

THE ULMSTEAD

Weatherwane



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From the President

Congratulations on making it through 2020... and now forward to 2021 with optimism. Your UCI Board has much to share from last year and the direction we're headed in 2021. Please attend the General Meeting for a comprehensive update on everything happening here in Ulmstead.

2021 UCI General Meeting - Saturday, February 20th, 2021 at 9:00 a.m.
ZOOM MEETING: (see printed version)

(This web address will also be emailed through the usual channel to all members -just click the link and it will take you to the meeting.)

The UCI General Meeting will be held virtually because of COVID precautions. We will provide a report on the Club finances for 2020, present reports from the department managers and committee chairpersons, update the Club on the status of 2020 projects, and elect two new Board Members to three-year terms.

Whether or not you will be able to attend, we encourage you to please fill out the proxy (included as the last page of the Weatherwane), sign it, and mail it to UCI (P.O. Box 9754, Arnold, MD, 21012). Or drop off your signed proxy to UCI President Evan Hays (642 Shore Acres Road) authorizing him to vote on your behalf, or leave it with any Board Member. Appointment of a proxy does not preclude you from attending the UCI General Meeting via Zoom and voting "in person." If you appoint a proxy and attend the Meeting in person, your proxy appointment will automatically be terminated. Of course, you can also give your signed proxy to someone who will be attending. Whatever you do, please either attend or submit a proxy. **Make your voice heard.**

Some important items I'd like to communicate to prepare for the General Meeting:

- Two UCI Board Members will be outgoing. If there is anyone who would like to volunteer to serve on the Board, please email the current Board at (board@ulmstead.com) before the General Meeting so we can set aside time for you to say a few words at the meeting. Board Members typically serve three-year terms.

- If there are agenda items at the General Meeting that a community member would like to bring up it is always helpful to let the Board know ahead of time so that we can set aside time to discuss your motion.
- Voting will occur after the General Meeting at the barn about one hour after the completion of the meeting. This method is consistent with the voting procedure that took place after the budget meeting in November.
- Also, by now most of you have paid your UCI annual dues. If you forgot, by this time they are past due. Please make sure to get your dues in to our Treasurer as soon as possible, because you must be a member in good standing in order to vote at the General Meeting. If you are having trouble finding your invoice or need to update your email address, please message accountingsupport@ulmstead.org.

We look forward to seeing everyone at the General Meeting and out walking around our beautiful neighborhood as the days start to get longer and longer. Stay safe everyone.

Evan Hays
UCI President

UCI DEPARTMENTS AND ACTIVITIES

NAUTICAL

I hope this article finds everyone well. I know we are all looking forward to warmer weather and the upcoming boating season.

There are a record number of boats spending the winter at Ulmstead's marinas this year. Eleven boats are wintering over in the water at Dock 1. Winter storage fees were eliminated or significantly reduced resulting in twenty-seven trailer boats being stored on the parking lots at Docks 1 and 2 and not in driveways or yards. Just a reminder, all trailer boats must be removed from the parking lots prior to April 1st.

Slip selection has been tentatively scheduled for Saturday March 13, 2021. It seems likely that COVID will again force some adjustment to our annual season opening event. Measures will be taken to minimize the amount of in-person contact and to safeguard everyone's health. To this end, beginning February 1st, ownership and insurance documentation can be emailed to dockmaster@ulmstead.org. The 2021 Slip Selection package should be sent out by mid-February. Please make sure UCI Membership (membership@ulmstead.org) has your correct email address. To select a boat slip or store a kayak, canoe, paddleboard, etc. on racks, UCI members must be on the Nautical Priority list. Requests to be placed on this list, which must be in writing, may be sent to dockmaster@ulmstead.org.

Construction of a replacement floating dock is being coordinated by **Chris Kane**. Volunteers should contact Chris at kane1042@gmail.com.

Bill Zichos, UCI Nautical
Dockmaster@ulmstead.org

SOCIAL

Join Scouts:

Would you like to go camping, learn new skills, make new friends, and have fun? Our Troop is meeting OUTDOORS at Anne Arundel Fish and Game Club Sunday afternoons at 3:00. The Scouts have the opportunity to participate in shooting sports at our meetings. We have weekend camping trips every month, plus a one-week Summer Camp. Come check us out! You can join even if you never were a Cub Scout. Also, we are still collecting worn out flags for a patriotic flag retirement ceremony. Contact **Mike Allen** for information at 410-919-8487.

MEMBERSHIP

2021 UCI Directory updates: It's that time of year...Please email membership@ulmstead.org with any changes to your entry. Submission deadline is March 13 at slip selection (Kathy will be there).

Luminary tradition: Ulmstead was ablaze this year on Christmas day thanks to the Luminary tradition. Thank you to all residents for participating in this annual event. And a huge thank you to all the volunteers for delivering the supplies and supporting this event. The spirit of Ulmstead is indeed alive and well. Stay healthy friends, and Happy New Year.



Welcome to our newest Ulmstead families! (see printed version)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The “Souper” Bowl

We’re hosting a local food drive February 4th until February 7th (collection ends at 11am) on Super Bowl Sunday. We’ll be supporting **My Brother’s Pantry** food bank, which serves the Broadneck Peninsula. There will be friendly competition between local neighborhoods - Bayberry, Bay Hills, and Stonington, among others.

How do we win, you ask? Each donated item is worth 1 point; packages of diapers are worth 2 points.

Drop donations to: 953 Lynch Drive starting Thursday Feb 4th thru 11am on Feb 7th. We will have a bin outside the garage which will be labeled and brought inside during the night for security.

What should you contribute? My Brother's Pantry accepts nonperishable food items and has expressed specific need for the daily living items below:

shampoo & conditioner / hand soap / hand sanitizer / body wash / feminine hygiene products
(pads, tampons) / deodorant / toothpaste / dish soap / toilet paper (4 roll packs only please)

Questions or to set up drop off prior to Feb 4th, email Molly Wood at freitag02@yahoo.com. Thank you!



We would like to express our thanks to the walkers who helped Don after his fall on Lynch Drive. We don't know who you are, but we appreciate the spirit of community and caring that led to your lending a hand.

Don & Anneke Thompson

**Everybody has a story.
Broadneck High School PTSO wants to hear yours...**

...and pass it along
so everyone will know
what it's like

as a
student
teacher
sister
brother
father
mother

person

during a global pandemic.

The **PTSO** invites the Broadneck High School community
to share their perspective
in the form of a paragraph, poem, picture, prose, really, anything goes,
to be used in a 20/21 storybook collection for the Broadneck High School library.

Any questions and all submission, please email: president.bhsptso@gmail.com

The PTSO will collect submissions through 3.13.21. By submitting, you agree to have your entry published in a book for the Broadneck High School library with no expectation of compensation. Pending total entries, the PTSO will consider using the book for a school fundraiser.

Obituary of Matthew Edward Overton

10 June 1936 - 12 January 2021

976 Placid Court

Matthew Edward Overton was born in Los Angeles June 10, 1936. During the war, his parents owned and operated a cattle ranch near Tehachapi, CA, where he learned how to hunt and operate a tractor, among other things. After the war, his family moved back to Los Angeles until the family relocated to La Paz, in Baja, Mexico, in 1954. Matthew would attend Black-Foxe Military Institute in Los Angeles, which included many notable alumni. During the Christmas and summer breaks, he would drive the thousand miles from Los Angeles to La Paz, mostly on dirt roads, to visit his parents and sister. Because of the time he spent in La Paz, he became fluent in Spanish, a skill which would serve him well during his many adventures driving the dirt roads of Baja. He also became an avid sailor and skin diver.

After graduating from Black-Foxe, he attended the University of Arizona where he completed his Associates Degree in English. He was drafted into the Army and was honorably discharged after two years at the end of 1962. During his time in the Army, he became a clerk typist and was a member of the “chairborn division” as he liked to call it. His last year in the Army was spent in St. Louis where he would process all of the St. Louis Cardinal baseball players when they had to complete their two weeks of reserve duty. He never missed an opportunity to tell anyone who would listen just how close America came to WWII during the Cuban Missile Crisis.

After his service in the Army, he returned to Los Angeles where he met his future wife from Denmark, Else. During the 57 years they were married, they had a son and a daughter. Matthew spent most of his professional career as an automobile and property claims specialist with various insurance companies in the Los Angeles area. He loved nothing more than to go behind closed doors in a judge’s chamber and haggle over the value of a claim with a personal injury lawyer. He lived for those moments and got to know several of the judges very well. Even after he retired, he would be called in to help resolve highly complex insurance claims from time to time.

After retiring, he and his wife traveled extensively, and he dedicated his time to his family, especially his grandchildren who affectionately called him “Far-Far” which is Danish for “Father’s Father.” In 2009, Matthew and Else moved to Arnold, MD, where they became very involved in a community church, made many new friends, and did lots of local travel and road trips. One of his favorite activities was to spend time reading books out loud to his wife. He had a marvelous sense of humor and also had a passion for reloading and vintage firearms. Matthew had an amazing command of the English vocabulary and instilled in both of his children the importance of keeping up to date on events, keeping an open mind, and maintaining a high standard of ethics. He also had a passion for supporting young men who came from single parent families and loved serving as a surrogate father by getting them involved in various outdoor activities including camping trips to the Mojave Desert and Baja, Mexico.

Matthew Edward Overton was a devoted husband, stalwart father, gentle grandfather, charismatic storyteller, and loyal friend to many. He was a man of (mostly) good and oftentimes sardonic humor, and a never-ending supply of sharp witticisms. He was a charming, charismatic gentleman with a great many adventures and unique stories to his name. He was a man who lived for storytelling and harbored a great love of travel, crossword puzzles, and devotion to his family. He was, at times, a quiet, thoughtful, and tenderhearted soul who listened to those around him and offered his support.

Matthew is survived by his wife, two children and four grandchildren. Those who knew him will attest to the legacy he left behind.

UCI OFFICERS AND VOLUNTEERS

www.ulmstead.org

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

UCI Board of Directors
and liaison roles

Evan Hays – President, Tennis/Ball Fields
Jon Lane – Vice President, Nautical/Pool
Scott Shepard – Membership
Don Kiewitt – Beach
Mike Sawyer - Security
Bryan Murray – Barn
Colin Robertson
Bert Kelly
Renee Kelly

Secretary

Treasurer

Assistant Treasurer

INDEPENDENT ORGANIZATIONS

ULMSTEAD SWIM CLUB

<https://sites.google.com/a/ulmstead.org/ulmstead-pool/>

President	Mike Duvall
Vice President	Sharman Devaney
Secretary	Tracy Seybert
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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DEPARTMENTS & ACTIVITIES

Barn Department	Nicole Roberts
Maintenance	Bryan Murray
Beach & Shore Department	Pat Shay
Reservations	Ginny Vernick
Nautical Department	Bill Zichos
Dock Party	Jessica Lane
Scenic Department	<i>Vacant</i>
Ball Field	Bob Svehlak
Beautification	Michelle Mahan
Security Department	JP Rue
Tennis Department	Stephanie Pagoota
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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2021 UCI General Meeting PROXY

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UCI Annual Meeting Proxy for February 20th, 2021

I, _____,

live at _____





and I am a member in good standing of Ulmstead Club Inc. ("UCI"). I am unable to attend the UCI General Meeting on February 20th, 2021 and I authorize (check one)

☐ _____ to vote on my behalf regarding the matters at this meeting.

☐ Evan Hays, UCI President, to vote on my behalf according to the recommendation of the UCI Board regarding all matters at this meeting.

Signature of UCI Member in Good Standing

Ulmstead Calendar – February 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1		3 UCI BOARD MEETING 6:30 PM	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14 	15 	16	17 	18	19	20 UCI GENERAL MEETING 9:00AM Via Zoom
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
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Reminders: UCI Board meetings are the first Wednesday of every month at 6:30PM. Email: board@ulmstead.org
The deadline for the **March** Weathervane is **February 24th**. Email: weathervane@ulmstead.org