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Your JULY 4TH Celebration !

Come and Celebrate July 4th! Join in with our annual community parade, followed by magic and field games at our community pool. Fun activities for the entire family, all sponsored by your Civic Association.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

OUR COMMUNITY PARADE

Strathmore Elementary School — 12 NOON

Registration at Noon — Parade at 12:30pm



Y'all are encouraged to join in! The parade begins at Strathmore Elementary, heads up Beaverwood Lane to Birchtree Lane, then down Birchtree, and turns onto the footpath to go to the Pool Pavilion. Paraders should register to ensure access to the magic show and field games.

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Pool Grounds – 2:30 to 3:30 pm

The field fun and games begins at 2:30 pm. Try your hand at the water-balloon toss, sack race, three-legged race, and more. You can participate, whatever your age – senior, tween, junior, baby! Come out and enjoy!

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For Information or to help with the July 4th Celebration, please contact:

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The volunteer form can be found on page 18



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The SBPCA is a voluntary association, funded by membership dues, that represents our community to County Government and various other groups such as the Montgomery County Civic Federation. The SBPCA also publishes *The Bugle*, organizes the annual Yard Sale, and 4th of July festivities. The SBPCA Board of Directors meets on the fourth Tuesday of each month at 7:30 pm at the Mid-County Community Recreation Center on Queensguard Road. The Civic Association's annual meeting is in November just before the BPRA annual meeting.

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Bel Pre Recreational Association (BPRA)

The Bel Pre Recreational Association (BPRA) is the homeowners association for most of the Strathmore at Bel Pre properties. The BPRA runs our community's pool, tennis courts, volleyball courts, playground, picnic area, bath house, snack bar, and pavilion, which are generally open Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day. BPRA Board & committee meetings are announced at <http://strathmore-belpre.org/bpra>. Board meetings are normally the 1st Tuesday of each month at 7:30 pm (Bel Pre Elementary School, room 161 or 138, for December to April & October; Pool pavilion for May to September) – for more details, see page 10 of this issue of *The Bugle*. The annual General Membership meeting generally is held on the Thursday before Thanksgiving Day at 7:30 pm, in the Bel Pre Elementary School multi-purpose room.

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The President's Corner

by Nancy Bechtol

President, Strathmore Bel Pre Civic Association

Summer Time Speed

Everything just goes so fast this time of year. Our last edition of *The Bugle* just came out and reached your mailboxes, and already we are turning out another edition! How Chris Swan and Elliot Chabot manage all this we just don't know, but we thank them profusely for all of their efforts in keeping our community informed through this newsletter. This speed is required because our summer events, which began with our fabulous 35th Annual Yard Sale and the Dolphin 5K run, are all tightly packed together. In this edition, you will find news our 4th of July events, as well as our summer entertainment series plans. Our swim team is in the thick of their very fast season, and we wish them all the best as they swim to their maximum potential. So, hold onto your hat and hopefully our summer doesn't fly by too fast for us to enjoy these activities.



Community ListServ!

One of the great treasures in our neighborhood is our Listserv. Created over 6 years ago by JOHN BOGASKY, the listserv has grown to become an essential community resource, with over 275 subscribers. John continues to oversee its operation to make sure it functions properly.

Our listserv has much content, fun, and news. This year, listserv members reported minute to minute coverage of our major snowstorm in February. Many wrote in when to access the county's plow schedule online. We hear from KYE PAK the second any crime happens in our neighborhood, such as a home robbery. We hear from JACKIE FARY-MOELLER about the Boy Scout activities, and from ELAINE DYNES regarding Brookside Garden's activities. Our local nature lovers like JIM FARY and CECILY NABORS keep us posted regarding mosquito control, red-shouldered hawk nests or water snake activity. I want to put Cecily in for a writing award as her accounts of nature in our Woodlands are simply beautiful to read. I actually met a few new neighbors one day when I was searching for the hawk's nest near Bel Pre School. I found myself, along with 3 other neighbors, all looking for the same thing that day, after having read Cecily's listserv account of this activity.



Useful Recommendations Galore!

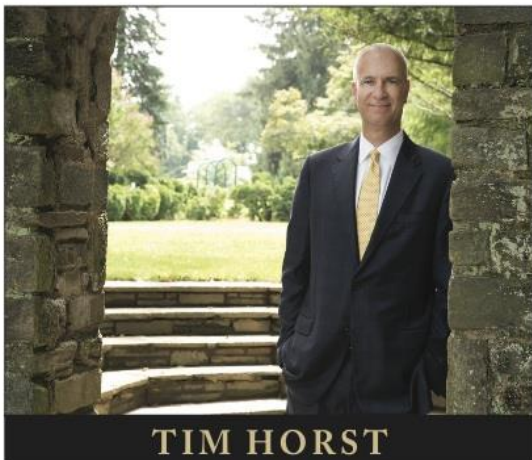
Do you wonder who is the best electrician or plumber to call if you need these services? Perhaps you need a tree care company to help you, or a roof replaced? You can find excellent recommendations from PAULETTE LADAS, DAN KEATING, and so many others on this listserv.

My last impression that I want to leave with you regarding our listserv occurred one snowy winter day when RITA VAUGHT sent the link to the videocam at the National Arboretum, for the Bald Eagles, whose eggs just had hatched into young baby eagles earlier that week. I had heard about this in the news, and there it was in my inbox, and Rita made it so easy for us all to check it out the new eaglets.

Please sign up today if you haven't already done so; you will not be disappointed and you do not want to miss all this action!

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Boy Scout Troop and Cub Scout Pack 763

By Jackie Fary-Moeller



The boy scouts and cub scouts of Unit 763 spent Saturday morning of Memorial Day weekend honoring the veterans in our local community. It has become an annual tradition for us to place an American flag by the grave site of every veteran buried at the Gates of Heaven cemetery.

This is a very meaningful activity for the boys and their parents. They learn a great deal about the armed forces, as service members of every branch can be found at the cemetery. We honor veterans who served in every war since World War I to the present, as well as those in the Coast Guard, Army Air Force, and also Army nurses.



The scouts would like to thank Ms. PAULETTE LADAS of RE/MAX Town Center for providing the financial support for this activity by covering the cost of the American flags.

Join Cub Scouts Pack 763

If you are interested in joining our pack, please

contact Cubmaster BILL TOTTON at wandst@juno.com or JACKIE FARY-MOELLER at jfarymoeller@aspengroves.com.

July 4th Parade!

Join us as we march in the July 4th parade, from Strathmore Elementary School to the Pool Pavilion. Not only is our July 4th event a good time to reflect on being an American, we have fun at the pool!

Bel Pre Recreational News

by Elliot Chabot
President, Bel Pre Recreational Association

Pool Open for the Summer

The pool opened for the 2016 season on Saturday, May 28, the Saturday before Memorial Day. This is the pool's 48th Summer season!

New swings and pull-up bars have been installed and repairs have been made to the Pirate Ship and other children's play equipment. The gutters on the pavilion have been cleaned and the drains have been snaked and reconstructed. New calking has been installed throughout the pool deck and around the pools and much of the decking has been power washed. The gates to the parking lot have been repaired. Additional lighting has been installed in the pavilion - with more to come later this year. We've also begun the process of replacing the old umbrellas with new ones.

Work is in progress to improve landscaping throughout the pool property. Repairs to the pump room are scheduled to begin later in the year.

• Thanks to the many volunteers who have made all this happen and are continuing to make this happen, including JOE MOELLER, GREG MILLER, KYE PAK, BILLY RUPERT, TED BECHTOL, ANDY WRIGHT, and PAUL SPELMAN.



Pool Hours

Pool hours for the season
(slightly adjusted from the May *Bugle*):

May 28 to June 17 (last Friday of school):

Sunday	Noon to 8 pm
Monday-Thursday	3 pm to 8 pm
Friday	3 pm to 9 pm
Saturday	Noon to 9 pm

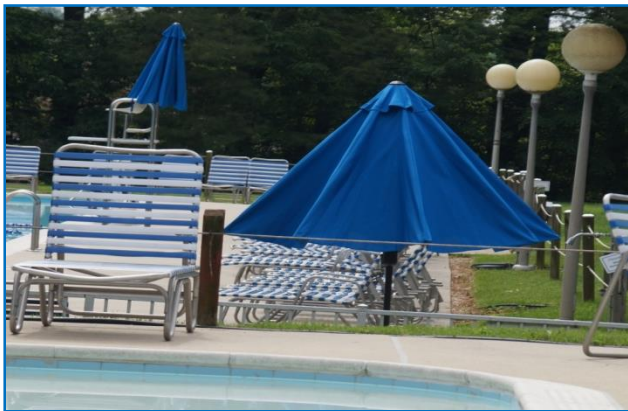
June 18 to August 28 (school vacation ends):

Every day	Noon to 9 pm (except July 4th)
July 4 th	Noon to 6 pm

August 29 to September 5 (Labor Day)

Monday-Thursday	3 pm to 8 pm
Friday	3 pm to 9 pm
Saturday, Sunday & Labor Day	Noon to 9 pm

Changes to hours will be announced at the pool, on the Civic Association listserv, and at <http://Strathmore-BelPre.Org>.



In addition to the pool, the volley-ball court, pavilion, ping pong tables, foosball, children's playgrounds, and book lending library will be open the same hours as the pool.

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50 Plus Club Meetings

by Maury Potosky

The 50 Plus Club completed its Winter and Spring activities with meetings and a trip to Toby's Dinner Theatre to view South Pacific. We all had a great time.

Now we are preparing our Summer season of meetings at the BPRA pool pavilion. Meetings will be held on Wednesdays, June 15, July 13, and August 17, at the pool, at 6 PM. We will be bringing our dinners and members of the Club will be providing desserts.

We invite those residents of Strathmore Bel Pre, who wish to participate in our activities, to join us at our meetings, where we will be enjoying ourselves, the lovely pool and surroundings, and planning our activities for the summer and autumn. As of now, we are scheduling a trip to Toby's on Wednesday evening, September 14, to see Sister Act. Details will be forthcoming. We look forward to seeing you. Please call us at 301-460-9008.



THE BULLETIN BOARD – Updates from your neighborhood schools

Will return in the Fall Issue of *The Bugle*

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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Dolphins at the Pool!

by Claire Pak

Welcome to Summer 2016! The Dolphins are back in the pool, and we hope to see you there, too. By the time you read this, our season will be in full swing. Practice began on Wednesday, June 1, but it's not too late to sign up. If you're still interested in participating, please EMAIL TERRY KOMINSKI or any member of the board, and we'll be happy to provide you with information. Swimmer registration is online:

<http://www.active.com/silver-spring-md/water-sports/swimming/sbp-dolphins-summer-2016>.



Meet our 2016 Coaching Staff:

TERRY KOMINSKI — Head Coach and Dolphins legend. Terry was a Dolphins swimmer, and she also swam for her college team at the University of Tampa, where she earned a Bachelor's degree in Exercise Science. In addition to serving as Dolphins Head Coach for over 25 years, Terry has been teaching and coaching children and adult swimmers at the Aspen Hill Club for over 20 years, and she coached the John F. Kennedy High School swim team for 17 years. Terry's Dolphins have earned many Divisional championships and Saum-Hilton awards. We are very lucky to have her at the helm this year.

LILAN MILLER — Assistant Coach. A Dolphins graduate, Lilan served as a Developmental Coach for three years and is starting her third year as AC. She is a past Swimmer of the Year and Most Valuable Dolphin with many All-Star and Divisionals appearances to her credit, and she is a rising senior at the University of Maryland. Lilan is certified as both a lifeguard and a pool operator and has many years of lifeguarding experience.



WINSTON MILLER — Developmental

Coach. Winston is a senior Dolphins swimmer who will graduate this year. His Dolphins career includes many Divisionals and All-Stars appearances, and he is returning for his third year as a Developmental Coach. He is a graduate of the Kennedy High School swim team and a rising sophomore at the University of Maryland. Winston has a great gift for teaching even the youngest and most reluctant

swimmers. He is also an experienced lifeguard and pool operator.

KAYLA GEARY—Developmental Coach. Kayla will also graduate this year after a long and distinguished Dolphins swimming career, and she is returning for her third summer on the coaching staff. She is a graduate of the Sherwood High School swim team, has made many appearances at Divisional meets, and has been recognized with several coaches' awards. She is also the creative force behind our beautiful Paper Plate Awards. Kayla is a rising sophomore at Albright College

SARAH STAGGS — Developmental Coach. This is Sarah's first year as a Developmental Coach. She is a long-time Dolphins swimmer who has made many Divisionals and All-Stars appearances, and has received a number of coaches' awards. Sarah is a member of the Northwood High School swim team, a newly certified lifeguard, and one of the Dolphins' all-time most popular Big Buddies.

We are very proud of our coaching staff! They are all certified lifeguards and accomplished swimmers. We're lucky enough to have 4 out of 5 returning coaches, so they have experience as well as talent and energy. Terry, Lilan, Winston, Kayla, and Sarah are all dedicated to our team and our children. We're very happy to have all of them for another great season!

Dolphins on the Run!

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2nd Annual Dolphin 5K Run!

We are also very happy that the 2nd Annual Dolphin Run was such a big success. The Dolphin Run is now an established SBP tradition. We look forward to many more years of 5K fun on Memorial Day.

THANK YOU to all of our neighbors, volunteers, and especially our sponsors for supporting the event. Race results are here:
http://www.collegeparkcares.com/dolphin_5k_results_2016.shtml.

Congratulations to our overall winner, ARISTEDES VILLATORO, who ran this very hilly course in a blistering 18:10; and congratulations to all of our age group winners and the rest of our top ten finishers:



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UTKARSH PATEL
EDWARD DOUGLASS
CONROY ZIEN
RENARD BROWN
CASEY MCKNEELY
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Congratulations to all and we hope to see you again next year!

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Summer Entertainment Series

In the May *Bugle*, I mentioned that we were looking at adding a 4th movie to this summer's Summer Entertainment Series.

Thanks to KYE PAK and our Dolphins Swim Team (with funding by the Strathmore Bel Pre Civic Association), we will be showing *The Sound of Music* on Saturday, August 6 at sundown at the pool.

The 2016 Summer Entertainment Series schedule:

- June 18 movie How to Train Your Dragon 2
- July 9 movie Night at the Museum 3: Secret of the Tomb
- July 23 live music Motor Driven
(featuring PAUL STAGNITTO)
- August 6 movie The Sound of Music
- August 20 live music The Bubbas
(featuring ELIZABETH AND PHIL KOMONSKI)
- September 3 movie Minions



If you are a member of the Bel Pre Recreational Association (BPRA) or of the Civic Association, admission is free. The Snack Bar plans be to open late on each of these nights - serving outstanding food and snacks!

•Thanks TO JOHN & SHELLY BOGASKY, CHRIS SWAN, KYE PAK, CHARLIE & LINDA BEA, LILLA HAMMOND, PAULETTE LADAS, TIM HORST, TED & NANCY BECHTOL, MAURY & CHARLOTTE POTOSKY, LARRY & RITA VAUGHT, SUSAN & MAX BRONSTEIN, and all the other volunteers who have made the Summer Entertainment Series possible.

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Tennis Courts and Pavilion Use

LOUISA HOAR, our Pavilion reservations, tennis court keys, & pool passes coordinator, can assist you with these matters. Call her at (301) 871-2954. All BPRA members are welcome to use the tennis courts next to the the pool year round. If your household does not have a key to the tennis courts, and you would like to have one, then contact Louisa. BPRA members are welcome to use the Pool Pavilion for family gatherings, meetings, parties, celebrations. Contact Louisa to reserve the Pavilion, and to learn about the rules and regulations regarding its use.



BPRA Board meetings

All members of the BPRA are welcome to attend the meetings of the association's Board of Trustees. Time is normally set aside at the beginning of each meeting for members of the association to address the Board. The schedule for the rest of 2016 and early 2017:

BPRA Board Meeting Date and Time	Location
Tuesday, June 21, 7:30 pm	Strathmore Bel Pre Pool Pavilion
Tuesday, July 5, 7:30 pm – tentative	Strathmore Bel Pre Pool Pavilion
Tuesday, July 19, 7:30 pm	Strathmore Bel Pre Pool Pavilion
Tuesday, August 2, 7:30 pm	Strathmore Bel Pre Pool Pavilion
Tuesday, September 6, 7:30 pm – tentative	Strathmore Bel Pre Pool Pavilion
Saturday, September 17, 10 am (includes end-of-season property walk-through)	Strathmore Bel Pre Pool
Tuesday, September 20, 7:30 pm (includes preliminary budget adoption)	Bel Pre Elementary School, room 138 or 161
Tuesday, October 4, 7:30 pm	Bel Pre Elementary School, room 138 or 161
Wednesday, December 7, 7:30 pm to 7:55 pm (includes election of officers)	Bel Pre Elementary School, room 138 or 161
Tuesday, January 3, 2017, 7:30 pm (includes adoption of final 2017-2018 budget)	Bel Pre Elementary School, room 138 or 161



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General Membership Meeting

The Annual General Membership meeting for 2016 is scheduled for Thursday, November 17, at Bel Pre Elementary School, in the multi-purpose room. The Civic Association will hold its annual meeting from 7 to 7:30 pm and the BPRA will hold its annual meeting starting at 7:30.



Annual General Membership Meetings Date change?

Since 1986, the BPRA and the Civic Association have been holding their annual general membership meetings on the Thursday before Thanksgiving. A suggestion has been made to hold the meetings in October before daylight savings time ends each year, to improve attendance at the meetings. If you have a preference, please let the boards of the BPRA and Civic Association know (board member's e-mail addresses are listed on page 2 of *The Bugle*), or post a comment on the Strathmore Bel Pre community listserv. Holding the BPRA annual meeting before November 1 would require a change in the BPRA by-laws, but that's certainly doable if strong interest in changing the date is found.

Town Hall Meeting

A Town Hall Meeting (jointly sponsored by the BPRA and the Civic Association) is scheduled for Wednesday, December 7, at 8 pm, at Bel Pre Elementary School.

For current information on Board of Trustees meetings and meetings of the Association's committees, see the BPRA website at <http://strathmore-belpre.org/bpra/>.



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Library News

by Chris Swan and Elliot Chabot



Caribbean-American Heritage Celebration – June 18, 2016 – 2:00 to 4:30 pm

The eighth annual Caribbean-American Heritage Celebration will be held at the Aspen Hill Library on Saturday, June 18th. Caribbean music will be provided by Distant Thunder with dancing provided by White House Studios featuring Caribbean Dance Traditions. Bring the whole family. Admission is free!

Summer Reading 2016 – On Your Mark, Get Set: Read

Aspen Hill Library Programs in the Library Community Room:

June 18 11 am -12 noon	Jacks are Wild, Summer Reading Kickoff
June 25 11 am -11:30 am	Reptiles Alive
June 27 5 pm - 6 pm	Montgomery Agricultural Fair visit
June 29 5 pm - 6 pm	Cathy Fink and Marcy Marxer Concert
July 6 5 pm - 6 pm	Rope Warrior
July 12 4 pm - 5 pm	John Hadfield's Comedy Variety Show

For the latest program listings, visit the Library or go to

<http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/Apps/Libraries/branchinfo/ah.asp>.



Summer Reading is for Kids and Adults!

New this year— Adults can participate in their own Summer Reading Program. “Exercise your mind: Read” is the theme. Sign yourself up when you sign up the kids, or join with your friends and family! Both the adult and children’s summer reading sign-ups are online at <https://montgomerycountymd.beanstack.org/reader>.

Libraries and Mini-Renovations

The Aspen Hill Library now will close AFTER the General Election in November, since it is a polling place for the Election. The exact closing date will be announced later this year. It is anticipated that the Library will be closed for some 4 to 6 months, while the Library undergoes a mini-renovation, also called a “refresh”. The Library will get new furniture, new shelving in the Children’s Room, and new bathrooms. It will not grow in physical space, or get new walls, computers, etc.

The 2 other Libraries scheduled for their mini-renovations, Little Falls and Davis, will close in July: Davis closes July 16th and Little Falls closes July 9th. Their mini-renovations are expected to take 6 months.



Aspen Hill Friends Book Sale— September 24th

Due to the Library refresh, the Friends Fall Book Sale will be in September and not in November! Selection will be good, as new donations arrive daily. Prices will be very low, to blow-out the books, since the Library is closing.

If you would like to donate used books, CDs, or DVDs for the Aspen Hill Friends of the Library Book sales, e-mail the Friends at aspenhill@folmc.org, or call us at (301) 871-1113. The Aspen Hill Friends is a 501(c)(3) organization, so your donations are tax deductible.

Dolphins on the Run

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Division Winners:

M 0- 8 Tyler Kominsky & David Dorsey	F 0- 8 Claire Purdy
M 9-10 Billy Spelman	F 9-10 Tessa Miller
M 11-12 Aaron Siegle	F 11-12 Sara Gillick
M 13-14 Carson Taylor	F 13-14 Olivia Miller
M 15-18 Aristides Villatoro	F 15-18 Julianne Boyce
M 19-29 Adrien Downey	F 19-29 Lilian Miller
M 30-39 J Edwards	F 30-39 Elizabeth Kominski
M 40-49 Conroy Zien	F 40-49 Lucia Acin-Andion
M 50-59 Patrick Williams	F 50-59 Terri Scadron
M 60-69 Elliot Chabot	F 60-69 Jan Wiser
M 70-79 Jeff Zien	F 70-79 ---
M 80-99 ---	F 80-99 Suzy Zien



Thank you also to our sponsors, including:

- ♥ PAULETTE LADAS, ReMax Town Center, #1 Dolphins supporter and generous patron of all neighborhood groups and organizations, especially those that benefit children.
- ♥ The Angel's Garden Assisted Living Home
- ♥ EagleRider of DC (JAY STAGGS)
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Many other families also made generous individual contributions; far too many to list here. Thank you to everyone for your continued support!



We are very excited to be in the thick of another fun swim season, and we'd love to welcome more families to the team. Please contact any member of the Dolphins board for more information.

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See you at the pool!

President's Corner

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You can Volunteer?

Thanks to all of the Dolphin 5K and Yard Sale organizers and operators. These activities do not plan themselves and would never happen without the volunteers in our neighborhood who do all this work. The SBP Civic Association and the SBP Swim Team are always in need of more volunteers to help with all of their planned activities. Please consider joining either group and becoming someone who makes a difference in our neighborhood. It is fun and you will feel good!



Safe Homes and Neighborhood Security

Officer SHARIF HIDAYAT, of the Montgomery County Police Department will be speaking at the Strathmore Bel Pre Pool Pavilion on Wednesday, June 22, at 7:30 pm.

Officer Hidayat is the Community Services Officer for The Montgomery County 4th Police District. The 4th Police District operates out of the Wheaton Police Station at Georgia Avenue and Randolph Road, and covers the entire Strathmore Bel Pre community. He will be joined by Montgomery County Police Detective KYE PAK, BPRA Trustee and Community Leader, who also works out of the 4th Police District.

The officers will discuss neighborhood safety, crime prevention and awareness, offer safety tips, and answer questions.

The program is being sponsored by the Bel Pre Recreational Association, the Strathmore Bel Pre Civic Association, the Dolphins Swim Team, and the 50 Plus Club.

Come and join us on the 22nd!



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2016 Strathmore Bel Pre Summer Calendar

~ May/June/July 2016 ~						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	Pool Hours May 28 to June 17: Mon to Thur 3 to 8 pm Fri 3 to 9 pm Sat noon to 9 pm Sun noon to 8	Pool Hours June 18 to August 28: Every day noon to 9 pm July 4 th noon to 6 pm	Pool Hours Aug 29 to Sept 4: Mon-Thur 3 pm to 8 pm Fri 3 to 9 pm Sat & Sun noon to 9 pm			
June 5	6 Swim team pm practices all week	7 Georgian Forest ES PTA Rec. Association Board meeting	8 Lee's Kitchen fundraiser for Strathmore Bel Pre PTA	9	10	11 Yard Sale (rain date) A.H. Friends of the Library meeting
12	13 Swim Team pm practices all week Aspen Hill Library Advisory Committee meeting	14 	15 50 s Plus Club Pool Pavilion 6pm	16	17 Swim Team Pasta Party No Swim Team pm practice	18 Swim Team A Meet @ SBP A.H. Library summer Reading Kickoff 11 am and 2pm Caribbean Heritage Celebration Movie Night How to Train Your Dragon 2
19	20 MCPS Last Day of School Longer Pool Hours begin today	21 Swim Team am practices begin Swim Team Buddy Breakfast Rec. Association Board meeting 7:30 pm	22 Neighborhood and Home Safety talk Pool Pavilion 7:30 pm	23	24	25 Swim Team A Meet MVP@SBP Reptiles Alive 11 am Aspen Hill Library
26	27 Agricultural Fair Visit 5 pm Aspen Hill Library	28 Swim Team Swimathon (am and pm practices) Civic Association Board Meeting 7:30 pm	29 Swim Team B Meet Cathy Fink and Marcy Marxer Concert Aspen Hill Library 5 pm	30	July 1 Swim Team Pasta Party No Swim Team pm practice	2 Swim Team A Meet SVA@SBP
3	July 4th! Pool open 12 noon to 6 pm No Pool Guest Fees Memorial Meet 8 am Parade 12 noon Entertainment 1 pm Field Games 2:30	5 No am Swim Team practice Rec. Association Board meeting (tentative) 7:30 pm	6 Swim Team B Meet Wheaton Woods @SBP Rope Warrior 5 pm Aspen Hill Library	7	8 Swim Team Pasta Party No Swim Team pm Practice	9 Swim Team A Meet SBP@PR Move Night Night at the Museum 3 – Secret of the Tomb
10	11 	12 John Hadfield's Comedy Variety Show 4 pm Aspen Hill Library	13 Swim Team B Meet To be arranged 50 s Plus Club Pool Pavilion 6pm	14	15 Swim Team Pasta Party No Swim Team pm Practice	16 Swim Team A Meet SBP@HCC Swim Team Dolphin Dance

2016 Strathmore Bel Pre Summer Calendar

~ July/August/September 2016~						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
July 17	18 Swim Team 8U Practice Swim Team Divisionals Practice	19 Swim Team 8U Practice Swim Team Divisionals Practice Rec. Association Board meeting	20 Swim Team Jelly Bean Meet Swim Team Last 8U Practice Swim Team Divisionals Practice	21 Swim Team Divisionals Practice am and pm	22 Swim Team Pasta Party with Paper Plate Awards Swim Team Divisionals Practice am	23 Swim Team B Division Championships @ SBP Concert Night: Motor Driven Band (Paul Stagnitto)
24	25 Swim Team All-Stars Practice am	26 Swim Team All-Stars Practice am Civic Association Board Meeting	27 Swim Team All-Stars Practice am Swim Team Awards Banquet	28 Swim Team All-Stars Practice am	29 Swim Team All-Stars Practice am	30 Swim Team PMSL All-Stars West Arundel Swim Club
31	August 1	2 Rec. Association Board Meeting	3	4	5	6 Movie Night: Sound of Music
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16 	17 50 s Plus Club Pool Pavilion 6pm	18	19	20 Concert Night: The Bubbas (Phil and Elizabeth Kominski)
21	22	23 Rec. Assoc. Board Meeting (tentative)	24	25	26	27
28	29 MCPS School Year Starts Shorter Pool Hours begin	30	31 	September 1	2	3 Movie Night: Minions
4	5 Labor Day Pool closes 9 pm No Pool Guest Fees	6 Rec. Association Board Meeting (tentative) Elementary School PTA Meetings	7	8	9 	10 Aspen Hill Friends of the Library Meeting
11	12	13	14	15	16	17 Rec. Association Board meeting (at the pool)
18	19	20 Rec. Assoc. Board Meeting (preliminary Budget to be adopted)	21	22	23	24 Aspen Hill Library Book Sale 10 am to 4 pm

2016 Summer Entertainment Series

Four Movies this Year!!

Thanks to the generosity of the Swim Team, and KYE PAK, the Strathmore Bel Pre Civic Association will show a 4th movie this Summer! Admission is free for all Strathmore Bel Pre Residents. In the event of rain, movies will be shown the next evening, i.e. Sunday evening. **Be sure these movies are on your calendar NOW!**

**Saturday
June 18th
How to Train
Your Dragon 2**



**Saturday
July 9th
Night at the Museum 3 –
Secret of the Tomb**



**Saturday
August 6th
The Sound
of Music**



**Saturday
Sept 3rd
Minions**



Keep the Summer Entertainment Series Going!

The SBPCA Summer Entertainment Series is made possible by the generosity of our sponsors. **But, we need your support** to cover the costs of licensing movies, hiring performers, and maintaining our equipment.

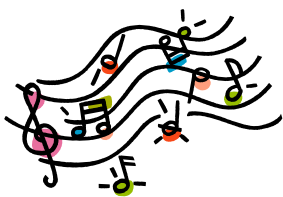
The SBPCA Board thanks those sponsors, shown below, who support our Entertainment Series! But we have room for more!

You can be a BAND LEADER! A SUPER FAN!

If you can make a donation, please contact Civic Association Treasurer JOHN BOGASKY at johnbogasky@hotmail.com or contact any other SBPCA Board Member.

Summer Entertainment Series Sponsor Levels

SBP Superstar	\$500
Community Champion	\$250
Oscar Winner	\$100
Band Leader	\$50
Super Fan	\$10 to \$25
SBP Superstar	\$500



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					Super Fans
And Our Host - The Bel Pre Recreational Association					



Two Music Nights for 2016

July 23 **Motor Driven** – featuring PAUL STAGNITTO
August 20 **The Bubbas** – featuring ELIZABETH & PHIL KOMINSKI

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Strathmore Bel-Pre – 2016 July 4th Celebration!!

The Strathmore
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The Celebration
team needs your
help. We need
your assistance!

Please see the
form below for
several ways
you can help!



Please volunteer to make
our community's July 4th
Celebration special **this**
year by selecting from the
list below.

We welcome your ideas and
talents!

- ☐ Parade Committee
- ☐ Entertainment
- ☐ Decorations, Signs
- ☐ Field Games

**Help make our July 4th
Celebration the best yet!
Thanks!**

THANKS!



Help Our Community Celebrate July 4th 2016

YES! Count me in! to help with the Strathmore Bel Pre July 4th Celebration.

NAME _____

PHONE/E-MAIL _____

_____ **PARADE**.....11: 30 - 1:00 pm (Registration and Safety)
_____ **ENTERTAINMENT**.....12:30 pm - 2:30 pm
_____ **FIELD GAMES**.....2:00 pm to 3:30 pm)
_____ **DECORATIONS & SIGNS**....Before July 4th ☺



To volunteer:

Call Joe Fry at 240-271-3317 or Bill Hammond at 301-509-4621

Or email: w.m.hammond@verizon.net

THANKS VERY MUCH! THE JULY 4TH CELEBRATION TEAM