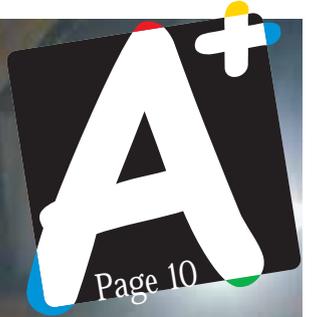


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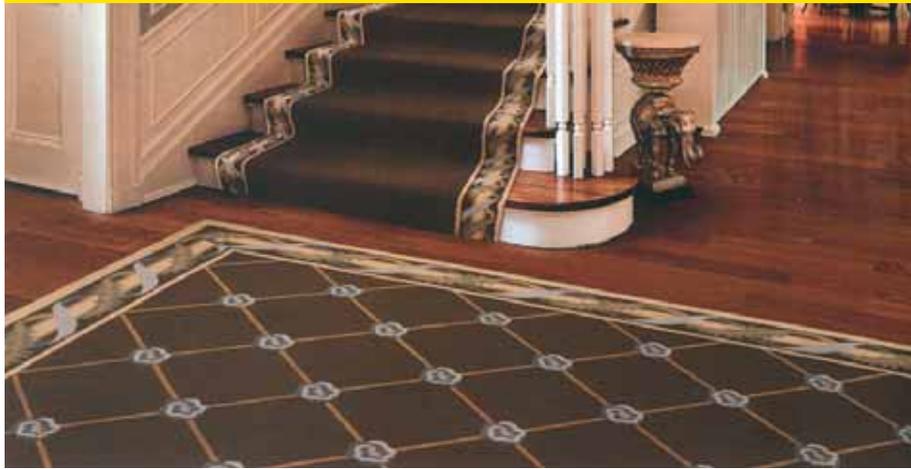


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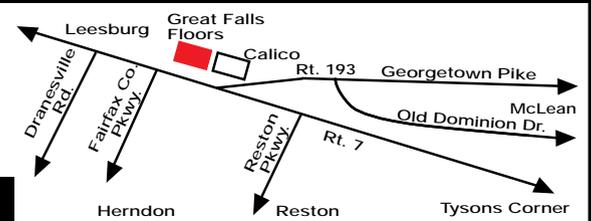
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## Kristin Cabral

Kristin Cabral is a native of New Jersey, and moved to Northern Virginia in 1995. She received her bachelor's degree from the University of Michigan and her law degree from Harvard.

She has worked as federal prosecutor for the Department of Justice, a clerk for a federal judge and a law professor teaching legal writing at George Washington University. She also serves on the board of trustees on the Fairfax County Public Library Board.

She lives in McLean and is married to her husband Joe. They have a son and a daughter.



## Kevin Chisholm

Kevin Chisholm grew up in a small town near Albany, N.Y. He attended Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, where he received a degree in engineering. He moved to Northern Virginia in 1981, and has served as an environmental consultant in energy efficiency and conservation solutions, for private companies and governments.

From 2003 to 2010, he was in charge of energy and utilities for Arlington County Public Schools.

He is 55, is based in Leesburg and has two daughters.



## Frank Wolf

Frank Wolf is originally from Philadelphia, Penn., and attended Penn State for his undergraduate degree in Political Science in 1961 and received his law degree from Georgetown University in 1965. He also served in the Army Reserve from 1962-63.

He became a legislative assistant to Pennsylvania Rep. Edward Biester from 1968 to 1971, and from 1971 to 1975, he was an assistant to Secretary of the Interior Rogers Morton. He was first elected to Congress in 1980.

He lives in Vienna with his wife Carolyn, with whom he has five children.

# Three-Way Race in 10th

## Kristin Cabral, Kevin Chisholm oppose Frank Wolf in new-look 10th district.

By Alex McVeigh  
The Connection

**R**ep. Frank Wolf (R-10) is attempting to be re-elected for a 16th term come Nov. 6, but he will face two challengers in Kristin Cabral (Democrat) and Kevin Chisholm (Independent).

The 10th district was altered due to 2010's redistricting, with large areas adjacent to Route 66 lost from Gainesville to Strasburg. Closer to Fairfax County, areas east of Manassas to West Springfield were added to the district, including sections of Fairfax Station.

The district also lost sections of McLean south of Dolley Madison Boulevard to East Falls Church, but gained sections of Oak Hill east of Chantilly and bordering Oakton.

**CABRAL** is a Harvard-trained attorney, who was the first in her family to attend college. She says she is running to "cut through the partisan gridlock" in Congress and plans to focus on strengthening education, economic growth and women's rights.

"To think that Congressman Wolf was elected during the same election as Ronald Reagan, and still oversees such an important district that has seen tremendous changes, it's time for a new voice," said Edward Blume, a Cabral supporter from Great Falls. "I don't think he's a bad guy, and he's done some good things, but I think it's time the 10th district take a step into this century."

Cabral credits her development from involvement at a young age in her school district's Head Start

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**The new 10th Congressional District, which will see incumbent Rep. Frank Wolf (R) face off against Kristin Cabral (D) and Kevin Chisholm (I) Nov. 6.**

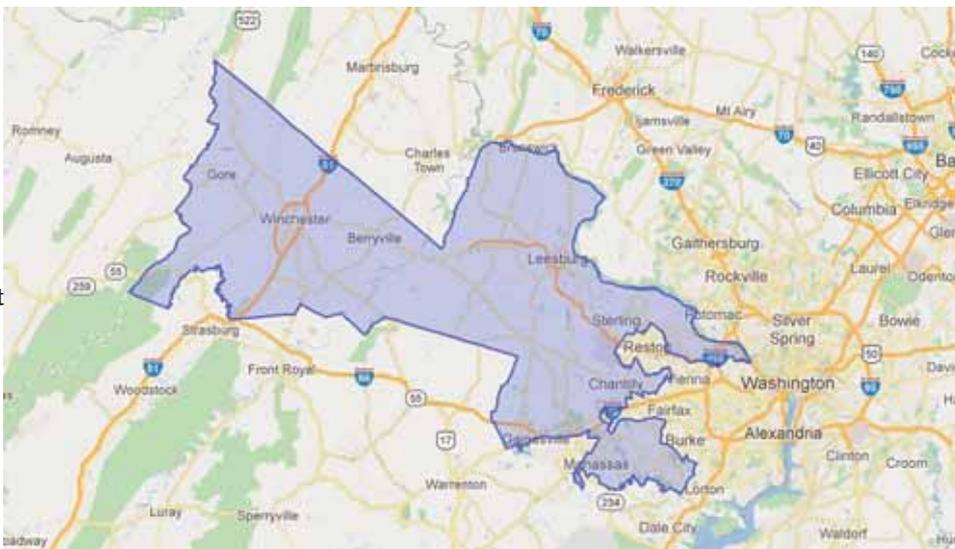


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**Four-year-old Henry Carlson of Reston follows Bantu, an African Spurred Tortoise, at the St. Francis Country Fair. The fair included a petting zoo hosted by the Bar C Ranch of Berryville. Other fair activities included games, hayrides, music and a regional quilt show.**

## Country Fair at St. Francis Episcopal Church

St. Francis Episcopal Church in Great Falls held its annual country fair on Saturday, October 6.



**Ben Shelton, assistant rector of St. Francis Episcopal Church, endures the dunk tank at the church's annual country fair.**

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**Quilters from throughout the Washington region attended the quilt show at the St. Francis Country Fair.**

## News

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**Bennie Potter and Western Electric provided musical entertainment for the Great Falls Optimist Club's 7th Annual Barn Dance on Saturday night.**

## Barn Dancing in Great Falls

**Having fun,  
supporting children.**

**Linda Thompson, a member of the Great Falls Optimist Club, meets with guests during the club's 7th Annual Barn Dance in Great Falls. Thompson donated the use of her barn for the annual fundraising event.**



**Members of the Great Falls Optimist Club enjoyed a night out while attending the club's 7th Annual Barn Dance in Great Falls on Saturday night. The event featured dinner, a raffle and auction, and music by Bennie Potter and Western Electric. Proceeds from this year's event will go to the Great Falls Children's Fund and Childhood Cancer Charity.**



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**The Kings Park German Band performs at the Great Falls Historical Society's Oktoberfest Wednesday, Oct. 10.**



## Sharing Great Falls Ghost Stories

**GFHS Oktoberfest features tales of local hauntings.**

By Alex McVeigh  
The Connection

**A**fter moving into one of the oldest houses in Great Falls, Jinny Beyer began thinking something was amiss in her home. For the first six months they lived there, every night at 2 a.m. sharp, Beyer would wake to what she felt was a presence in the room.

"Every night for the first six months, I was awakened with what I thought was a presence in the room. I wasn't scared, but I felt like someone was observing us. Every single night at the exact same time," she said.

One night, during a severe ice storm about six months after they moved in, Beyer had another experience.

"I was awakened again around 2 a.m., and I heard soft footsteps coming down the stairs into our bedroom. I thought something was in the house, and I actually picked up a pair of scissors and walked around the house, but there was nothing," she said. "When I went back to bed, I laid there, wide awake, and in the upper left corner of the room, I noticed the glow of a light. I kept thinking 'I don't really see that'... after several moments, I closed my eyes, and got that feeling like you would at the beach when a cloud goes over the sun, there was just this shadow. And when I opened my eyes, the glow was gone."

**AFTER THAT NIGHT**, they didn't have another visit. She said she thinks there is more than one spirit in her house. Beyer was one of several residents who shared spooky stories at the Great Falls Historical Society's Oktoberfest.

Mark Turner, who lives in the Turner Farm House, says when he moved in, he quickly came to believe that there was a spirit in the house. He moved to the house, which was built by family in the 1870s, in 1983. It didn't take long for him to have his first otherworldly experience.

"My first vision of the ghost was one night in the middle of the night. I woke to go to the bathroom and there was a ghostly image on the top of the rear stairwell. It appeared in the shape of a slender, tall

lady wearing a dress that looked to be from the late 40s, late 50s. After that time, which was in the mid-90s, you would feel a presence in the house."

Turner says the ghost, or ghosts, were mischievous, as all sorts of random occurrences would happen.

"Sometimes you couldn't find something and then it would reappear. Other times a light switch wouldn't work for a while, then you'd come back, and it would work. We would have company stay in the guestroom, they swore there was a spirit in the house," he said. "We realized we could not say my grandmother's first name. Every time we would use Grace Turner's real first name, Anna, something would break. The washing machine, the dishwasher, the refrigerator."

Doris Carpenter remembered a spooky story from December of 1952. She was at a family Christmas in New Hope, N.C., when her grandfather became ill. After returning to Great Falls, they got a call that he passed away. Carpenter said she was unsure about whether or not to return to North Carolina with her husband and six children, so she spent an evening thinking about it.

"That night about 4 a.m., I was sitting up rocking a restless six-month-old baby, and wondering what the right decision was," she said. "Suddenly at the far end of the room, at the fireplace, I saw my grandfather in a halo of light, sitting in his favorite chair, smiling at me. And we went to the funeral, and in the end, we were very glad we did it."

**KATHLEEN MURPHY**, president of the historical society, said the idea for the program came during their history-gathering project hosted over the past year, where people would come to the Great Falls Library and tell their stories.

"It seemed one person after the other mentioned their experiences with ghosts," she said. "Since then, there have been many more people who have come forward. It's a very interesting phenomenon."

Murphy said she knows of conferences for leaders of historical societies that have featured sections on paranormal experiences related to history, and that the Fairfax County Historical Society also hosts a similar program.

"Ghost stories are put under the category of folklore, and it's remarkable that if you look online, every country, every culture has ghost stories. There's no culture without these stories," she said. "We thought this was a good beginning to share these experiences within our own community."



**Bob Westin of the Kings Park German Band plays his strumpfhiddle at the Great Falls Historical Society at the Grange Wednesday, Oct. 10.**

Photos by Alex McVeigh/The Connection



**The Grange is decorated for the Great Falls Historical Society's Oktoberfest, which featured local residents sharing stories of their experiences with ghosts.**

# Week in Great Falls

## Halloween Spooktacular at Great Falls Village Centre

Continuing a decades-long tradition, the merchants of the Great Falls Village Centre and Great Falls Friends & Neighbors are now teaming up with the Celebrate Great Falls Foundation and the Great Falls Shopping Center to

provide a family-friendly night of trick-or-treating for children up to age 12 (6th grade) and their families on Wednesday, Oct. 31, rain or shine. Great Dogs of Great Falls will once again be holding a doggie costume parade and contest from 4 to 4:45 p.m. and the Spooktacular will run from 5 to 7 p.m. on the Village Green.

The event was launched over 20 years ago by members of Great Falls Friends to provide younger children with a central, convenient

place in Great Falls to have fun trick or treating. It was because of their initiative that still today we have Great Falls businesses offering candy to hundreds of children.

To meet the needs of hungry parents and little Halloweeners, Celebrate Great Falls will be selling popcorn and drinks. Another tradition started years ago is for families to have their photos taken in the decorated gazebo. Funds from this benefit the Great Falls Optimist Club. Great Falls Friends

& Neighbors will construct their much-loved Haunted House, the Falls Salon will build their over-the-top Haunted Forest, Adeler Jewelers will have both a scary and a princess area on their porch, and the Langley High School Band will play Halloween-related tunes. In addition, the Great Falls Shopping Center merchants will also be offering trick-or-treaters candy from 5 to 7 p.m. Between the two shopping centers, little goblins and witches should be able to get

plenty of treats.

Children are encouraged to wear their Halloween costumes and cross Walker Road at the designated areas.

Celebrate Great Falls (CGF) is a nonprofit foundation that has become the umbrella organization for many of the town's major events: Cars & Coffee, Summer Concerts on the Green, Celebrate Great Falls Days, which includes the baseball game and golf tournament, July 4th Hometown Celebration, Halloween Spooktacular and the Celebration of Lights in December. CGF also provides information for and about community businesses, schools, nonprofits, sports organizations and other local entities via our website and online calendar.

"We can't thank the local businesses enough for all they do to make Halloween so much fun and to keep it safe for children and their families," said Candace Campbell, president.

All of the money raised through the Celebrate Great Falls Foundation is used to fund community events and projects and to meet critical needs in the community. For more information, to post events on the online calendar or to volunteer, visit [www.CelebrateGreatFalls.org](http://www.CelebrateGreatFalls.org)

### Bulletin Board

To have community events listed in the Connection, send to [greatfalls@connectionnewspapers.com](mailto:greatfalls@connectionnewspapers.com). Deadline is Friday.

#### WEDNESDAY/OCT. 17

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**2012 Election Issues Panel:** 7-9 p.m., at the American Legion Auxiliary, 330 Center Street N, Vienna. The American Legions hosts a panel to help educate voters. 703-242-7651.

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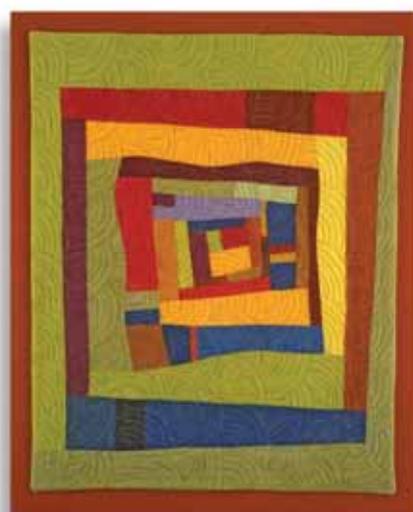
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# Opinion

## Pick Your Own Election Day

It's called "absentee voting in person," and there are a lot of reasons why you should.

**E**lection Day is Tuesday, Nov. 6. The deadline to register to vote is past, although in Northern Virginia, it's clear that a very high percentage of eligible voters are registered.

Four years ago in the presidential election of 2008, there were 5,034,660 voters registered in Virginia and 3,752,858 actually voted. Just in the month of September 2012, Fairfax County saw more than 6,000 newly registered voters, for a total of 646,881 active voters. Arlington registered more than 3,300 new voters in September, with more than 130,000 active voters total. Alexandria added more than 1,300 new voters last month alone, with 81,847 active voters.

Voting on Election Day at one's home precinct is often a wonderful experience, especially if you are a regular voter. Yes, there will be lines, but if the weather is nice, you can chat with your neighbors and enjoy the process. Assuming you can get to your polling place, the weather is nice and...

In a survey by The Weather Channel last month in battleground states, between 20 and 35 percent of registered voters said that if there is bad weather on Election Day, they would be likely not to vote. Remember that the great Northern Virginia Earthquake was on a Primary Election Day, and that moderately unusual

events, weather-related and otherwise can turn the commute home into a multi-hour ordeal that could cause many voters to miss the 7 p.m. closing time at the polling places.

There is a way for voters to choose their own Election Day. Pick a day that works for you, check the weather forecast and go vote.

From now until Nov. 3, you can vote absentee in person for a variety of reasons, but you must sign a form affirming that you do qualify. Almost everyone with a job in Northern Virginia qualifies for one particular reason, however: your work plus commute time would be 11 hours or more between 6 a.m. and 7 p.m. on Election Day. Other reasons include planned travel, pregnancy, illness or disability, being a student out of area, and more.

In Fairfax County, you can vote at Fairfax County Governmental Center or any one of seven "satellite" voting locations. If you have not been to the government center, it's worth having a look.

❖ Fairfax County Government Center, 12000 Government Center Parkway, Suite 323, Fairfax, VA 22035. Open for voting Monday-Friday: 8 a.m.-8 p.m. and the next three Saturdays, Oct. 20, Oct. 27, and Nov. 3: 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

The satellite locations in Fairfax County are

also open for absentee in person voting through Nov. 3, Monday-Friday, 2-8 p.m. and Saturdays, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

❖ Franconia Governmental Center, 6121 Franconia Rd., Alexandria, VA 22310

❖ Dolley Madison Library, 1244 Oak Ridge Ave., McLean, VA 22101

❖ North County Human Services Building, 1850 Cameron Glen Dr. Reston, VA 20190

❖ West Springfield Governmental Center, 6140 Rolling Road, Springfield, VA 22152

❖ Mason Governmental Center, 6507 Columbia Pike, Annandale, VA 22003

❖ Mount Vernon Governmental Center, 2511 Parkers La., Alexandria, VA 22306

❖ Sully Governmental Center, 4900 Stonecroft Boulevard, Chantilly, VA 20151

For more on voting absentee in Fairfax County, visit <http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/elections/absentee.htm>

Saturday, Nov. 3 is the last day to vote absentee-in-person.

Voters can also vote absentee by mail. The deadline to submit an application to have an absentee ballot mailed to you is Tuesday, Oct. 30 at 5 p.m. The application must be received at the Voter Registration Office by that time. Voters who request a mailed absentee ballot must return them to their local elections office by 7 p.m. on Election Day, Nov. 6, for the ballot to be counted.

It's worth looking at the absentee ballot application online before going to vote absentee in person. <http://www.sbe.virginia.gov/Files/Forms/VoterForms/ABApplication.pdf>

### Editorial

### Letters to the Editor

## Vote Yes for Area Parks

To the Editor:

As Connection readers know, the upcoming election is a pivotal one. What readers may not be aware of is that a park bond referendum question is on the ballot for Fairfax County residents. I'm writing to ask readers to vote YES for the 2012 park bond.

The Fairfax County Park Authority's operating budget is almost 60 percent funded by revenue generating park activities. The remaining 40 percent is covered by appropriations from the County's General Fund derived from taxpayer contributions. This total contribution to parks amounts to less than 1 percent of the entire County operating budget. However, the operating funds do not include capital improvements such as renovations, new facilities, land acquisitions and the like. The funds for those endeavors are primarily funded through general obligation bonds. These types of bonds require the approval of the County constituency. This is just one of the bond ques-

tions on this year's ballot.

I know in our troubled economy some will argue that taking on debt is not a smart decision. However, I would argue that right now is the best time to embark on projects this bond will fund. Fairfax County maintains their debt payments at 10 percent or below tax revenue. The current bond request is projected to remain below that limit. With the current economic climate, purchases and construction costs are significantly lower so the funds can stretch further. Fairfax County's outstanding credit rating also enables it to obtain lower interest rates. Please visit [www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/2012bond.htm](http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/2012bond.htm) for more detailed information about projects funded by the bond and more about the bond process.

I live in a neighborhood near the recently completed section of Pohick Stream Valley Trail in Burke. This project was paid for with park bond funds and I am so pleased with the results. Living in the suburbs outside the beltway, it is rare that you can easily walk or bike to shopping centers or commuter hubs. I can now easily

and beautifully do both. Fairfax is such a family friendly and great place to live primarily because of its dedication to green, historic, and recreational spaces. My hope is the County continues to add more of these gems throughout the region with your help on Nov. 6. Please remember to vote YES for our parks.

**Beth Gamble**  
Burke

## Protecting Visitors to Clemyjontri Park

To the Editor:

Clemyjontri Park captures memories. My grandchildren and I swing, climb, balance, run, jump, go through the maze and ride the carousel horses. On the weekends, we park in the overflow lot and have to make our way across Route 193. The street curves right before the point of crossing so we have to be extremely cautious. And when I drive by Clemyjontri and see families pushing strollers and waiting to cross, I slow down

and stop. Unfortunately, I am one of very few.

Before something really tragic happens and we lose a child, it would be wonderful if our community were to join together to request a pedestrian bridge or, at the very least, seriously high speed bumps on either side of the walkway across Route 193.

I'm absolutely certain that we would all prefer happy memories to a terribly sad memorial.

**Penny Morrill**  
McLean

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# Two Challenge Wolf in 10th District

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program. Over the years she supported herself through grants, student loans, scholarships and part-time jobs to put her through college, where she was a Harvard classmate of Barack Obama.

"Even at the Virginia General Assembly level, we've seen this attack on women's rights when it comes to their own bodies," said Evan Scott. "I think Kristin is the kind of person we want looking out for women, and families, in this district."

More information on Cabral can be found at [www.kristincabral.com](http://www.kristincabral.com).

**CHISHOLM** is running for the 10th district seat as an independent. He has lived in Northern Virginia for the past 31 years.

He describes himself as a "fiscally conservative progressive." An engineer by trade, he ran for the Arlington County Board as a member of the Green Party in 2010.

"I hear a lot about how our two-party system is broken and that people need to think about voting someone else in to affect real change, but in the next breath they talk about how it's throwing away your vote to go third-party," said Boris Palidnor of Chantilly. "It's easy to say that, but until we start actually casting the votes, any change is going to be a pipe dream."

Chisholm said he remembers hoping that the election of Reagan would mean a smaller government and less government waste, but he was disappointed.

He supports a simpler tax code and energy policy reform.

Supporter Christy Pergola of Sterling said, "I think it's evident that neither party has earned re-election, and maybe having someone like Kevin in a prominent, wealthy district like the 10th would open some eyes."

More information on Chisholm can be found at [www.chisholmforcongress.com](http://www.chisholmforcongress.com).

**WOLF** was elected in 1980 when he defeated incumbent Democrat Joseph Fisher. Since then, Wolf opponents have only gotten more than 40 percent of the vote once since 1988, and Wolf's last two elections were won by more than 20 percent. Since his first re-election, he has never garnered less than 57 percent of the vote.

"Congress has its historically low approval rating for a reason, but Mr. Wolf is one of the good ones," said Janet Paice of Oak Hill. "I think he's been so successful through many different administrations and public moods because he comes across as genuine and not particularly partisan, which Congress seems to be becoming more of."

Wolf's primary issues of concern are human rights and transportation. In August, he proposed a bill that would reduce the size of the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority Board. Wolf called the board "broken and broken badly," and his bill also proposed to give Virginia a majority of seats on the board.

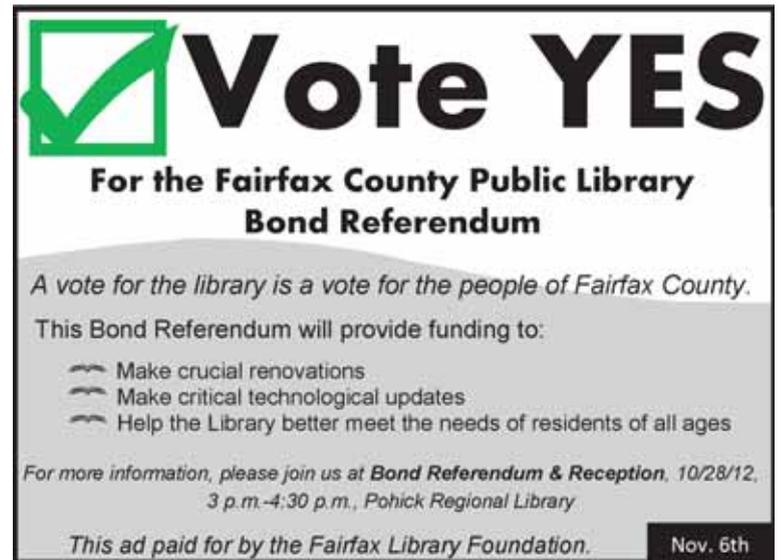
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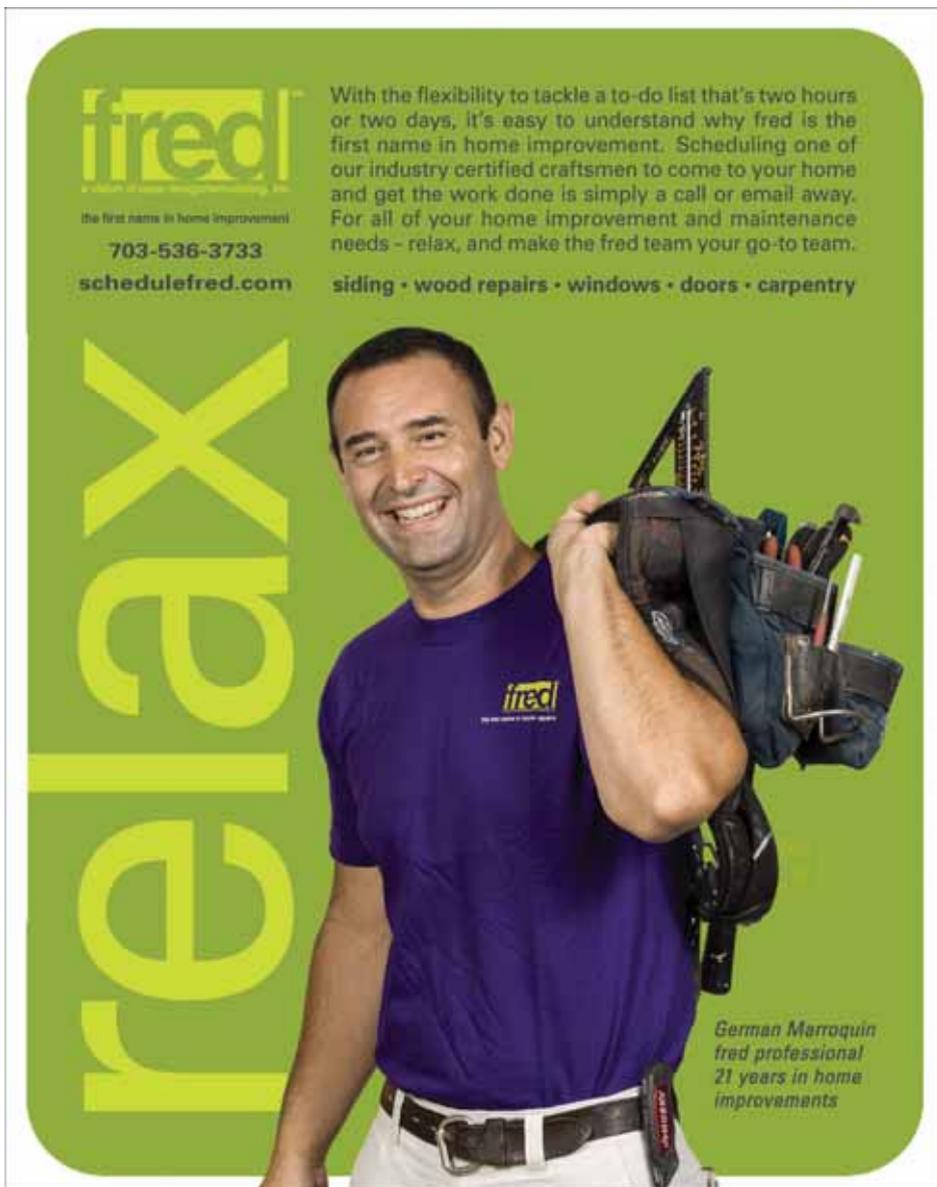
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# Elections Come to Area Schools

**Educators use current election to teach students about campaigns and elections.**

By Marilyn Campbell  
The Connection

How would you change the current tax situation and, at the same time, address the larger issue of our national debt? Do you believe it is the government's job to provide health care for all citizens? Why or why not?

Would you approve the Keystone pipeline and what other changes would you make to help make the U.S. energy independent, while also protecting the environment?

Sound like questions that belong in a presidential debate? These are actually inquiries written by Advanced Placement (AP) government students at Alexandria's St.

Stephen's & St. Agnes School, and they're just some of the local students getting involved in this year's election. From mock debates to in-school voter registration, some local educators are using the upcoming election to bring American government books to life.

"[Students in] ninth through twelfth grade are holding a student debate between the Peoples' Democratic Front and the Young Conservatives, and then will hold a mock election after the debate," said Linda Stratton, St. Stephen's and St. Agnes' director of communications. Stratton said the students prepared questions to introduce the four debate topics: health care, the economy, foreign policy, and energy and environment.

"The AP government class will be predicting the Electoral College result of the presidential race and the overall make-up of the House and Senate," she added.

Students at the Potomac School in McLean even used social media to simulate a real campaign. "Students put together a mock Facebook profile for a selected candidate," Jenni Ashley, an intermediate school humanities teacher at

the school, said. "To explore the issues, students researched the two candidates, particularly their websites and their positions on the issues.

"The majority of my students are 12. I would say that all of the students knew the candidates and had some idea of who they are. However, they were quite uninformed on the issues," she added, saying the election provides an opportunity to explore these issues.

Her students are learning about campaign issues in preparation for a pre-Election Day mock debate. "We will start to explore how the candidates are trying to win the election," said Ashley. "We are going to discuss the effectiveness of yard signs and create our own signs. And we will explore TV ads, both current and from past elections."

**IN FACT, TEACHERS SAY** mock debates are a way to teach students about elections and current events in way that keeps them engaged. "A few days before the election, the [middle school] history department is hosting a mock debate that will lay out all of the issues of the

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— Jenni Ashley, the Potomac School in McLean

election," said Stratton of students at St. Stephen's and St. Agnes. "On Election Day, they will set up polling places throughout the school where students will vote on issues." While the students will not vote on actual candidates, they will receive "I voted" stickers.

Stratton added that the history department is sponsoring a "March Madness"-style contest to see which student can most accurately predict the results of the Electoral College and Senate races.

At Norwood School in Bethesda, Md., even kindergarten students are becoming politically active. "Students in kindergarten through fourth grade will be asked a 'Question of the Day' relating to the election process in general and the presidential election specifically," said Leanne Gill, Norwood's direc-

tor of communications. "The questions will be on display on an election table situated at the entrance to the lower school library."

Students write their answer on a piece of paper and place them in a box. The number of correct answers is posted each morning. "The goal ... is to provoke discussion and provide new information about the election process for our younger students," she said.

The school is holding a "Norwood School Voter Registration Week" prior to the Nov. 6 election. "As students attend library class, they will be given the opportunity to register as citizens of Norwood School," said Gill. "On Tuesday, Nov. 6, we will hold our own Norwood presidential election."

Students will also receive an "I



Photo courtesy of Norwood School

**Fourth graders at Norwood School in Bethesda, Md., gather around the school's lower school election table to answer the "Question of the Day."**

voted" sticker after casting their ballots and teachers hope to announce the results of the Norwood election before the end of Election Day. "Throughout the weeks leading up to the election, the library will showcase a display of books about elections, presidents, and government," she added.

In addition, teachers asked Norwood seventh and eighth grade

students to watch at least 20 minutes of each presidential debate. "The school is holding 'Election Days' after each debate when we discuss the debate and other issues related to the election," said Gill.

**SOME STUDENTS SAY** the lessons on political culture and good citizenship can extend beyond the election. "When you are running

for president, it doesn't matter who you are—black or white, man or woman—it just matters that you work hard and do a good job," said Julius Camper, a fourth grade student at Norwood School.

Asma Poshni, also a fourth grade student at Norwood added: "Even though there are two people running in the election, none are bad. Both can do a good job."

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The following students were named semifinalists in the 2013 National Merit Scholarship Program: **Patrick F. Sanguineti** from Flint Hill School; **Katherine Fowler, Benjamin Haines, Thomas E. Lomont, Atussa Mohtasham, Jeremy K. Park, Amanda N. Rones, Abigail C. Skwara, Anna E. Stone** and **Faith C. Tetlow** from James Madison High School; **Bridget J. Bauman, Melissa C. Chang, Ambareesh Gorle, Tamera R. Lanham, Irene S. Lee, Andrew R. Seastram** and **Stewart C. Silver** from Oakton High School; **Paul Bernstein, Ryan W. Cheng, Aimee A. Cho, Christie S. Goddard, Eunyong C. Kim, Gene Kim, Margaret R. Mahoney, Yasmeen K. Mushtaq, Praveena Mylvaganam, Najeda S. Nikolova, Kelvin Nui, Caitlin A. Rose** and

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**Harrison Voslow**, of Great Falls, has been named a semifinalist in the 2013 National Merit Scholarship Program. He is among four students from Landon School and among 16,000 semifinalists nationwide. The National Merit will announce finalists in February.

**Sabrina Caldwell** of McLean has been awarded a J. William Fulbright grant, and will travel to Germany for an English Teaching Assistantship. An International Studies and German major with a minor in BC's Faith, Peace and Justice Program, Caldwell graduated cum laude from Boston College.

## Private Schools

### Applying to Private Schools: Getting to Know the Schools

Considering private school? Local independent school officials offer advice on what to do and how to select the right school for your child after you've identified several choices.

"Now that you know where you are applying, be on time and follow the admissions calendar. Call the admissions director to introduce yourself, ask questions and let the director know who you are. Putting a face, or a least a voice, with an application file can go a long way."

— **Rich Moss**, director of admissions, The Heights School, Potomac, Md.

"Find out when each school is having open houses or other events that help you get to know the program. Some schools have a limited number of these 'get to know you' events. If you miss them, you can still visit and tour the programs, but you will sometimes have missed the one opportunity to also meet faculty and talk with a variety of students and volunteers. Remember, your child spends the majority of her or his waking hours at school. You should want to get to know as much as you can about the schools you are interested in, this is the time to do that."

— **Pat Harden**, director of admissions and financial aid, Connelly School of the Holy Child, Potomac, Md.

"Each school has its own mission and community. It's important to experience the school to get an accurate picture. Can you envision your child and family there?"

— **Diane Dunning**, director of admission and financial aid, St. Stephen's & St. Agnes School, Alexandria.

"Track your application progress. Online systems are great and usually very efficient, but if you've not heard back from a school after you've applied, call to check on your status and to ensure that your application is complete and no further steps are needed."

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## Sports Breifs

## Marshall Field Hockey Falls to Fairfax

Statesmen lose emotional Senior Night contest.

By Jon Roetman  
The Connection

**K**atie Clark knelt on the sideline and emptied her emotions following the Marshall field hockey team's regular season finale on Oct. 11. After a teammate consoled Clark, head coach Christina Carroll crouched by the senior midfielder and placed a hand on her head.

Marshall had just lost to Fairfax. It was Senior Night for the Statesmen, who failed in their attempt to beat the Rebels and earn the top seed in the Liberty District tournament, which comes with a first-round bye and automatic regional berth. Adding to Clark's disappointment was the experience of playing against Fairfax captains Shannon Cosgrove and Sam Zelenack, who are club teammates with Clark and fellow Marshall captain Madeleine Lewsen.

"It's really hard," Clark said after the game. "I have a lot of friends on the Fairfax team. I play club with them and it's hard to play against them."

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**ALONG WITH PLAYER RELATIONSHIPS**, Carroll and Fairfax head coach Amber Beaudoin are friends. Neither side was overly thrilled with having to complete against the other. Beaudoin said coaching against Carroll can be "awkward" at times. Cosgrove said playing against her club teammates is "tough because all four of us are really competitive." In the end, it was the Rebels that made the most of an

uncomfortable situation, beating the Statesmen 2-0 at Marshall High School.

Cosgrove scored on an assist from Zelenack with 8:41 remaining in the first half and junior Sara Allen added an insurance goal late in the second half as Fairfax improved to 15-1 and completed an undefeated run through the Liberty District. The Rebels' last loss to Marshall came in 2010.

Cosgrove's goal was her team-leading 15th of the season and proved to be the game-winner.

"I think it completely affected the game," Cosgrove said. "I think we started dominating after that, especially at the end of the second half. We were moving the ball really well and that set the whole tone for the game."

Fairfax started the season 11-0 before suffering its only regular season defeat—a 3-0 loss to Westfield on Sept. 24. Cosgrove said the loss caused the Rebels to address their sub-par practice habits. Beaudoin said it gave younger players a taste of adversity.

"We have a lot of sophomores on our team and they just don't understand that things aren't



Photos by Craig Sterbutzel/The Connection

**Marshall senior captain Katie Clark led the Statesmen with 14 goals in the regular season.**



**Marshall senior Alexandra Sandlin, right, defends against Fairfax senior captain Shannon Cosgrove on Oct. 11.**

always going to be awesome," the coach said. "When you lose like that...it makes them have to work."

The Rebels responded with four straight wins, outscoring opponents 8-0. During the regular season, Fairfax outscored its opposition 45-4.

**MARSHALL FINISHED** the regular season with a 12-4 record and earned the No. 2 seed in the Liberty tournament with a 4-2 district mark.

Lewsen, who finished the regular season with 10 goals, said Marshall will use the loss to Fairfax as motivation in the postseason.

"The drive is all there and the want to win is all there," she said, "especially now that we have this loss on Senior Night."

Clark led Marshall with 14 regular season goals.

Marshall hosted No. 7 South Lakes in the first round of the district tournament on Tuesday, after The Connection's deadline. Fairfax will play in the semifinals.

"It's so emotional for so many different reasons—but for Senior Night, specifically," Carroll said after Marshall's loss to Fairfax. "We tell [the players] that we're still in it, we still have a season.... We need to pick up the pieces and go. So what? We didn't get the automatic [berth] into regionals and we have to work for it. It's OK. We can do it...."

"I was just saying [to Beaudoin] that we're in the same situation every year playing for first place. One of these times, I'd just like to beat her."

## Langley Football Falls to Yorktown

The Langley football team lost to Yorktown, 24-14, on Oct. 12. It was the Saxons' third consecutive loss and fourth in the last five games.

Langley (3-4) will close the regular season with Liberty District contests against South Lakes (home, Oct. 19), Fairfax (away, Oct. 26) and McLean (home, Nov. 2). The Saxons are 2-2 in the district, with wins against Thomas Jefferson and Marshall, and losses against Madison and Stone Bridge.



Photo by Joe Gattley

**Langley's Philip Mun runs against the Yorktown defense on Oct. 12.**

## Records Set at Glory Days Invitational

Chantilly's Sean McGorty and West Springfield's Caroline Alcorta each set a course record at the 20th Annual Glory Days Invitational on Oct. 13 at Bull Run Regional Park.

McGorty was the boys' top finisher with a time of 14 minutes, 45 seconds. His time blew away the previous course record of 15:08, set by Quince Orchard's Neal Darmody in 2007, and meet record of 15:03, set by Handley's Bobby Lockhart in 2001. The meet had a course change in 2005.

McGorty led Chantilly to a first-place team finish with a score of 31. Severna Park (91) finished second, followed by Georgetown Day School (163) and Robinson (200).

Alcorta was the girls' top finisher with a time of 17:42, breaking the course record of 17:49, set by James River's

Kristen Wolfe in 2007. Centreville's Laura Heiner posted a time of 17:23 in 1997 and Hayfield's Melissa Dewey recorded a 17:37 in 2004, prior to the course change.

West Springfield won the girls' team title with a score of 112. Washington-Lee (119) took second, followed by Chantilly (124) and Patriot (210).

The Langley girls' team finished 22nd with a score of 543. Jessica Miles was the Saxons' top finisher, coming in 41st (19:48). Elissa Purdy (98, 20:52), Courteney West (133, 21:25), Rebecca Powell (151, 22:01), Blair Purdy (155, 22:31) and Mara Detrani (165, 23:29) also competed.

The Langley boys' team finished 31st with a score of 827. Alessandro Shapiro (80, 15:56), Brian Reilly (164, 17:47), Ryan Anger (204, 18:33), Kristian Hutchinson (211, 18:51) and Chris Maloney (217, 19:14) competed for the Saxons.



Photo by Craig Sterbutzel/The Connection

**Courteney West and the Langley girls' cross country team finished in 22nd place at the 20th Annual Glory Days Invitational on Oct. 13 at Bull Run Regional Park.**

## News

# Charlotte Barnwell McCutchen, 67, Dies

Great Falls resident of 16 years and accomplished neurologist dies in San Diego, Calif.

Charlotte Barnwell McCutchen, M.D., died Sept. 11, 2012 in San Diego, Calif., age 67, of complications from Guillain-Barre Syndrome. She was a resident of Great Falls for 16 years, from 1984-2000.

Her only immediate survivor is her sister Lilla Richards of McLean, who has arranged a private burial in Fallbrook, Calif., the town of McCutchen's retirement following a prestigious career in neurology research.

Richards remembers her sister as a woman known for her wit. Once when asked about the specifics of her job as a lab assistant to a drug pioneer who experimented on overcoming heart transplant rejection in mice, McCutchen replied "Have you ever given mouth-to-mouth resuscitation to a mouse?" says her sister Richards.

McCutchen attended George Washington University in Washington, D.C. from 1962-1963. She went on to hold a bright academic career including a residency in neurology at Vanderbilt University and a fellowship at the University of Washington School of Medicine, Seattle, Wash., among other positions.

Other honors McCutchen earned included fellowships at the American EEG Society and the American Academy of Neurology; certifications for neurophysiology and neurology from organizations including the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology; and receiving the National Institutes of Health Award of Merit "for outstanding contributions in coordinating research efforts as a member of the Congressionally mandated National Commission on Sleep Disorders Research" in 1992.

McCutchen taught at the University of Washington School of Medicine, the University of California San Diego in the School of Medicine, La Jolla, and the Department of Neurology at Georgetown University. She directed programs at the VA Medical Center, Seattle, Wash., the San Diego VA Medical Center, the NIH in Bethesda, Md., and the VA Medical Center.

McCutchen was born in Camp LeJeune, N.C. on Oct. 31, 1944, and raised in Arlington, where she graduated from Washington-Lee High School in 1962.

—Chelsea H. Bryan

## Local Chefs Demonstrate 'Autumn' At the Great Falls Farmers Market

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**The Church of the Holy Comforter**, 543 Beulah Road NE, Vienna, holds a 5 p.m. contemplative worship service in the style of the Taizé on Sunday, Oct. 28; the service combines chant, scripture with time spent in silence and a setting of greenery, candles and icons. 703-938-6521 or [www.holycomforter.com](http://www.holycomforter.com).

The Holly Hill Garden Club will meet on Wednesday, Oct. 17, at 9:45 a.m. at the **Trinity United Methodist Church**, 1205 Dolley Madison Blvd., McLean. Mark Ludlow, owner of For the Wild Birds, will give a lecture and presentation entitled Winter Backyard Birds and Getting Ready for Winter. 703-790-0682.

**The Shepherd's Center of McLean and Falls Church** sponsors a concert at McLean Baptist Church, 1367 Chain Bridge Road, McLean, called the **Lunch n' Life** performance and luncheon on Wednesday, Oct. 17 at noon, featuring the Harmony Heritage Singers. The men's chorus sings popular tunes from the "good old days," in barbershop style. \$10. Prepay by Oct. 11, 703-506-2199 or [rekcockcalb@hotmail.com](mailto:rekcockcalb@hotmail.com).

**Oktoberfest Bazaar and Craft Fair**. Charles Wesley United Methodist

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**St. John's Episcopal Church in McLean** welcomes everyone to an All Saints' Sunday service of Holy Eucharist featuring the Requiem by André Campra on Nov. 4 at 5:30 p.m. Requiem will be sung by the St. John's Choir and a vocal solo quartet. Violins, viola, and organ will provide the accompaniment. St. John's Episcopal Church is located one mile east of Beltway Exit 44, at 6715 Georgetown Pike in McLean. For more information, call the Church Office at 703-356-4902 or visit [www.stjohnsmclean.org](http://www.stjohnsmclean.org).

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## WEDNESDAY/OCT. 17

**John Jorgenson.** 7:30 p.m., at Jammin' Java, 227 Maple Ave., Vienna. "The U.S. Ambassador of Gypsy Jazz" and his quintet bring world class music to town. \$20. [www.jamminjava.com](http://www.jamminjava.com).

**Vienna Photographic Society's Photo Competition.** 7:30-9:30 p.m., Thoreau Middle School, 2505 Cedar Lane, Vienna. Northern Virginia Photographic Society Photographer of the Year Sandi Croan will judge the VPS competition's three categories: digital, print and "Cemeteries" category photos. 703-451-7298 or [www.vps-va.org](http://www.vps-va.org).

**The Greencards.** 8 p.m., at The Barn at Wolf Trap, 1635 Trap Road, Vienna. The Grammy-nominated foursome brings worldly influence to the country-bluegrass genre from their latest album *The Brick Album*. \$20. [www.wolftrap.org](http://www.wolftrap.org).

## THURSDAY/OCT. 18

**BoosterThon Fun Run.** 9-11 a.m., at the GFES Baseball Field, 701 Walker Road, Great Falls. Run to fund a new track at the school while promoting lessons of leadership, fitness and character for the children who run. [www.boosterthon.com](http://www.boosterthon.com) or [www.gfespta.com](http://www.gfespta.com).

**Susan Werner.** 8 p.m., at The Barn at Wolf Trap, 1635 Trap Road, Vienna. The singer/songwriter brings introspective blues and folk from her



McLean Symphony

## McLean Symphony: Favorites by Request

The fall 2012 symphony season begins on Saturday, Oct. 21 at 7:30 p.m. in the Alden Theatre, at McLean Community Center, 1234 Ingleside Ave., McLean. Audience members and symphony musicians spoke and the favorites are in: Overture to "Oberon" by von Weber, Symphony No. 7 in D Minor, Op. 70 by Dvorak, Danse bacchannale of Charles Camille Saint-Saens and Franz von Suppe's Baccacio—Minuet and Tarantella. \$25, adults; \$20, seniors, \$15, students with ID. 1-866-811-4111 or [www.aldentheatre.org](http://www.aldentheatre.org).

latest album *Kicking the Beehive*. \$22. [www.wolftrap.org](http://www.wolftrap.org).

## FRIDAY/OCT. 19

**You Can't Take it with You.** 7:30 p.m., at the James Lee Community Center Theater, 2855 Annandale Road, Falls Church. The Providence Players present the Pulitzer Prize-winning comedy classic about

grandpa and his eccentric family as they clash with the stuffy Kirbys. \$18, adults; \$15, students and seniors. 703-425-6782 or [www.providenceplayers.org](http://www.providenceplayers.org).

**Battlefield Band.** 8 p.m., at The Barn at Wolf Trap, 1635 Trap Road, Vienna. The annual gig with Scottish folk music brings ballads, covers and compositions of their own. \$24. [www.wolftrap.org](http://www.wolftrap.org).

## SATURDAY/OCT. 20

### Ninth Annual Great Falls Studios

**Art Tour.** 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Great Falls. A free, self-guided driving tour to meet 49 artists in their home studios or group venues with a concurrent tour to visit a home renovated by Sun Design; art purchasing info, map, artists details, all online. [www.SunDesignInc.com](http://www.SunDesignInc.com) and [www.GreatFallsStudios.com](http://www.GreatFallsStudios.com).

### Oktoberfest Bazaar and Craft Fair.

10 a.m.-3 p.m., at Charles Wesley United Methodist Church, 6817 Dean Drive, McLean. Handcrafted jewelry, silk floral arrangements, hand-carved birds, baked goods and loads of crafts; lunch between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. with brats, sauerkraut and the like. [www.charleswesleyumc.org](http://www.charleswesleyumc.org).

### Claude Moore Colonial Farm 1771

**Market Fair.** 11 a.m.-4:30 p.m., at Claude Moore Colonial Farm, 6310 Georgetown Pike, McLean. Crisp local apples, warm savory meat pies, hearty breads, entertainers, candle-dipping, mulled wine, holiday shopping, and tradesmen and the militia make it a big celebration of fall. \$6, adults; \$3, seniors and children ages 3-12. 703-442-7557 or [www.1771.org](http://www.1771.org).

### Wounded Warriors Lobster Boil & Barnyard Festival.

2-7 p.m., American Legion Post 180, 330 Center Street, Vienna. Project Enduring Pride provides New England lobster, caribbean music, bar-b-cue chicken, GM Silverado Warrior trucks and live music from the Charlie Groover Band. \$25; Wounded Warriors dine free. [slddgg@gmail.com](mailto:slddgg@gmail.com).

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Players present the Pulitzer Prize-winning comedy classic about grandpa and his eccentric family as they clash with the stuffy Kirbys. \$18, adults; \$15, students and seniors. 703-425-6782 or [www.providenceplayers.org](http://www.providenceplayers.org).

**Amanda McBroom.** 7:30 p.m., at The Barn at Wolf Trap, 1635 Trap Road, Vienna. The Broadway songstress, famous for her Golden Globe-winning song "The Rose," brings her songs to Vienna. \$25. [www.wolftrap.org](http://www.wolftrap.org).

**McLean Orchestra: Phantoms and Fantasies.** 8 p.m., at Oakcrest School, 850 Balls Hill Road, McLean. A night of Halloween haunts, with Mussorgsky, Debussy and Hector Berlioz's *Symphonie Fantastique*; post-concert cake and champagne reception. [www.mclean-orchestra.org](http://www.mclean-orchestra.org).

**The Northern Virginia Country-Western Dance.** 8:30-11 p.m. (lesson starts at 7:30 p.m.) at Luther Jackson Middle School, 3020 Gallows Road, Falls Church. Learn two step, waltz, line, swing, cha cha and specialty dances then dance the night away to the DJ's music; couples and singles invited. \$10, members; \$12, non-members; \$5, children under 18 (with adult). 703-860-4941 or [www.nvcwda.org](http://www.nvcwda.org).

## SUNDAY/OCT. 21

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**Great Falls Tree Walk.** 1 p.m., at River Bend Park, Great Falls. Local and County officials including Supervisor John Foust and Senator Barbara Favola walk the new one mile Tree Walk along the Potomac River, beginning and ending at the visitor's center.

**You Can't Take it with You.** 2 p.m., at the James Lee Community Center Theater, 2855 Annandale Road, Falls Church. The Providence Players present the Pulitzer Prize-winning comedy classic about grandpa and his eccentric family as they clash with the stuffy Kirbys. \$18, adults; \$15, students and seniors. 703-425-6782 or [www.providenceplayers.org](http://www.providenceplayers.org).

**Music from Oberlin at Oakton.** 7:30 p.m., at the Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Fairfax, 2709 Hunter Mill Road, Oakton. The Oberlin College Conservatory of Music brings an 12th season of concerts to the church; the program includes Fugue Gottschalk Le banjo; fantasia grotesque, Hummel Concerto in E-flat Major and Neruda Trumpet Concerto in E-flat Major, among others. 703-842-3156.

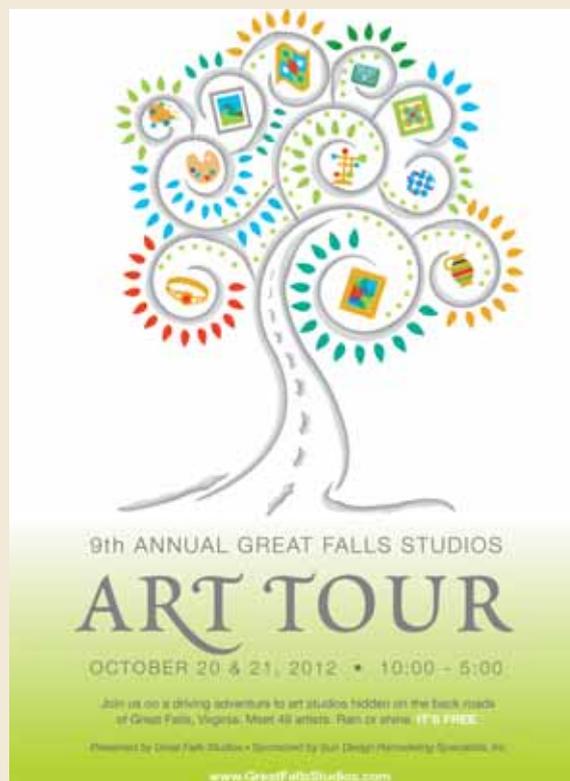
## MONDAY/OCT. 22

**The Apiarists' Tale.** 1 p.m., at Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 2589 Chain Bridge Road, Vienna. The Ayr Hill Garden Club hosts an apiarist who tells how he and his wife decided to start beekeeping, from classes on raising bees to building top bar hives. RSVP at [latripp24@gmail.com](mailto:latripp24@gmail.com).

**Coffee Cupping Event: Penny University, Coffee of Three Continents.** 7-8:30 p.m., at Caffe Amouri, 107 Church Street NE, Vienna. Grind, steep, slurp, spit, sit back and describe the flavors; this coffee-tasting class pushes you to ID the nuts, body and myriad flavor notes. Register in the shop or at [caffeamouri@gmail.com](mailto:caffeamouri@gmail.com).

## TUESDAY/OCT. 23

**Food Day: Feeding Academic Success.** 6 p.m., at Marshall High



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From 10 a.m.-5 p.m. in Great Falls this weekend, Oct. 20-21, you'll get the chance to meet nearly every kind of artist—and get ideas for remodeling your home. The free, self-guided driving tour to meet 49 artists in their home studios or group venues also presents a concurrent tour to visit a home renovated by Sun Design. Find potters, painters, sculptors, photographers and digital artists, jewelry makers, weavers, printmakers, wood carvers, quilters, layered-paper artists all in their creative spaces and—an elegant home presenting solutions to remodeling challenges; art purchasing info, map, artists details, all online. [www.SunDesignInc.com](http://www.SunDesignInc.com) and [www.GreatFallsStudios.com](http://www.GreatFallsStudios.com).

School, 7731 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church. Community leaders, teachers, parents and students team up with Real Food for Kids for a panel discussion, keynote speaker and a high school salad bar team challenge—judges will present awards for the freshest, most appealing and nutritious salad bars meeting USDA National School Lunch Program guidelines. RSVP. [FoodDay2012@realfoodforkids.org](mailto:FoodDay2012@realfoodforkids.org).

**The George C. Marshall Orchestras.** 7 p.m., at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church, 8601 Wolftrap Road, Vienna. The choir and orchestra perform. [www.fcps.edu/marshallhs/](http://www.fcps.edu/marshallhs/).

**Langley Choral Department Fall Concert.** 7:30 p.m., in the Langley High Auditorium, 6520 Georgetown Pike, McLean. The award-winning choral department presents their annual fall concert. 703-790-9573.

## WEDNESDAY/OCT. 24

**Vienna Halloween Parade.** 7 p.m., at Maple Avenue and Branch Road, Vienna. Big name entertainment, a crowd of tens of thousands and parading costumed children; gather with children at 6:30 p.m. at the Virginia Commerce Bank to walk. [www.viennahalloweenparade.org](http://www.viennahalloweenparade.org).

## THURSDAY/OCT. 25

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## Here's What's Happening at MCC

MCC Governing Board  
**Milestone I Meeting on Renovations**  
Tuesday, Oct. 23, 7:30 p.m.

Hobey Ford Golden Rod Puppets present  
**"Migration"**  
Saturday, Oct. 27, 2 p.m.  
\$15/\$10 MCC district residents



**Sunday Soiree Dance "Happy Halloween"**  
Sunday, Oct. 28, 3-5 p.m.  
\$5 at the door



**CHILDREN'S Flea Market**  
Saturday, Nov. 3  
11 a.m.-1 p.m.  
Free Admission

Insider Knowledge Series  
**Jazz Masters with John Eaton**  
**"The Wit & Wisdom of Cole Porter"**  
Saturday, Nov. 3, 1 p.m.  
Free Admission

The McLean Community Center  
1234 Ingleside Ave., McLean, VA 22101  
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## Halloween Pumpkin Carving

On Oct. 27 from 3-4 p.m., at Wildfire, 1714 International Drive, McLean. Parents and children carve pumpkins with guidance from Executive Chef Eddie Ishaq and NBC4Weekend Anchor Angie Goff; take home your carved pumpkin and a goody bag and benefit Food for Others. \$15 per child. 703-442-9110.



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## The County Line

# What Would \$155 Million Bond Package Buy?

**New fire stations, library renovations, park improvements and more on Nov. 6 ballot.**

By Victoria Ross  
The Connection

**O**n a recent Saturday afternoon, Monique Bell of Oakton is helping her 5-year-old daughter McKenzie sort through a dozen Halloween craft books at the Reston Regional Library.

The library, one of the busiest branches in Fairfax County, has a collection of more than 215,000 volumes and circulates more than a million books a year.

For children, there is a separate wing with everything from board books for infants to chapter books for school-age readers; special events such as Spiderella's Spooktacular Tales, and a full-service children's information desk.

"We're new to the area," Bell said, "but this has already become one of our favorite places. It's where a lot of moms spend time. We love all the story-time events."

Built in 1985, the 30,000-square-foot library is located north of the Reston Town Center and near the planned Reston Parkway Metro station. Because that area may be redeveloped into a more urban, mixed-use center, the library may be relocated.

The \$10 million project, which includes site studies, design and construction of a new library, is just part of Fairfax County's \$155 million bond package on the ballot Nov. 6. Specifically, the ballot will include four bond referendums for parks, public safety facilities and storm water projects.

"I didn't know about the project, but I can't imagine not supporting library projects," Bell said. "They're important for our children, like good schools, and one of the reasons we moved here."

**IF MOST VOTERS** think like Bell, their approval of the bond package would allow the County to borrow \$25 million to redesign the Reston library, as well as renovate three other libraries: Pohick Regional, Tysons-Pimmit Regional and John Marshall Community libraries.

The public safety bond would raise \$55 million, including \$35 million to replace three fire stations—Baileys Crossroads, Jefferson and Herndon—and \$20 million to renovate 22 courtrooms in the Jennings Judicial Center.

The \$75 million park bond for local and regional parks, according to County officials, would generate \$63 million toward a 10-year, \$435 million capital improvement plan and \$12 million to renew a four-year plan to contribute capital funds to the Northern Virginia Regional Park Authority. Another \$30 million is earmarked for a levee and other storm-water improvements in the Huntington community.

"The projects the bond referenda will pay for are community priorities that essentially enhance our quality of life," said Fairfax County Board of Supervisors Chairman Sharon Bulova (D-at-large). She said Fairfax County's triple-A credit rating—one of only 39 counties in the country to earn the rating - allows

### WANT TO KNOW MORE ABOUT BONDS?

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Monday, Oct. 29 at 10 a.m. on the Parks bond exclusively at [www.fairfaxcounty.gov/AskFairfax/ActiveDiscussion.aspx?roomid=45](http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/AskFairfax/ActiveDiscussion.aspx?roomid=45)

the County to borrow money at a low cost to pay for public facilities and infrastructure. She said the County has a fiscally-conservative policy of rapid debt retirement and strong debt management. Since 1978, the County has saved more than \$543.28 million on bond and refunding sales as a result of the triple-A ratings. Bulova said none of the bonds are expected to raise tax rates for residents.

"The County has benefited from the low cost of construction to make these kinds of improvement to our parks, libraries and public safety facilities. It's the silver lining, so to speak, in the economic downturn," she said.

In Fairfax County, bonds typically have a high rate of passage and, for the most part, have bipartisan support from the Board of Supervisors.

"All residents benefit from parks, libraries and, of course, the courthouse renovations. Efficient handling of court cases come from better facilities. Park and library funds are spent in an order established based on needs. Over time that covers the whole County," said Supervisor John Cook (R-Braddock).

However, a partisan divide separated supervisors on the \$30 million storm water bond referendum, which would provide flood-prevention measures such as a new levee for residents in Mount Vernon's flood-prone Huntington community.

In April, Huntington residents appeared before the board, asking the County to support measures that would protect their community from continued flooding along Cameron Run. On Sept. 8, 2011, during Tropical Storm Lee, Cameron Run peaked at 15 feet and flooded homes, causing the evacuation of more than 200 residents.

"We have 1,341 signatures from people who support our request. By our count, 1,193 of them are Fairfax County residents," said Huntington Community Association (HCA) secretary David Coon, who spoke about the community's "Stop the Floods" campaign at the April 12 board meeting.

During the May 22 board meeting, Supervisor Gerry Hyland (D-Mount Vernon) urged the board to include a \$30 million bond referendum for flood-prevention measures in Huntington, arguing that the county should fulfill a 40-year-old promise to protect the neighborhood.

**THE BOARD'S THREE** Republican supervisors—John C. Cook (Braddock), Michael R. Frey (Sully) and Patrick S. Herrity (Springfield)—opposed the extra bond referendum for flooding.

"I voted against the storm water bond because it only helps about 200 households in Huntington," Cook said. "It will significantly increase the value of those homes, which is good for them, but at others' expense." Cook said supervisors should have explored the option of a private developer who had expressed an interest in buying the homes and building an apartment building, which would meet current FEMA floodplain regulations.

## OPEN HOUSES SATURDAY/SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20 & 21

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42344 Astors Beachwood.....	\$838,000..Sun 1-4.....Chris Pezzana.....Weichert...703-447-1662
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# "Hey Beez; Beez, It's Me"



By **KENNETH B. LOURIE**

It was my father all right – in a dream. Standing five feet away, approximately, in a well-lit, local convenience store with which I am extremely familiar. This was no case of mistaken identity. Besides, he was wearing those blue, terrycloth shorts of his that my mother always hated. So yes, I called out to him, surprised as I was to see him, locally as it were.

It's been nearly six years since my father died. But this was the first time (of the half-dozen or so dreams I've had in which my father was present) where he did not respond to me, either verbally or physically (we've actually touched in a couple of dreams). Mostly, we've exchanged pleasantries, looks, awareness and/or acknowledgment of one another. This dream, however, offered no such comfort. It was him. It was me. But it wasn't us.

Disconcerting, unsettling, disappointing; depressing if you want to know the truth. I woke up thinking that whatever connection we had maintained since the his death in early December, 2006 had been severed somehow. Not that we spoke regularly since his passing, or that I ever had a sense of his spiritual hand guiding me, but I did feel he was sort of aware of who I was/what I was doing. Oh sure, I visit his grave site and update him – and my mother of course, on what's happening in my life, but never had I heard back, so to speak, except in the occasional dream where although nothing of substance was ever discussed or any references/inquiries made acknowledging my graveside utterances, I always felt looked after, you know what I mean?

But now, since this last dream, maybe I don't feel so "looked after." And so what? So who knows? Maybe six years is the median length of time after a loved one dies when the spiritual connection fades? Maybe six years is a world record for such relationships and maybe the next dream which includes my father will be different and my father will be cracking some of the same Henny Youngman jokes back to me that I regularly – and repeatedly, said to him after his second stroke left him semi unresponsive? He could never remember the jokes or remember hearing them, so every visit (every other day; my brother and I alternated days), I would start our visit by saying: "Hey Beez, I just came back from a pleasure trip. I took my mother-in-law to the airport." Smile, laughter. "Hey Beez, do you know I've been in love with the same woman for 30 years? If my wife finds out, she'll kill me." Bigger smile. More laughter. "Hey Beez, I just came back from the doctor; he gave me six months to live. I told him I couldn't pay his bill. He gave me another six months." "Yeah, I know that one," he'd mumble. And on and on I'd go for as long as he laughed.

We had multiple connections: sports, humor, both salesmen, words (he loved crossword puzzles); and we all got along and enjoyed spending time together. However, in this last dream, although we were together, it felt like we were apart. A part of me has accepted it and moved on; and a part of me, as reflected in this column, hasn't.

*Kenny Lourie is an Advertising Representative for The Potomac Almanac & The Connection Newspapers.*

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