# BAYBERRY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION, INC.

## **President's Corner**

#### **Paper Copies of Newsletter Are Available**

Along with our transition to a digital newsletter, we have printed a small number of paper copies for those that are unable to view the content online or wish to continue reading a paper version. We have set up stands at a few locations (Antonio's, Kinney's, Bagelicious, Tiny Bubbles, and Dr. Barth's Office), however, they may be closed or have limited hours due to COVID-19. In addition, Judy McVity will have copies on hand (315-652-6093). We plan to have additional locations available at a later date.

### **Property Upkeep and Town of Clay Codes**

As yard work season quickly approaches, we want to remind neighbors of the Town of Clay Codes regarding rubbish and overgrowth. From the Town of Clay website:

- It shall be a violation of this chapter for the owner of any real property in the Town of Clay to permit, maintain, deposit or scatter rubbish over any premises.
- It shall be a violation of this chapter for the owner of any real property to permit or maintain on any such lot or land, inclusive of the land between the curbline and lot line, any growth of brush, grass, or weeds, higher than 10 inches.

For more information or to review the Town of Clay Codes, visit: https://www.ecode360.com/CL1598

Judy McVity, BCA President

# 2019-20 BCA Scholarship Applications Due Soon!

Each spring, the BCA gives back to the community by awarding a \$500 scholarship to a deserving student who currently lives in one of the association's member communities. The main criteria for the scholarship is based on community service and volunteerism by the applicant. Edge Federal Credit Union will award an additional \$500 scholarship to one of our applicants. Scholarships will be awarded at our June meeting.

Please remember, the applicant's parent or guardian must reside in a Bayberry Community and be a paid member of the Bayberry Community Association for the current membership year (2019/2020). Dues must be paid by Dec. 31, 2019.

You can send your dues to PO Box 2184, Liverpool, NY 13089 or pay via Paypal at the link on our website. To download the application, visit our website or go to **www.tinyurl.com/bcascholarship2019**.

# Look for our 2020-2021 Officer Ballot on Page 2

## NEXT BCA MEETING:

Sunday, May 3rd\* at 7:00 p.m. United Church of Christ 215 Blackberry Road

Meetings open to all residents!

## **SAVE THE DATE!**

Scholarship Applications Due by April 15

> Spring Garage Sale May 16\*

Child Car Seat Safety Check June 20\*

\*We will keep you up to date on the status of events as needed based on the current COVID-19 recommendations.

More details will be shared in upcoming newsletters and online.

More info on meetings and events will be posted on our website, Facebook page, Nextdoor, and Twitter as the dates draw near.

## bayberrycommunity.org

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> NEXTDOOR: bayberryny.nextdoor.com

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# BCA March 2020 Treasurer's Report

Since we are currently unable to hold our monthly board meetings, our current Treasurer's Report can be viewed online at: https://tinyurl.com/MarchTreasurersReport

As of March 31, 2020, our Scholarship Fund balance is \$1,764.16, our Money Market Account holds \$21,709.22, and our Business Checking Account balance is \$1,218.73. For details and the full report, please visit the link above.

# **School Affairs**

Liverpool Central School is offering a 4 year old expanded pre-K program for the 2020-2021 school year. Your child must turn 4 between Dec. 2, 2019 and Dec. 1, 2020, to be eligible. While applications were due by March 15 to be considered for the initial selection process, you can still submit your application to be added to the wait list in case seats were not filled in the first round. The LCSD website has the application and more information about the program.

# Welcome New Neighbors!

Our Welcome Committee Chair, Linda Raitt welcomed 7 new BCA families over the last few months. Please welcome our new neighbors on Berrywood Road, Cardinal Path, Forrester Road, Gulf Line, Holly Lane, Indian Orchard Lane and McIntosh Street!



# It's Time to VOTE for Next Year's BCA Officers!

This year, we are offering two ways to vote for your 2020-2021 BCA Executive Board Officers. You can fill out a form online at **https://tinyurl.com/2020BCAballot** or submit the form below by mail. Two adult BCA paid members of each home are eligible to vote. The results will be counted on May 3, 2020.

#### BCA BALLOT FOR THE EXECUTIVE BOARD FOR 2020-2021

Two adult BCA members of each home (paid members) are eligible to vote. Two ballots are provided here. Ballots are not transferable. They will be counted on May 3, 2020. Please circle the candidate of your choice or write in a nominee, clip & place in a sealed envelope with your return address to verify membership. Please mail to BCA, P.O. Box 2184, Liverpool, NY 13089 no later than April 28, 2020. The following persons have been nominated for office for the BCA Executive Board:

Pres	ident: Michael Becker 1st V Secretary: Pe	ice President: Mike Banks ggy Howard Treasurer: I	2nd Vice President: Juliann Kyle Adams	e Pease
		••• Cut and mail to address above •••••		
BALLOT 1: Circle one of	or write in new candidate			
PRESIDENT	1ST VP	2ND VP	SECRETARY	TREASURER
Michael Becker	Mike Banks	Julianne Pease	Peggy Howard	Kyle Adams
Write In: PRESIDENT	1ST VP	2ND VP	SECRETARY	TREASURER
BALLOT 2: Circle one of				
PRESIDENT	1ST VP	2ND VP	SECRETARY	TREASURER
Michael Becker	Mike Banks	Julianne Pease	Peggy Howard	Kyle Adams
Write In:				

# Earth Day Litter Clean-up Cancelled But YOU CAN STILL HELP!

Due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, OCRRA has canceled its 2020 Earth Day Litter Cleanup event. In accordance, the BCA will also cancel its planned Bayberry Area Cleanup previously scheduled for Saturday, April 25th in order to comply with current group event and social distancing regulations. Unfortunately, our Winter season's accumulation of litter will not disappear on its own. We can only suggest that those residents who participate in an occasional neighborhood fresh air walkabout, bring a litter bag to pick up small litter items for disposal with your weekly home trash pickup. Hopefully, over time, we can collect as much litter as we do in our annual three hour event.

Please stay safe and healthy during this trying time!

# **BCA Spring Garage Sale!**

Looking to sell your unwanted items? Then start cleaning out your closets and basements because it's time for another BCA garage sale! Our community-wide Spring Garage Sale will be held from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, May 16. We will post a list of participating homes on our website and social media pages the weekend prior to the event.

If you would like your listing to be included, email your address and a short description to **bayberrynews@gmail.com** by Friday, May 8.

# **Child Car Seat Safety Inspection**

The annual Child Car Seat Safety inspection will be held on Saturday, June 20 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Bayberry Plaza parking lot . The Onondaga County Sheriff's Department will again come out and check car seats to make sure that they were properly installed and make sure that the safety seat isn't expired.

If possible, please bring the owner's manuals for the car seat and your vehicle. These two sources of reference aid the Sheriff's Department with making the inspection flow smoothly and in a timely manner.

### PLEASE NOTE THAT THE CUT OFF TIME FOR THE LAST INSPECTION IS 12:30 P.M.

# Upcoming Event Disclaimer

We will keep you up to date on the status of events as needed based on the current COVID-19 recommendations.

# Bayberry Couple Lend A Hand

Isaac Budman and Stephanie Keefe are making face shields using 3D printers for health care workers on the front lines of the fight against COVID-19. Many people have downloaded the FREE template and instructions the couple created to make the shields using 3D printers.

Last week U.S. Representative, John Katko picked up 360 face shields from the couple for delivery to healthcare workers.

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Welcome Chair	Linda Raitt	

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