP OUR COMMUNITY ENTRANCE BY PICKING UP TRASH AND DEBRIS ALONG TRITON BEACH ROAD AS WELL AS SPREADING MULCH AND PREPARING OUR PARK AND PLAYGROUND FOR THE SEASON. VOLUNTEERS SHOULD MEET AT 9 AM AT OUR PARK OR THE ENTRANCE TO TRITON BEACH PARK TO PARTICIPATE. LET'S PITCH IN, SPEND AN HOUR OR TWO, AND DO OUR PART TO IMPROVE OUR COMMUNITY AND THE ENVIRONMENT.

### **THE DUMPSTERS ARE COMING**

COUNTY DUMPSTERS WILL BE AT THE COMMUNITY PARK JULY 8 THROUGH JULY 10. PLEASE -- NO UNACCEPTABLE MATERIALS SUCH AS GAS AND PROPANE TANKS, HAZARDOUS WASTES, TIRES, PAINT, LOGS LARGER THAN 30" AND AIR CONDITIONERS WILL BE PERMITTED. WE HAD A FEW VIOLATIONS LAST YEAR SO LETS "PLAY BY THE RULES" SO THIS CONVENIENT PROGRAM WON'T BE DISCONTINUED. CHECK OUR WEBSITE FOR A COMPLETE LIST OF UNACCEPTABLE MATERIALS.

### **BEACH STAIRS**

PLANS ARE UNDERWAY TO TEMPORARILY REPLACE THE BEACH STAIRS. THIS TEMPORARY FIX WILL PROVIDE BEACH ACCESS UNTIL CONTRACTORS ARE ABLE TO REPLACE THE STONES AND REBUILD THE DECK DESTROYED BY ISABEL. VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO REPLACE THE STAIRS. PLEASE EMAIL YOUR ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT VIA OUR WEBSITE IF YOU ARE ABLE TO HELP IN THIS ENDEAVOUR.

### **MOSQUITO WARNING**

THE MD DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE IS SPRAYING FOR MOSQUITO CONTROL AGAIN THIS YEAR. YOU CAN ASSIST THIS EFFORT BY ELIMINATING ANY STANDING WATER ON YOUR PROPERTY. OLD TIRES, BIRD BATHS, TARPS, IN SHORT, ANYWHERE WATER CAN STAND FOR A FEW DAYS WILL BECOME A BREEDING GROUND.

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**WHAT EVER HAPPENED TO.....**

OUR DRAINAGE PROJECT IS NOW IN THE HANDS OF THE ARMY CORP OF ENGINEERS WHO REVIEW ALL DRAINAGE PROJECTS. ASSUMING THERE ARE NO OBJECTIONS THE COUNTY WILL THEN PROCEED WITH OBTAINING EASEMENTS TO BEGIN CONSTRUCTION. THE CORP SHOULD COMPLETE THEIR REVIEW BY THE END OF MAY.

**SAVE THE DATES**

APRIL 24 9 AM COMMUNITY CLEAN UP

MAY 13 7:30 PM ASSOCIATION SPRING MEETING MCA HALL

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