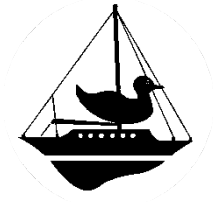


THE ULMSTEAD

Weathervane



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From the President

Well, it's quite a crazy world we are living in these days. As COVID-19 dominates the world we are doing our best to live our lives. The term "Social Distancing" is a relatively new concept but is now the new normal for the foreseeable future. Everyone be smart, safe and follow the advice from the experts on this one to slow down this pandemic from harming any of our neighbors or loved ones. I hope you are enjoying more game nights, zoom happy hours and strolls with your family.

Some community related topics:

The fix for the barn has been accepted and at this point we will just wait until our Governor lifts restrictions so that we can get it scheduled without putting anyone at risk. We will make this a priority so that once we are allowed to congregate, we will have our favorite social gathering spot as soon as we possibly can.

The community playground equipment at the beach is considered off limits. If you have young kids, please educate them that the virus can live on metal for a long time and the last thing they want to be touching is any playground equipment. Also, remind your kids not to pet other people's dogs.

We have had a couple of notices from our Security department. We all need to do our part to lock cars, remove valuables from sight, secure boats, kayaks, etc. Unfortunately, with all this extra free time criminals will be looking for advantageous opportunities.

And finally, I wanted to give a big shout-out to the kids and families of Ulmstead who have been participating in the weekly uplifting chalk art displays on driveways. I've seen some pretty impressive driveways on my walks through the neighborhood. Look for continued weekly Saturday "Chalk Walks"... thanks to Trish Brett and ALL the judges and participants for this! Check out the Ulmstead Facebook page for more information. Stay safe!!

Evan Hays
Ulmstead President
President@ulmstead.org

UCI DEPARTMENTS AND ACTIVITIES

SOCIAL

Scouts

Would you like to go camping, learn new skills, make new friends, and have fun? Once the current health crisis has passed, our troop will resume meeting every Thursday evening at 7 PM at the Gloria Dei Lutheran Church (until Ulmstead Barn repairs are complete) and will go camping one weekend every month. Come check us out! Also, we are still collecting worn out flags for a patriotic flag retirement ceremony. You can join even if you were never a Cub Scout. Contact Mike Allen for information at 410-919-8487.

NAUTICAL

Sales of trailer and kayak stickers are suspended until further notice. All UCI members may use the kayak racks and boat ramp. The combination at the ramp is XXXX. Please lock the gate after each use.

There still are open slips at Dock II. The bulletin board at Dock II shows the available slips. To select a slip download the Slip Selection package from the UCI website, email a completed copy of the slip selection form along with proof of ownership and insurance to dockmaster@ulmstead.org. Checks payable to UCI should be mailed to:

UCI Nautical
PO Box 9754
Arnold, MD 21012

Please be respectful of your neighbors and practice social distancing. Do not congregate on the piers or at the kayak racks in any manner that would prevent others from accessing their boats.

A special thank you to the men and women who worked the slip selection during these trying times. Please let them know that they are appreciated. To avoid the large turnout that normally shows up for the spring dock commissioning, a few individuals having been working to make the piers ready for boating season.

The ice eaters have been removed, cleaned and stored until next year. Repairs have been completed to the water systems at Docks II and III as well as the pump out at Dock II. These are now operational. The ice machine at Dock II will remain closed until further notice. Thanks again to all the volunteers that make Ulmstead a truly great community. May you and your families stay well.

Bill Zichos
UCI Nautical dockmaster@ulmstead.org

TENNIS

Calling all ULMSTEAD Tennis and Pickleball Players!

Spring is here... Time to renew your UCI tennis membership! Roger, Rafa, Serena and Simone may be on hold for now due to COVID-19, but we can still play (social distancing highly recommended)! The courts are exclusively for the use of current dues-paying UCI members and their families. You may bring a guest, but you **MUST ACCOMPANY YOUR GUEST** during their time on court.

Our community has made a significant investment in our courts and court surface. That combined with the fact that we have overhead lights allowing for evening play makes our courts a prized asset of our community. Our players can look forward to shade awnings for both ends of the courts, along with a new storage shed later this season.

Annual membership dues are \$150/per family.

- If you need a **replacement key**, please include \$20 with your dues. For first-timers, the cost of your key is covered in the dues, however there is a charge for replacement keys.
- Please drop your member dues into the mailbox at **658 White Swan Drive**
- Pay before **May 1, 2020** to take advantage of spring tennis - the sooner you get those dues in, the sooner you can play!

If you wish to hold a clinic or group tennis gathering, for adults or junior players, please contact Stephanie Pagoota.

For a full listing of the UCI tennis rules please visit www.ulmstead.com and click on the Tennis link on the right side of the screen. If you have any questions, please contact Stephanie at 410-925-6675 or tennis@ulmstead.org.

For Sale: All items, call Chris Heffernan 410-303-1117 or email chrisheff99@gmail.com for pictures.

- Phantom sunfish with all rigging, dagger board, rudder and paddle (Just in case!) \$250 obo.
- Crate and Barrel Bunk Bed Set with ladder, hardware and bunk board. \$250 obo.
- Yardman Snow blower. 5 HP. 22" cut. Electric start. \$200 obo.
- Kayak, 14' Old Town Dirigo 140 with removable kid seat, new paddle, cockpit cover and adjustable seat. \$350 obo.

UCI OFFICERS AND VOLUNTEERS

www.ulmstead.org

Please email any changes / updates to Weathervane@Ulmstead.org and Membership@Ulmstead.org. Thanks!

UCI Board of Directors <i>and liaison roles</i>	Evan Hays – President, Tennis/Ball Fields Jon Lane – Vice President, Nautical/Pool Scott Shepard – Membership Don Kiewitt – Beach Mike Sawyer - Security Bryan Murray – Barn
Secretary	Colin Robertson
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Assistant Treasurer	Jim Quigley

DEPARTMENTS & ACTIVITIES

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Ball Field	Bob Svehlak
Beautification	Michelle Mahan
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Tennis Department	Stephanie Freeman
Maintenance	Mark Overton
Social Activities Department	<i>Vacant</i>
Senior Activities	B. Myers, P. Konrad
Adult/Family Events	
Spring into Summer	Membership Dept
July 4th Parade & Picnic	Jessica Lane/Mike Duvall
Fishing Tournament	Richard Harrison
Ladies Wine & Cheese	Gillian Duvall
Fall Camp-out	Vincent Hardick
Guy's Beer & Brats	Scott Glubke
Wings, Chili, Homebrew	Chris Brett
Children	
Weekly Playgroup	Anne Lynch
Spring Party	<i>Vacant</i>
Autumn Party	Trish Brett
Christmas	Kathy Vavrina
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<https://sites.google.com/a/ulmstead.org/ulmstead-pool/>

President	Mike Duvall
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Membership	Lisa Gattie
Treasurer	Jenny Hardgrave
Maintenance	Mark Dupcak
Social	Corey Green & Trish Brett
Member at Large	Kerri Sodero
UCI Board Liaison	Jon Lane
Swim Team Liaison	Suzanne Vaaler

SWIM CLUB QUICK LINKS

pool@ulmstead.org

SWIM TEAM

www.UlmsteadSwimTeam.org

Directors	Lori Salamandra & Kerri Sodero
Merchandise	Denise Zucco
Concessions	Julie Brick & Courtney Dupcak
GASL League Rep	Jerilyn Deitch
Meet Manager (IT)	Liz Norton
Treasurer	Rob Wallace
Team Webmaster	Hannah Goldstein
Volunteers Coord	Alli Smith
Head Coach	Colleen Winans
Assistant Coaches	Haley Winans / Jared Reilly
Special Events	Michelle Mahan

BOY SCOUT TROOP 835

Scoutmaster Mike Allen

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Ulmstead Calendar – April 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 UCI Board Meeting 6:30 PM	2	3	4 Chalk Walk
5	6	7	8	9	10	11 Chalk Walk
12	13	14	15	16	17	18 Chalk Walk
19	20	21	22	23	24	25 Chalk Walk
26	27	28	29	30		

Reminders: UCI Board meetings are the first Wednesday of every month at 6:30PM. Email: board@ulmstead.org
 The deadline for the May Weathervane is April 25th. Email: weathervane@ulmstead.org