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Virtual AFCA Meeting—Native Plants and Trees

AFCA invites you to join our monthly Zoom meeting on Wednesday, March 20, at 7 p.m. Sue Huff, possibly joined by Cheryl Roesel, will discuss the native plants placed last year in the traffic circles on 2nd St. in Northside. Both Sue and Cheryl are Arlington Regional Master Naturalists. Sue will show a list of the plants, including wood phlox, Carolina rose, gray goldenrod, and more. She will also share spring gardening tips.

To join the meeting, you can participate through Zoom by entering the following URL into your browser

between 6:50 and 7 p.m. on Wednesday, March 20: <http://tinyurl.com/4xn4cdy4>. (If you have never used Zoom, you can view a short tutorial at <https://zoom.us/resources> by clicking on Joining & Configuring Audio/Video.) Alternatively, you can dial in to the meeting at 301-715-8592, where you will be prompted to enter meeting number 834 5952 6748 and passcode 664425. You might also be prompted to hit the # sign one or more times. This call-in number will be active starting at 6:50 p.m.

AFCA February 2023 Meeting

By Janet Irwin and Char Mahoney

On February 21, AFCA President Esther Bowring convened our monthly virtual AFCA meeting with about 21 households in attendance. The meeting focused on school issues, but the school board did not send a representative due to scheduling conflicts. However, Greenbrier VP Tom Smialowicz presented slides from the board with an overview of board responsibilities and the division of labor for each board member, including civic associations, schools, and committees assigned to each member. Dave Priddy is currently the school board liaison with Arlington Forest.

Tom briefly reviewed the school board's strategic plan, annual budget, and boundary policy for Arlington Public Schools (APS), along with the county's capital improvement plan (CIP). The current strategic plan is for 2018-24, with work underway on the plan for 2024-30 and a board vote scheduled for June. The board invites public feedback on the strategic plan online at Engage with Arlington Public Schools or by email at engage@apsva.us. The school board is also working on the school budget for 2024-25, released on February 29; public input is invited online at Budget—Arlington Public Schools and at public hearings on March 14 and April 23, with budget adoption planned for May 9. A funding shortfall projected by Arlington County could lead to difficult and

potentially controversial school budget tradeoffs.

In addition, the school board is proposing changes to its policy for school boundaries to clarify the specific reasons for initiating boundary changes (such as changes in student enrollment numbers); please note that the board is *not* proposing any actual school boundary changes. Find out more online at Revisions to School Board Policy B-2.1 Boundaries—Arlington Public Schools, where you can also comment until March 29.

The county's CIP operates on 2-year cycles to fund building and facility maintenance and construction for the school system and all other county facilities; the Arlington County Board will vote on the next CIP in

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June. The new CIP is expected to include three to five feasibility studies for specific schools or other facilities. The Arlington Career Center is the major focus of the next CIP, but hopefully Barrett and/or Barcroft School will be targeted for one of the feasibility studies. The school board uses a facility condition assessment (FCA) to set priorities for capital investments in schools and inclusion in future CIPs. The FCA evaluates 41 APS facilities, assigning scores or rankings across multiple variables and categories. You can find the FCA online at Long-Range Plan to Renovate Existing School Facilities—Arlington Public Schools.

Other topics discussed at the AFCA meeting included ongoing traffic concerns, particularly about N. George Mason Dr. Temporary traffic restrictions at N. George Mason and N. Park have increased congestion at the intersection of N. George Mason with N. Henderson Rd., especially at the start and end of each Barrett school day. Congestion is likely to continue until a new traffic light is installed at N. Park, planned for later this year. Speed cameras will also be installed this year across the county, including on N. George Mason. Esther reported on the Arlington 2050 Initiative kickoff meeting she attended on February 5, where a panel discussion projected a vision for Arlington's future (for more, see the article on page 7).



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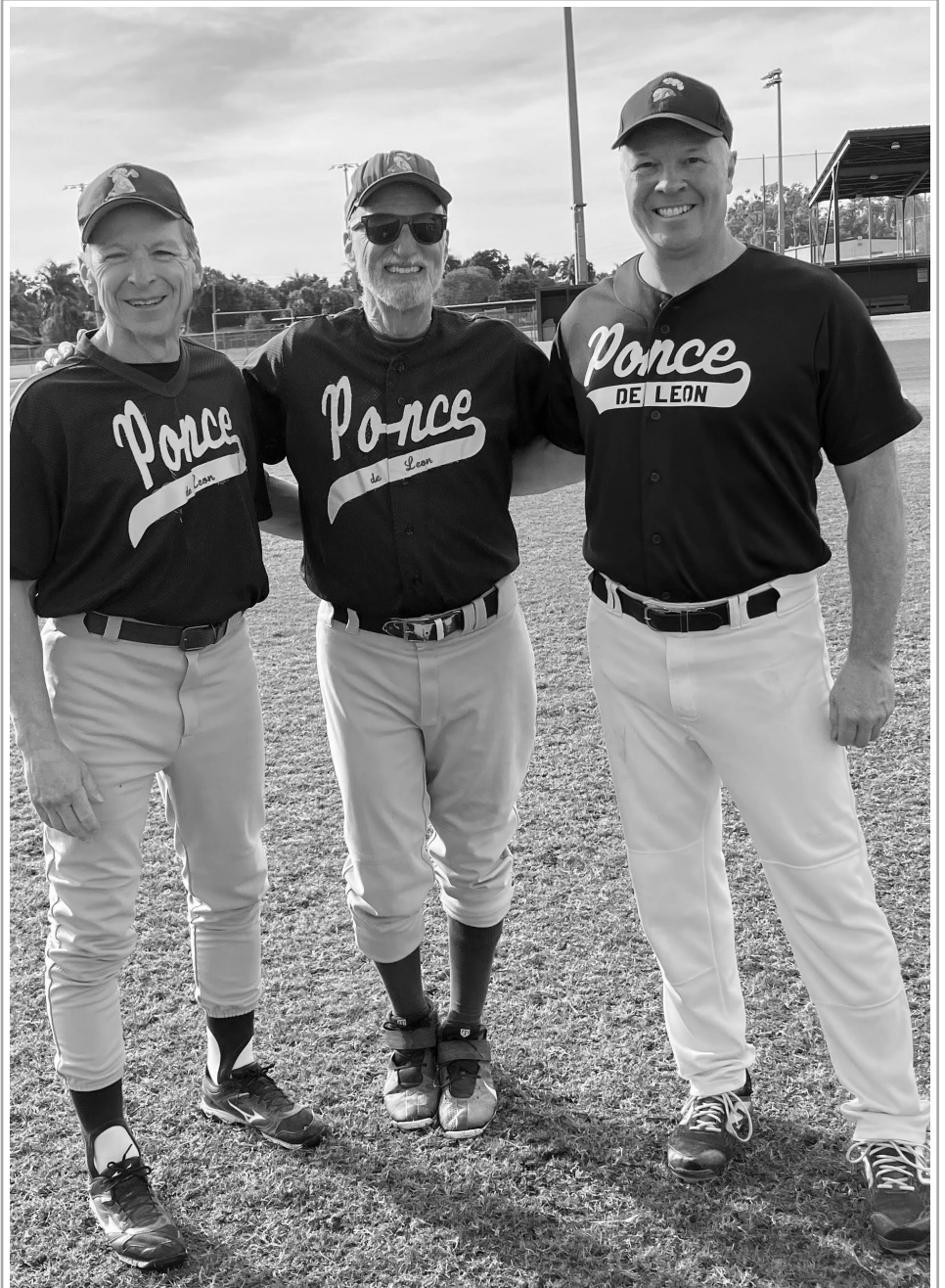
By Art Schwartz

Three Foresters from the 100 block of North Columbus St.—Matt Eichler, Kent Brown, and Art Schwartz—found hopeful signs of spring in late January when they traveled to Fort Myers, FL, to play in the Annual Ponce de Leon Baseball Tournament. Six teams with players ranging in age from their 30s to their 70s competed in eight six-inning tournament games, batting practices, and fielding drills over 5 days. Matt and Art's team took home the bronze while Kent's team made it to the championship game. Matt was voted his team's Most Valuable Player, and Kent won his team's Spirit of Ponce Award. Congratulations, guys!

Ponce de Leon Baseball, founded over 30 years ago, is an adult baseball league in the DC metropolitan area that plays nine-inning (or three-hour) games on weekends at various county and high school fields in northern Virginia and Maryland. The league has multiple teams and player divisions based on age (30+, 48+, and 60+). Everyone is welcome, regardless of skill level, and everyone plays in every game. You can find out more at www.poncedeleonbaseball.com.

Art Schwartz also plays in the Northern Virginia Senior Softball League (NVSS). The NVSS, founded in 1980 and based in Fairfax County, is a co-ed league for men over 50 and women over 40. The league is organized into three divisions based on ability. Each new player gets an onfield assessment (based on hitting, throwing, fielding, and running) and is then assigned to the appropriate division. Again, everyone is welcome, regardless of skill level, and everyone plays in every game. The games (seven-inning double-headers with a snack break between games) are played on Tuesday and Thursday mornings on Fairfax County softball fields from early April until late October. You can find out more at www.nvss.org.

Both leagues—Ponce de Leon Baseball and the NVSS—are looking for new players; seasons for both start in April. If you have questions about playing Ponce de Leon Baseball or NVSS softball, please contact Art Schwartz at arthur.edward.schwartz@gmail.com.



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The American Red Fox



The piece, abridged and amended, is based on an on-line article by Alonso Abugattas, Arlington County Natural Resources Manager, at <https://capitalnaturalist.blogspot.com/2013/>.

The red fox (*Vulpes vulpes*) is the most widespread carnivorous mammal on Earth, with 45 subspecies. Our American version (*Vulpes fulva*) crossed from Eurasia into North America during the Ice Ages, but red foxes in our area are also descended from the English red fox. Fox hunting was popular in Virginia and other former British colonies; Mount Vernon featured regular fox hunts, and George Washington is considered the father of the American foxhound, a breed he helped to develop (and the Virginia State Dog). Apparently, our native gray fox (*Urocyon cinereoargenteus*), due to its preference for deep woods and its tendency to climb trees to escape trouble, was not considered suitable for fox chases. English red foxes were introduced instead, and when European colonization opened forested habitats enough for native red foxes from other parts of North America to move in, our local red fox was born.

Red foxes are very adaptable, feeding not only on rodents (their preferred food) but also on fruits, carrion, insects, and other small animals. They very rarely (if ever) bother pets; adult cats and dogs are simply too dangerous for them. Red foxes are very inquisitive, investigating anything new in their neighborhoods and using their superb senses of smell and hearing to find food even when buried under snow. They sometimes find clever ways to obtain food; for example, foxes in suburban neighborhoods often know when trash day is,

regularly checking out garbage collection areas, in part for any rats or mice around. The most commonly heard fox vocalization is high-pitched yips at night; during winter breeding season, you might also hear eerie fox screams in the dark.

Except during breeding season, red foxes almost never use dens; they sleep on the ground, their thick fur coats providing ample warmth and their tails like blankets or scarves for cold noses. However, they will dive into groundhog burrows to escape predators like coyotes. Foxes are very susceptible to sarcoptic mange, with the mites causing loss of fur and helping to control fox numbers in our area. This leads to reports of unusual animal sightings because foxes can look very different when their fur falls off, especially if they bite at infected parts.



Building Arlington Forest



The article is abridged and adapted from John Naland's 2015 History of the Arlington Forest Community. Fay Rosado, Alice Letzler, and Louise McCue wrote the piece for the 1968/69 edition of John's book.

Most of the 852 homes in Arlington Forest were built by Meadowbrook, Inc. The architect for the initial homes was Robert O. Scholz. Ground was broken in 1939 for the first homes, built in what is now Southside. In 1940, Meadowbrook built additional homes in what is

now Northside on what had been part of the Henderson estate [about 470 acres of Arlington farmland owned by the John B. Henderson family in the early 1900s]. In a few years, daisy-covered fields and open woodland were converted into neat rows of brick colonial homes. In those years, Arlington was still mainly rural, with clusters of houses here and there amid large estates like the Henderson and adjoining Cathcart tracts. The neighboring garden apartment development, Buckingham, was among the first large-scale housing developments in the county.

Earlier, in 1936, another builder on the same site had planned a subdivision to be known as Parmalee. Problems prevented construction, and the property was bought by Meadowbrook. Parmalee had been registered at the Arlington courthouse with a covenant reflecting the rural character of Arlington. Among other things, the covenant prohibited "such nuisances as stables, pig pens, temporary sheds and buildings, high fences and billboards" along with "fuel tanks above ground, saloons, taverns, night clubs, or other places of commercial amusement or entertainment" as well as "chickens, hogs, cows, horses, goats or other livestock, or animals, excepting only house pets."

Additional homes were built in what is now Greenbrier in 1941. The shopping center was constructed in 1941. The first business opened was the Forest Delicatessen. Other homes adjoining Greenbrier were built in 1949 by M.T. Broyhill; they, along with a semicircle of homes on S. Edison St., became known as the Broyhill Addition. In March 1959, the Arlington Forest Citizens' Association accepted as members the residents of a small group of newly constructed homes on 2nd St. N. between N. Pershing Dr. and Henderson Rd. In 1968, several homes were also built on 1st St. N. near Carlin Springs Rd.



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Forest Succession in Arlington Forest Park

By Hutch Brown

Arlington Forest Park is the grassy area with scattered trees across from the Arlington Forest Shopping Center. An acre in size, the park is a remnant of an ecosystem common in our area before European settlement: savanna—grassland with scattered trees. Centuries ago, seasonal wildland fires burned through grasses close to the ground, keeping savannas open by taking out most trees. The few scattered trees that remained were adapted to dry upland sites, with bark thick enough to withstand low, fast-moving fires.

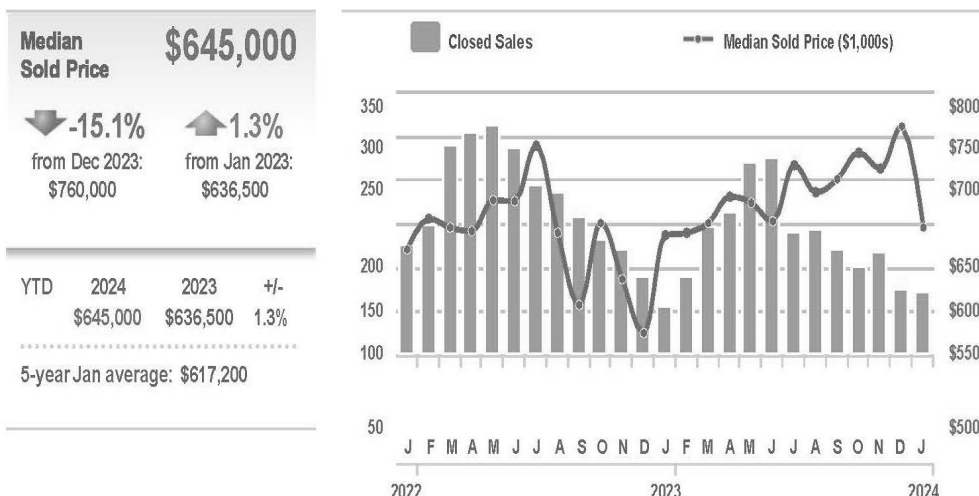
Today's park has the same kinds of dry-site trees: white oak and chestnut oak. A condition called oak decline killed some of the oaks a few years ago; the county left some dead oaks standing as habitat for birds and insects, and young oaks are coming up to replace



them. Park stewards are helping to preserve the site's character by removing other types of trees that are seeding in, such as invasive Bradford pear.

But you can still see signs of natural succession. What ecologists call pioneer (or early-successional) trees—the first species to colonize open spaces—are finding a foothold in Arlington Forest Park. They include eastern red-cedar (actually, a kind of juniper) and at least two pine species, Virginia pine and shortleaf pine. Pines and junipers are now scattered across the park; and, because wildland fire no longer plays its ecological role, the site could soon be covered by them. County managers plan to remove pines and junipers to preserve the open woodland; but, with so many of them springing up, they have their work cut out for them.

In Arlington County, VA, January 2024, the median sold price for all properties for January was \$645,000, representing an increase of 1.3% compared to \$636,500 in 1/23. **For single family homes the average median price in Jan. 2024 was \$1,297,650** – up 9.2% from Jan. 2023. The closed sales in 2022 peaked in May, and in 2023 it was June.



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Arlington 2050 Initiative

The article is based on a summary by Daniel Egitto in ArlNow on February 6.

On February 5, a panel discussion moderated by Arlington County Board Chair Libby Garvey with about 150 attendees kicked off a county initiative envisioning what Arlington will look like in 2050. Panelists included Jason Samenow, a meteorologist and weather journalist at The Washington Post; Hamilton Lombard, a demographer at the University of Virginia Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service; Steve Hartell, vice president of public policy at Amazon; and Gregory Washington, president of George Mason University.

Arlington's 2050 forecast calls for hotter summers and more intense precipitation. From 2041 to 2070, Arlington is expected to average at least 65 days per year above 90 degrees, compared to about 40 such days today. The county can mitigate the impacts by planting more trees and investing in surfaces that reflect heat. Heavy rainstorms are expected to result in more flash flooding like we had in July 2019. The county can respond by rerouting traffic and redirecting floodwaters during torrential rains.

Another challenge is people leaving in search of less expensive places to live. With more people able to work remotely in rural areas, Arlington will need to find more reasons

for people to stay. In terms of livability, community, and intermodal transportation, the county remains an excellent place for companies such as Amazon. Arlington will have to keep pace with how artificial intelligence is changing markets; one way is by working with universities and industries to train people for rapidly changing jobs. A tenfold increase in internships for young people would help keep what students learn in college from becoming obsolete by the time they graduate.

At the end of the meeting, attendees described their visions for Arlington, such as a range of housing options, a low office vacancy rate, diverse communities, and a strong social fabric. Libby Garvey asked for ideas about how to finance the changes needed to meet the challenges ahead. She encouraged residents to submit postcards envisioning Arlington in 2050. You can find out more and see the panel discussion online at Arlington 2050: Envisioning Tomorrow.



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Plant a Tree



Help keep the “forest” in Arlington Forest! A goal of Arlington’s Forestry and Natural Resources Plan is to preserve and expand tree cover in Arlington. The county is doing its part by maintaining young trees on the grounds of the Lubber Run Community Center and by recently planting native saplings on the treeless Northside buffer strip along Arlington Blvd.

Spring and fall are the best times to plant. If you have lost a tree or want to add a new one, you can get

financial assistance. In addition, if you notice a spot on public land that needs trees, you can notify the county.

AFCA Tree Grant Program: AFCA provides up to \$125 to help cover the cost of buying and planting a canopy tree (including delivery). You can qualify for grants on up to two trees, with various native trees to choose from. To qualify, all you need is to be paid up on your 2023-24 AFCA dues. For the application form, go to www.arlingtonforestva.org and click on the AFCA tab. Act now—grants are limited.

Tree Planting Program—EcoAction Arlington: Through a county program administered by EcoAction Arlington, you can get a native tree planted on your property at no cost to you—and possibly apply it for a credit on your stormwater utility bill. You can choose from various trees, both large and small. The spring application deadline is past, but details on applying for the fall will open this spring, with an application deadline in June. For more information, check out Tree Planting Program—EcoAction Arlington online.

Arlington County Tree Planting Program: Do you know a barren spot around town that could use a tree? A park, library, or recreation center? A buffer strip for a service road? If so, you can let the county know by filing an online tree planting request. You can file a request at Arlington County Tree Planting Program using the county’s “Report a Problem” tool.



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Four Universal Landscape Goals

By Doug Bellamy

The article is adapted from Homegrown National Park.

Every landscape must perform four ecological functions if we are to achieve a sustainable relationship with the natural world that supports us. (Continuing to insist on landscapes that do not sustain Mother Nature is not and has never been a realistic option.) It's really very simple: our landscapes must do the things that enable ecosystems to produce the life support we and every other species require, including (1) supporting a diverse community of pollinators throughout the

growing season, (2) providing energy for the local food web, (3) managing the watershed in which they lie, and (4) removing carbon from the atmosphere, where it is wreaking havoc on the Earth's climate. How well a landscape accomplishes these four goals depends on how well we, as landscape managers, choose and deploy the plants on our landscapes.



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Barcroft School News

By Samantha Bell

The PTA sponsored some fun events in February. There was Adult Night Out and In Person Auction on February 3 with snacks, drinks, music, and a silent auction. The PTA set up a hot drink bar on Valentine's Day for the teachers and staff. A lot of families and winners were at Barcroft Bingo Night on February 22. The PTA also recognized APS Crossing Guard Appreciation week: each Barcroft crossing guard, bus driver, and bus driver attendant received a Dunkin Donuts gift card and thank you card from the PTA. The PTA online auction was a huge success! Thank you to everyone who participated and donated!

Barcroft families attended the VOICE (Virginia Organized for Interfaith Community Engagement) community event at Kenmore Middle School on February 7. This was a community-organizing action event taking a stand to prevent overdoses among our youth in Arlington. The community asked Arlington



VOICE community event



Bingo Night

County to allocate \$2 million in afterschool programs for students to help keep students away from deadly drugs and substances. An online article on the event is at <http://tinyurl.com/5azu5u3s>.

Upcoming PTA events include Parent/Teacher Conferences on March 14-15; a Rain Barrel Workshop on March 19; the Fiesta de Amistad (Friendship Party) on April 12; a Book Fair on April 29-May 3; and Teacher Appreciation Week on May 6-10. You can support the Barcroft PTA by linking your Harris Teeter card at www.harristeeter.com/together-in-education. The Harris Teeter Barcroft code is 4238; you need to relink every year. Follow us on Twitter

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County News

Proposed Property Tax Increase

In late February, Arlington County Manager Mark Schwartz proposed raising the tax rate for Arlington homeowners by 1.5 cents per \$100 in assessed property value. He said that the increase was needed to offset declining office real estate assessments and to help meet Arlington's goals. His proposed \$1.62 billion budget for next fiscal year would increase spending by 4.7% over this year. The Arlington County Board has not raised homeowner tax rates since the coronavirus pandemic began in 2020.

Black Heritage Map

Stay Arlington, Arlington County's economic development department, has posted a downloadable map called African American Heritage Sites & Experiences, with links to Black culture and history in Arlington. The 34 sites you can visit include Arlington House in Arlington National Cemetery, the John M. Langston mural on Langston Blvd., and the Hall's Hill Wall erected in the 1930s to segregate the historically Black community of Hall's Hill from newly built White suburban communities. You can find the map at stayarlington.com by clicking on "things to do" and then "history."

Traffic Safety Project on Glebe Road

The Virginia Department of Transportation is planning a study of N. Glebe Rd. between Columbia Pike and I-66 to assess safety, multimodal, and operational improvements for the corridor. An open house on March 6 introduced the project to residents, who asked questions and offered comments. Find out more online at Glebe Road STARS Study; email your comments to meeting-comments@vdot.virginia.gov by March 20 (referencing "Glebe Road STARS Study" in the subject line).

Ranked-Choice Voting

The Arlington County Board voted in March to adopt ranked-choice voting for the single open seat on the board in the November general election. County board chair Libby Garvey will not seek reelection, so her seat will be open; Arlington will become the first jurisdiction in Virginia to adopt ranked-choice voting for a general (as opposed to offyear) election.



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Parks Update

W&OD Trail Closure

On February 19, a 6-7 week detour of the W&OD trail near Sparrow Pond began. Four Mile Run Trail, previously closed to complete outfall work as part of Sparrow Pond renovation, was open again for use. The W&OD Trail detour directed cyclists and pedestrians to the re-opened Four Mile Run trail from near the trail juncture with S. Park Dr. to the juncture with 9th St. S in Barcroft. The trail closure allows workers to complete Sparrow Pond renovation.

High Water Alternate Route

In heavy rains, the concrete stream fords on the Four Mile Run Trail can flood. The two fords below the juncture with 9th St. S. are especially prone to flooding. During and after heavy rainfall, it's safest for cyclists and pedestrians to leave the Four Mile Run Trail for S. Arlington Mill Dr. just to the south and follow it down to Columbia Pike, where you can safely rejoin the W&OD Trail.

Ravens Are Back

A pair of ravens is nesting again on a support for the Route 50 bridge over Four Mile Run in Glencarlyn Park. Although the common raven is native to Virginia, its home range is largely restricted to the Appalachians, so having a local nesting pair is new. Ravens look like crows, only bigger, and they have a deeper call resembling a croak. You might see crows harassing the ravens or mobbing our local hawks and owls.

Invasive Weed Pull

On February 24, about a dozen volunteers led by Lubber Run Park Steward Stephanie Martin gathered in the afternoon at the Lubber Run Amphitheater. The volunteers spent an hour and a half pulling invasive weeds in Lubber Run Park under the auspices of the Arlington Regional Master Naturalist Program. They worked on the northern end of the park below Greenbrier, focusing mainly on English ivy and wineberry and leaving a huge pile of weeds for disposal by Arlington County.

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Why "Greenbrier"?

"Southside" and "Northside" (built in 1939 and 1940, respectively) are obvious directional names for sections of Arlington Forest—but "Greenbrier" for the section added in 1941? According to the March 1945 issue of this newsletter, "Hereafter the new section will be referred to by your President as the Greenbrier section." AFCA's president at the time, Elton J. Layton, might have derived the name from one of the longer streets, N. Greenbrier, named by the developer (Meadowbrook, Inc.) for reasons unknown. Greenbrier is a common vine in our local woods; Greenbrier is also the name of a river and county in West Virginia, home to Greenbrier College and the luxurious Greenbrier resort.

Spring e-Care

Held this year on March 23, 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m., at Wakefield High School (1325 S. Dinwiddie St.), the Arlington Environmental Collection and Recycling Event is a biannual dropoff event where you can safely dispose of household hazardous materials and old electronics. You can drop off paints, pesticides, batteries, automotive fluids, lawn and garden chemicals, and more. It's for Arlington residents only, so bring ID. Learn more online at Arlington e-Care.

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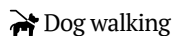
While traversing the woods in Lubber Run Park, a Forester found a fossil embedded in a metamorphic rock called Antietam quartzite. Known as *Skolex linearis* ("wormrock in lines"), the fossil is the trace of a burrow formed by a wormlike creature in offshore sands more than half a billion years ago. The creature used tiny tentacles to filter nutrients from marine currents overhead. Offshore sands held billions of these animals, and you can easily find the fossils today, especially on gravel bars along our local streams.

Bunny Hop

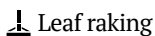
The annual Arlington Bunny Hop is a family-oriented 5K race and run/walk that raises money for local charities. The race features medals for children and winners in various categories. This year's race is on April 13 at the Clarendon United Methodist Church, with Bridges to Independence as the beneficiary. You can learn more and register at <http://arlingtonbunnyhop.org>.

Kids for Hire

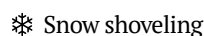
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Community Calendar

Next AFCA meeting: Wednesday, March 20, 7 p.m.

Neighborhood Spring Cleanup: Saturday, April 20

Annual AFCA Picnic: Wednesday, May 15, 2024

Annual Yard Sale: A Saturday in May, 2024

Turnaround Day: A Saturday in June, 2024 (tentative)

AFCA Meetings

March 20, 2024: Native trees and gardens

April 17, 2024: Pedestrian/traffic safety

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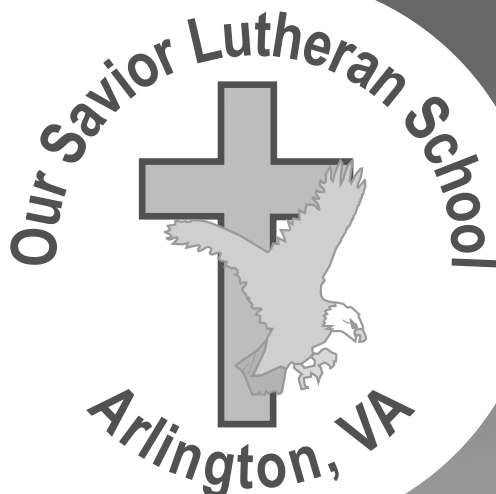
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