

# GBIA



# NEWS

April 2015

Next General Membership Meeting  
Tuesday, April 14, 2015 7:00 p.m. GBIA Hall

## *GBIA Memorial Day Parade*

The GBIA Memorial Day Parade will take place on **Sunday, May 17th at 2:00 pm**. We enjoy the benefits of freedom every day and this parade is our small way of paying tribute to those who have made the Ultimate Sacrifice so that we may enjoy the rewards.



Organizations that would like to participate should complete an application that can be found at [www.gbia.org](http://www.gbia.org) and return no later than **May 1, 2015**. Applications can be mailed, faxed (410-766-6818) or email Candy Fontz at [CFontz@aol.com](mailto:CFontz@aol.com).

Volunteers are needed for the staging area at Corkran Middle School or along the route on Crain Highway. If you have questions, Candy Fontz can be reached at 410-760-2093 or at [CFontz@aol.com](mailto:CFontz@aol.com)

## *2015 GBIA Budget*

At the January general membership meeting, a motion was made and seconded to accept the 2015 GBIA Operating Budget.

The GBIA would like to thank the Budget Committee for their time and efforts in preparing the budget for our organization.

## *2015-16 GBIA Board Members*

At the general membership meeting on January 13, 2015, Andy Werner, Gary Falls, Dolores Call, Brenda Kelly, and Marian Johnson were elected after the GBIA Secretary cast one unanimous vote.

Senator Edward DeGrange swore in the new Board Members that were present.

## ***Monthly Speakers***

January 2015 **Anne Arundel County Department of Aging**

Ms. Mary Chaput and Ms. Susan Shelton spoke to the general membership regarding the Family Caregiver Support Program, Respite Care and Assisted Living programs that are available for Anne Arundel County seniors and vulnerable adults. Both ladies shared details on the roles they offer and provide. If you would like more information, you may reach the Department of Aging at 410-222-4257.

April 14, 2015 **Fire Chief, Allan Graves**

May 12, 2015 **Police Chief, Timothy Altomare**

October 2015 **County Executive, Steve Schuh**

If anyone has an idea or topic regarding a guest speaker for the general membership meetings, please contact the GBIA at 410-766-6760.

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# Happy Spring

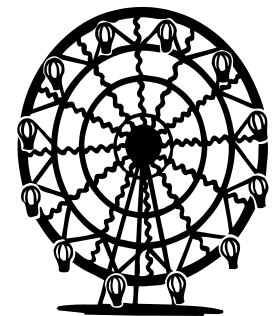
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## **The Big Glen Burnie Carnival**

Friday, July 31st through Saturday, August 8, 2015  
CLOSED ON SUNDAY



It is hard to think that in a few months the Glen Burnie Carnival will be upon us. We have had a hard winter and it seems like spring will never come, but the flowers are blooming and summer plans are being made.



Please make sure to mark your calendars for the dates listed above and come out to enjoy eight nights of fun, eat some good food, try games of chance, play some Bingo, ride some rides, and see friends you might only see once a year.

If you are interested in volunteering one night or all eight nights, please contact the GBIA at 410-766-6760.

## ***GBIA Fireworks***

On the evening of **Friday, July 3rd**, the GBIA will again sponsor the fireworks display at Sawmill Creek Park on Dorsey Road.

Handicap parking will be available at the park, and all others are asked to park at Arthur Slade or the Light Rail Station.

The Glen Burnie Boys Baseball & Girls Softball concession stand will be open with refreshments.

**Rain Date: Sunday, July 5th**

Welcome New Member

Joan Rumenap  
115 First Ave., SW  
Glen Burnie 21061



### **GBIA 5K and 1 Mile fun Run**

The GBIA 5K and 1 Mile Fun Run has been scheduled for Saturday, September 26, 2015.

As the date gets closer more information will be given as far as registration and cost.

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### **Calendar of Events**

**Tuesday, April 14th**

General Membership Meeting, 7 pm

**Tuesday, May 12th**

General Membership Meeting, 7pm

**Sunday, May 17th**

Memorial Day Parade, 2pm

**Monday, May 25th**

Memorial Day

**Tuesday, June 9th**

General Membership Meeting, 7pm

**Friday, July 31– Saturday, Aug  
8th**

The Big Glen Burnie Carnival



## The Glen Burnie Veterans War Memorial at Central Avenue

The memorial was originally constructed in 1946 to honor the WWII veterans, however since that time was never really maintained or cared for.

GBIA board member, Dolores Call took on the project to refurbish the memorial. The GBIA used funds donated to the community by the estate of the late **Erma M. Burkowski** to professionally clean and restore all the stones. The ground marker was added to dedicate the memorial to all war veterans.

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