

Town of Indian Head
NEWSLETTER



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Town Hall

Office Hours
Monday - Friday
8:30 a.m.- 4:30 p.m.
Phone Numbers
Ofc: 301-743-5511
Fax: 301-743-9008

Holiday Closings

Town Hall and Public Works will be closed on the following days this quarter in observance of the holidays listed:

Labor Day
Monday, September 1
Indigenous Peoples' Day
Monday, October 13
Veteran's Day
Tuesday, November 11
Thanksgiving Break
Wednesday, November 26
No yardwaste pickup
Thursday, November 27
No Recycling pickup
Friday, November 28

If you have a water or sewer emergency after hours, call 301-373-1688 to report your emergency. On-call Town personnel will be contacted and the problem will be handled accordingly.
After hours non-emergency problems can be reported by leaving a message on the Town Hall office number 301-743-5511. Be prepared to furnish your name, address, phone number and brief, but detailed description of the type of problem. Water cutoffs for non-payment are not considered emergencies and are only handled during Public Works regular business hours.

Meeting Schedule

Town Meeting: Town Meetings are the 1st Monday of every month unless it happens to fall on a holiday. The Fall Town Meetings will take place at 7:00pm on Tues., September 2 (virtual), Mon., October 6 (in person), & Mon., November 3 (virtual). *You may log in for the meetings by going to https://gotomeet.me/TOIH or dial in using your phone by calling 571-317-3122, Access Code: 135-757-733.* In person meetings are held at the Village Green Pavilion.
Planning Commission: Wed., September 17, October 15, November 19, 5:30pm. *Planning Commission meetings are held virtually. You may log in for any meeting by going to https://gotomeet.me/TOIH You can also dial in using your phone, 1 (571) 317-3122 Access Code: 135-757-733*
Work Session: Wed. September 17, October 22, November 19, 3:30pm. *Work sessions are held virtually. You may log in for any meeting by going to https://gotomeet.me/TOIH You can also dial in using your phone, 1 (571) 317-3122 Access Code: 135-757-733*

Upcoming Events



Annual Town of Indian Head Car Show in Memory of Emmett Posey : Saturday, September 13, 9am to 3pm, Village Green Park. See flyer for additional information.

IRS Community Assistance Visit: Tuesday, September 23 through Thursday, September 25, 8:30am to 4:00pm, Village Green Pavilion. See flyer for additional information.



20th Annual Breast Cancer Awareness Walk: Saturday, October 11, 8:30am, Village Green Park. See flyer for additional information.



Jazz & Wine Fest: Saturday, October 18, Noon to 7:00pm, Village Green Park. Tickets $75 ($85 on the day of the event). See flyer for additional information.



Trunk or Treat : Friday, October 31, 6pm to 8pm,Village Green Park. Join us for a night of fun and candy!



Veterans Day Ceremony : Friday, November 7, 11am, Village Green Pavilion. Open to the public, light fare lunch, speakers and veterans recognitions. Hosted by the Town of Indian Head, local military, the American Auxiliary Unit 233, and veteran organizations. More info call: 301-743-5511 or 703-929-2334 or email ALAUnit233md@gmail.com

SAVE THE DATE! Indian Head Christmas Festival: Saturday, December 6, 4pm to 9pm. See flyer for additional information.

Please make sure to check our website to stay up to date on any changes to the meetings and events schedule and follow our Facebook page

Mayor's Message by Brandon Paulin

Hey everybody,

As summer is winding down, I hope everyone is prepared for a fantastic fall! With all the kids back in school I urge everyone to drive safely and be mindful of crosswalks and any children around the road. Together we can make a pedestrian safe community.

If you all enjoyed the town activities this summer than I'm sure you will have a blast with what we've got planed in the upcoming months! Here are a few updates on what we have planned:

- The community garden behind Oasis is under way thanks to our friends at the Outdoor Living Company and Oasis Fresh Food Market. The garden will have an amphitheater that will provide space for future movie nights and also have gardening and other intergenerational activities!
- Thanks to the success of the first Indian Head Jazz and Wine festival the organizers have decided to plan another festival in October. For those who enjoyed the first one we look forwarded to you joining again and for those who couldn't go than I hope to see you there!
- The annual Indian Head car show is happening September 13th so for any of you interested in cars or just looking for a good time the annual car show is for you. I'll be on the lookout for my favorite cars!
- Who can forget our annual Trunk or Treat this Halloween. Bring your friends and family to the village green parking lot for a great deal of fun and even more candy! We hope to see you all there. If you are interested in volunteering in the Trunk or Treat, feel free to email me at Brandon@TownOfIndianHead.org

We have a lot planned for the fall season and appreciate your continued support. For more information on any of the events listed or anything else upcoming, please be sure to check out the newsletter, the Town's Facebook page, and the Town's website.

Lastly, earlier this month a devasting fire took the lives of 6 people in the Charles County community. Please continue to pray for the family. It's a stark reminder for all of us to have a plan to get out safely, test your smoke detectors (get 10-year sealed batteries, Contact the fire department if you need help), and look into additional fire safety measures that you can use in your home or business. I would encourage where folks can, consider donating to the family, I can't imagine what they are going through.

I hope everyone has a safe and fun fall. I also hope to see everyone around at town events!

Until next time.

Brandon Paulin

TOWN OF INDIAN HEAD OFFICIALS / BOARDS / PERSONNEL

Mayor
Brandon Paulin

Council
Ron Sitoula, Vice Mayor
Cassandra Stillwell, Councilwoman

Town Manager
Ryan L. Hicks

Planning Commission
Thomas Gordon, Chair
Ashley Gudnitz
Brian Israel
Anthony McFarland
Anita Sampson
Adam Lynch, Base Rep.

Board of Zoning Appeals
Michael Pellegrino, Chair
Thomas Blake
Joann Broussard

Ethics Commission
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Stephen Gilligan

Town Hall Staff
Annie Brady, Town Clerk
Ginger Foster, Finance Officer
Diane Campbell, Deputy Finance Officer
Gus Proctor, Community Policing Contact
Jerry Bowling, Code Enforcement
Eric Woodland, Head of Operations
Calvin Barnes, Field Supervisor EAST, Inc., Water/Wastewater

Town Website
www.townofindianhead.org

Notification to Town Residents

Dear Residents,

After careful consideration of your feedback regarding the potential sale of the Henderson property and extensive discussions with Elm Street Development, we want to inform you that Elm Street has respectfully withdrawn the proposed sale and purchase agreement. As a result, the Town Council will be removing Ordinance 07-02-25 from further consideration.

The Town Council would like to thank all of the residents who attended the August 13th hearing, as well as those who submitted comments via email. Your input has been invaluable in this process.

Elm Street Development has expressed their pride in being part of our community and their desire to continue as a valued community partner, contributing to our ongoing journey toward a vibrant and prosperous future. We extend our gratitude to Elm Street for their continued commitment to the Indian Head Community.

We deeply value the partnership between developers and residents as we work together toward the redevelopment and revitalization of a town we are proud to call home. Let us continue moving forward together toward a future that reflects both the Council's vision and the aspirations of our residents.

Due to the removal of Ordinance 07-02-25 from the agenda, the September meeting will remain virtual. The Council will start holding the meeting in person on a quarterly basis in October while maintaining the virtual format for the other months.

Sincerely,
The Town Council

CODE ENFORCEMENT—HIGHLIGHTED CODES OF THE QUARTER

Charles County Code: Chapter 230. Dogs and other Animals. Article I. Animal Regulations
§ 230-12 Animal at large:

A. It shall be unlawful for any person, partnership, or corporation or other legal entity to allow an animal to be at large.

B. This section shall not apply to a dog undergoing supervised obedience training or while actually engaged in the sport of hunting in an authorized area while supervised by a competent person.

C. Without permission of the proper authority, the owner or custodian of any animal may not permit the animal to be on school grounds on a day when school is in session, in a public recreation area, any public property or thoroughfare or private property without the property owner's permission unless:

1. The animal is controlled by a leash or similar restraining device.

2. The presence of the animal is in an organized activity such as a dog show.

D. No animal accidentally at large with a person capable of controlling the animal in immediate physical pursuit shall be deemed at large.

E. A person who is aware of an animal being at large or who finds a stray animal shall report the condition to the Tri-County Animal Shelter, an Animal Control Officer, or other law enforcement official.

F. An Animal Control Officer or authorized representative of Animal Control who observes an animal at large may pursue that animal on pubic and/or private property.

Town of Indian Head Code: Chapter 245 Health and Sanitation. Article III Litter
§ 245-24 Removal of animal waste: An owner or person having control of a domestic animal shall not allow the animal to defecate on public property or private property not belonging to the owner or person having control without having in the person's possession a suitable container for the removal and disposal of waste. The owner or person having control of the animal must remove immediately any waste deposited by the animal and dispose of the waste in a proper sanitary manner. A violation of this section is a municipal infraction.

Town of Indian Head Code: Chapter 245 Health and Sanitation. Article I General Provisions
§ 245-3 Clean conditions required; notice: Every dwelling within the Town and ever part thereof shall be kept so clean and free from any accumulation of dirt, filth, rubbish, garbage or similar matter as not to be a danger to the health of any occupant thereof and shall be kept free from vermin and rodent infestation. It shall be the duty of each occupant or owner of a dwelling unit to keep in a clean condition that portion of the property which they occupy or over which they have exclusive control. If the occupant or owner shall fail to keep their portion of the property clean, as above provided, the Town Manager may send a written notice to such occupant or owner requesting they remedy said condition within the time specified in said notice, said time not to be less than three days. Failure of such occupant or owner to comply with such notice within such time shall be deemed a violation of this chapter.

Phone numbers for organizations listed in Charles County Code: Chapter 230. Dogs and other Animals. Article I. Animal Regulations § 230-12 Animal at large E:

Charles County Animal Care Center (Formally Tri-County Animal Shelter): 301-932-1713

Charles County Animal Control: 301-609-3425

Charles County Sheriff's Office (Non-Emergency): 301-932-2222

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State of Maryland House Bill 114: (II) “YARD WASTE” INCLUDES LEAVES, GARDEN WASTE, LAW CUTTINGS, WEEDS, AND PRUNINGS.

(b) The General Assembly intends to:

(1) prohibit uniformly throughout the State the improper disposal of litter on public or private property; and

(2) curb the desecration of the beauty of the State and harm to the health, welfare, and safety of its citizens caused by the improper disposal of litter.

(c) A person may not:

(1) dispose of litter OR YARD WASTE on a highway (or);

(2) perform an act that violates the State Vehicle Laws regarding disposal of litter, glass, and other prohibited substances on highways; or

(3) dispose or cause or allow the disposal of litter on public or private property unless:

(i) the property is designated by the State, a unit of the State, or a political subdivision of the State for the disposal of litter and the person is authorized by the proper public authority to use the property; or

(ii) the litter is placed into a litter receptacle or container installed on the property

(d) If two or more individuals are occupying a motor vehicle, boat, airplane, or other conveyance from which litter is disposed in violation of subsection (c) of this section, and it cannot be determined which occupant is the violator:

(1) if present, the owner of the conveyance is presumed to be responsible for the violation; or

(e) Notwithstanding any other law, if the facts of a case in which a person is charged with violating this section are sufficient to prove that the person is responsible for the violation, the owner of the property on which the violation allegedly occurred need not be present at a court proceeding regarding the case.

Town Fall Leaf Vacuum Collection Begins November 5

Leaf Vacuum Collection is offered by the Town on Wednesdays during the fall season, weather permitting.

- Only leaves free of sticks, rocks and debris can be raked to the curb.
- Do not rake leaves into the paved portion of the streets or into the storm drains.
- Bagged leaves placed curbside will be picked up with other yard waste during the regular Wednesday year-round yard waste pick-up. Bagged leaves MUST be in biodegradable paper bags. The Town WILL NOT pick up leaves in plastic bags.
- Keep regular household trash containers separate from yard waste.
- Bagged yard waste may be placed curbside on Wednesdays year-round for pick-up.

Please be patient, due to large volume of leaves the entire Town cannot always be covered in a single day. The crew will conduct one complete pass through of the entire Town before doubling back on streets.

BURNING LEAVES IS NOT PERMITTED

NO OUTDOOR BURNING OF ANY KIND IS PERMITTED WITHIN THE TOWN LIMITS

Vacuum Collection is subject to weather. Should snow removal be required, the leaf vacuum will not operate.

LAST DAY for the Leaf Vacuum is January 1 or the first snow.

Town Codes

- **Burning**—No burning is allowed within the Town.
- **Animal Control**—Dogs must be kept on the owner's property unless properly restrained. The Charles County Animal Control provides animal enforcement within the Town. Call 301-932-1713 if you have a problem.
- **Abandoned or Inoperative Vehicles** are prohibited within the Town and may not be kept on the street for more than 24 hours or on private property, with certain exceptions. Call Code Enforcement at 301-743-5511 ext. 101 with any questions.
- **Property Maintenance**—Every dwelling and lot shall be kept free from trash and garbage. Weeds and grass must be cut and kept shorter than 10 inches.
- **Building Code**—The Town has an adopted building code. Any new construction or remodeling, including, but not limited to porches, fences, sheds and garages, requires inspection and a building permit from the Town.

Code Enforcement

Code Enforcement administers the Residential Property Maintenance and Building Codes for the Town of Indian Head. The Code Enforcement Officer does daily inspections throughout Town to check for code compliance. When a property is not up to code, the Code Enforcement Officer will issue a violation letter to address the code violation. Depending on the type of violation, the days for corrective action can be between 5 to 30 days. After the specified number of days, a fine letter will be issued for an additional 7 to 30 days, followed by a citation if the violation has still not been addressed. At the time that the citation is issued, the violation may be taken to court, or the Town may complete the needed property maintenance and lien the property for any costs incurred. The Town's Code Enforcement also does rental license inspections.

If you have any questions about the Code Enforcement process, if you would like to report a Code Enforcement violation, or if you need to speak with the Code Enforcement Officer in reference to an inspection, please call 301-743-5511 ext. 101, on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday between the hours of 8:30am to 4:30pm.

Recycling/Yard Waste

Solid waste products such as glass jars and bottles, newspapers, plastic bottles and metal cans will be picked up at the curb every Thursday within the Town of Indian Head. Place these items in your recycling bin—no need to separate them.

Yard waste will be collected on Wednesdays, year-round, weather permitting. Grass clippings and leaves must be placed in brown paper bags or in a trash container marked "Yard Waste" and placed at curbside. Brush must be bundled and must not be any longer than four feet (4') in length. Individual pieces of brush must not be any larger than six inches (6") in diameter. Both Recycling and Yard Waste must be curbside by no later than 7:30AM. Bulk trash can be scheduled year-round on Wednesdays. Fee of $75 (credit card, cash or money order **ONLY**) per scheduled pick-up must be paid in advance at time of scheduling. Please note that all mattresses and box springs are an additional $10 each on top of the $75 fee. All items must be curbside by 7:30am on the prescheduled pick-up day but not earlier than 48 hours prior to pick-up day.

Utility Rates

The Town bills for utilities on a quarterly basis. Please make note that you will be receiving a bill four times a year (July, October, January and April). ***You are encouraged to make an estimated payment monthly toward your quarterly bill.*** For more information you can call Town Hall at: 301-743-5511.

Water & Sewer Rates

Minimum rate for all residential customers **$75**
(per dwelling unit per quarter) plus
$7 for every 1,000 gallons used
Minimum rate for all commercial customers $**217**
(per unit per quarter) plus
$7 for every 1,000 gallons used

Bay Restoration Fee

$15.00 to State of Maryland Comptroller's office for the Bay Restoration Fund

Trash Rates

Residential/Multiple Residential Rate: ***$90.00 (per dwelling unit per quarter)*** - Billed quarterly for twice a week curb-side pickup and one (1) recyclable products pickup per week.

Commercial Rate

Category I	Dumpster (4cu yds)	$500 per quarter
Category II	Maximum 2 cans (per unit)	$100 per quarter
	Each additional can	$48.00 per quarter

All residential and commercial units within the Town of Indian Head shall avail themselves of the Town's curb-side trash collection service.

ALL trash pickup is on Tuesday and Friday. Please don't forget your trash must be curbside by no later than 7:30am. If you have an issue with your pickup please call 301-855-3078

REMINDER— Your trash cannot be put out in the blue recycle bin, it will not be picked up. It must be put out in a trashcan with a fitted lid.

The Indian Head Senior Center is located on the Village Green in the Old Post Office, at 100 Cornwallis Square. If you are at least 60 years young we encourage you to be part of this friendly center, where we encourage older adults to be independent as long as possible - physically, mentally, spiritually, and socially.

Indian Head Senior Center

"In the end, only kindness matters." –Jewel
If you are sick, we ask that you stay home.
Regular hours: MWF 9 a.m.-3 p.m.; T /Th 9 a.m.-4 p.m.
Questions? **Call (301) 743-2125**.

JOIN US! The staff at Indian Head Senior Center continues to focus on being a community of WELLNESS. Look for chats with Dr. Cook, Maryland Food Bank visits, line dancing and cardio classes, and other activities to keep you moving. Register at any of the Charles County Senior centers to participate in our activities. For a complete list of activities, pick up a copy of the SCOOP publication, go to https://www.charlescountymd.gov or visit our Facebook page: Charles County Senior Centers.

Fitness Classes:

- Dance Fit and Drums Alive! Alternate on Mondays at 10:30 a.m.
- Mobility Flow Yoga – Tuesdays at 9:30 a.m.
- Arthritis Foundation Exercise Program (AFEP) – Tuesdays & Thursdays at 11:15 a.m. (FREE)
- Fitness with Veronica – Wednesdays at 10 a.m.
- Mobility & Balance – Thursdays at 9:30 a.m.
- Circuit Training w/Personal Trainer, LaMont – Thursdays at 1 p.m. AND 2 p.m.
- Seated Yoga – Fridays at 9 a.m.
- **NEW fitness class: Cardio Fitness – Fridays at 10:15 a.m.**

Most classes require a fitness pass. These can be purchased from any staff member at the center. Check the SCOOP or Facebook page for schedule changes. Or call us at (301) 743-2125

Ongoing Programs:

- Bingo – 1st and 3rd Mondays at 9:30 a.m.
- Singing Group – 1st and 3rd Mondays at 1 p.m.
- Project Linus/Sewing 101 – 2nd and 4th Mondays at 9:30 a.m.
- Senior Information & Assistance – 3rd Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. and by appointment
- Tea Club – 4th Tuesday at 1 p.m.
- Widow and Widower Support – 2nd Wednesday at 10 a.m.
- Mobile Market – 4th Wednesday at 11 a.m.
- Book Club – books provided – 4th Wednesday at 1 p.m.
- Green Thumb Club with Master Gardeners – 3rd Thursday at 10:30 a.m.
- **NEW: Walk Through the Bible – 3rd Friday at 1 p.m.**

Upcoming Events:

- **IN SEPTEMBER** look for Spirit Week 9/22-9/26, including a 50s dance party for neuroplasticity and a pajama day workshop for better sleep!
- **IN OCTOBER** look for a visit from Dr. Donna, PT, DPT; and a Halloween dress-up Party!
- **IN NOVEMBER** look for opportunities for music and gratitude as we prepare for the holiday season.

Community Yard Sales are offered monthly on Mobile Market days – the 4th Wednesday of each month. Set up at 9 a.m. to sell from 9:30 a.m. – 1 p.m. If you would like to participate, you are responsible for supplying your own table and seating as needed, as well as set up and clean-up of your merchandise. The fee is $10 CASH payable to an IHSC member before the start of sales.

The Charles County Senior centers are "Connecting older adults to an inclusive community that fosters healthy aging through programs that support independence, wellbeing and self-expression."
We are here to remind you "if you want to keep moving – keep moving!"

For more information visit: https://www.charlescountymd.gov/services/aging-and-senior-services/senior-centers

Fall Fire Safety Tips from your Local Volunteer Fire Department

Fall is a great time of year, with the leaves changing colors and cool crisp nights. Fall also has National Fire Prevention month in it. Did you know that October is Fire Prevention Month?

This is also a great time to check your Smoke Alarms and Carbon Monoxide Detectors. Smoke Alarms should be replaced every 7-10 years, and Carbon monoxide Alarms should be replaced every 5-7 years. If you do not have a Smoke Alarm in your house, please contact the Fire Station, so we can assist you with obtaining one.

Fall is a great time to make sure your chimney is cleaned and to have your furnace or boiler serviced, to get ready for the winter season. Please contact a local professional to have your chimney inspected and cleaned, as well as any furnace or other heating appliances checked and maintained.

As the leaves start to fall, we would like to remind you, that there is **NO OPEN-AIR** burning allowed in the Town of Indian Head. Please place your leaves by the curb for the Town to pick up. We also ask that you use extreme caution while cleaning out your rain gutters on your house. If you are unsure about cleaning your rain gutters, please call a professional to clean them for you.

Interested in helping your community? Stop by the Fire Station on Thursday evening between 730 and 9 PM. Members can start as young as 14. We provide all training free of charge.

Black Box Theatre

OPENING NIGHT PRODUCTIONS

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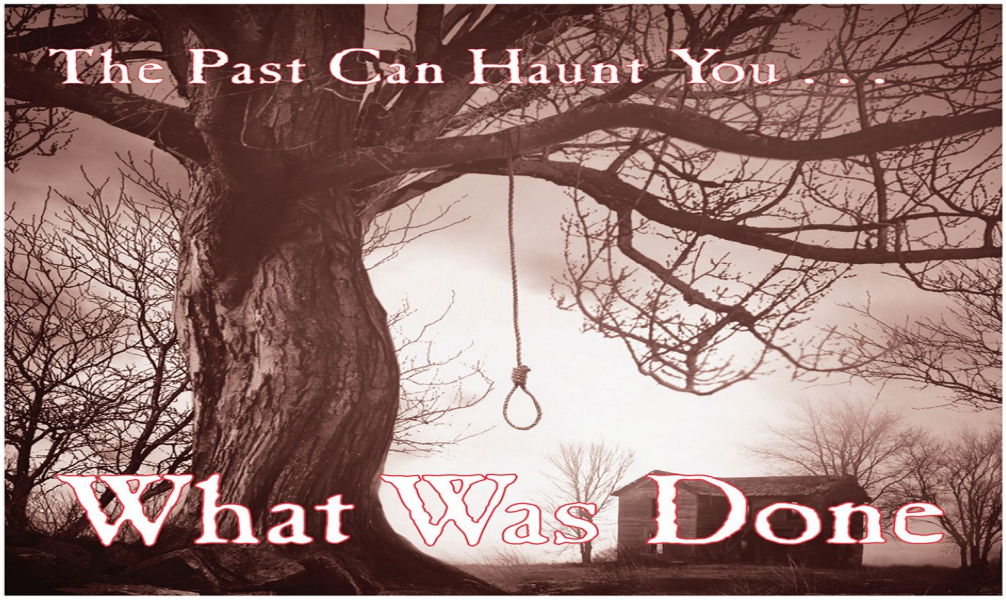


A play by **Jack L.B. Gohn**

September 5-7 & 12-14, 2025
Fridays & Saturdays at 8 p.m. ● Sundays at 2 p.m.
Tickets: Adults $15/Students & Seniors $12

For tickets, visit
www.openingnightproductions.org
or www.indianheadblackbox.com
or scan the Code at right.

Indian Head Black Box Theatre
4185 Indian Head Highway ● Indian Head, MD 20640

Other upcoming shows and events:

Beyond the Walls - October 24

New Event Coming - October 25 & November 22

Movie Night in the works!

Fall Play - November 7 - 22

Christmas Play—December 5 - 20

Check our website for tickets & more info!

RELIGIOUS SERVICES

St Mary's Star of the Sea Church
Sunday Services 7:30, 9:00 & 11:00am
Saturday Services 5:00 pm
Confessions Saturdays 4:00 to 4:30pm
Special Devotions 7:30am mass on the 1st Friday and 1st Saturday of each month
301-753-9177

Indian Head Baptist
Sunday School 9:15am
Sunday, Morning Worship 10:30am
Please join us as we welcome a new Pastor, Mark Stolk
301-743-3707

St James Episcopal
Sunday 8:00, 9:15 & 10:30am
Sunday School 9:45am
301-743-2366

Indian Head Church of the Nazarene
Sunday School 9:45am
Sunday AM Worship 11:00am
Sunday PM Worship 6:00pm
Wednesday Adult Bible Study 7:00pm
202-766-5066

Indian Head United Methodist Church
Sunday School 9:30am
Worship 11:00am
301-743-2312

Greater Spiritual Fellowship Community Church
Sunday School 9:30am
Sunday Worship 11:00am
Tuesday Discipleship Training 7:30pm
Thursday Bible Study 7:30pm
301-743-6014

Congregation SHA'ARE Shalom
Services 1st Friday, 2nd & 4th Saturday every month.
www.shaareshalomsomd.org
301-645-4606

Indian Head Worship Center
Sunday Christian Education 9:30am
Sunday Morning Service 11:00am
Sunday Youth & Young Adult Service 6:30pm
Tuesday Bible Study 7:30pm
Friday Evangelical Service 7:30pm
301-743-7772

Cornerstone AME
Sunday Morning Service 10:30am
301-743-6607

New Life Christian Ministries, Int'l
Worship Service—Sunday 11:00am
Bible Study—Wednesday 7:00pm
240-377-8919

BRIDGE Church
Sunday Services at 10am, Black Box Theatre. Children's Ministry, Birth - 5th Grade during service

The people of God at St. James' Episcopal Church in Indian Head worship on Sunday mornings at 10:30 a.m. All Sunday services are offered in-person, on Zoom, and Facebook. Check out our staffed Nursery during the Worship Service! Your kids will love Jailyn!! Starting on September 7, Sunday School will begin.

We are also offering Coffee Hour following our Services. All are welcome and we hope to see you soon!

Please join us for Morning Prayer on Wednesdays at 8 a.m. through our Facebook page. A convenient link can be found on our website, www.stjamesindianhead.org.

Great news! We are planning 2 Fish Frys, both in October. The dates are October 10th and October 24th from 11 am until 6 pm. These are typically take-out only, however, if you ask with a smile you may eat in!

We are currently planning 2 more Community Spaghetti Dinners. They will happen on Monday, October 6th and Monday December 1st from 5 until 6:30. As always these are offered at No Charge!

And best of all - Our Bazaar is back!! It will happen on Saturday, November 1st from 10 am until 3 pm. We will also have lunch from 10 until 2. As always there will be many gift baskets raffled off, like a Game Night Basket, a Date Night Basket, an Italian Basket, and other Surprises!

Free photos with Santa and loads of Vendors. Not to mention an incredibly delicious Bake Sale! And oh so yummy, Apple Dumplings!!

If you would like to be a vendor, please call Bonnie Grimes at 240-222-2304.

Please call Brenda at 301-399-2779 for any other questions you might have.

We also offer free Wi-Fi access to our community. You can come to the parking lot and sit in your car to use this service. Just give us a call at (301) 743-2366 to get the password!

Need a place to hold that special event? Birthday Party? Wedding Reception? Baby Shower? Please call 301.399.2778 for details.



INDIAN HEAD BAPTIST CHURCH HONORS

HOMETOWN HEROES

Please join us in honoring the Law Enforcement, Fire Department, and Military Heroes who serve our community!

Indian Head Baptist Church
27 Raymond Ave. Indian Head

September 14th
9:30am
coffee and pastries
10:30am
Morning Worship Service including recognition of Heroes in attendance



God prepared you for this special occupation—
whether for a short season or a lifetime career
(Colossians 3:23)

New Life Christian Ministries International:

SAVE THE DATE

We invite all to attend Watch Night Service, December 31, 2025, 9:00pm.

What's Happening at BRIDGE CHURCH





Sunday Worship

BRIDGE Church invites you to join us every Sunday at 10 AM at the Black Box Theater in Indian Head. Experience a welcoming and relaxed family-friendly environment where you can come as you are and grow in your faith. Discover the love of Jesus through genuine fellowship and uplifting worship. We look forward to seeing you there!

BRIDGE KIDS

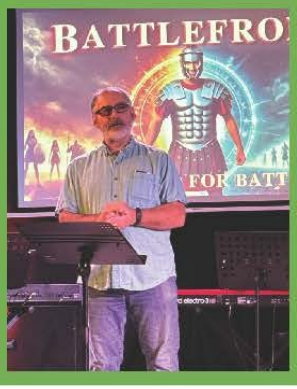
BRIDGE KIDS is our Children's Ministry for ages 8 weeks – 5th grade. Our littles meet upstairs in their own fun and creative spaces for an engaging age-appropriate experience. Our staff and volunteers provide a safe and loving learning environment. All members of our team have undergone background checks.



Relevant Teaching

Our pastors and teaching team deliver impactful messages centered on God's Word. These messages are practical, applicable, challenging, and ultimately life-changing!







Want to know more? Visit us at www.bridgeih.church

Celebrating our TEACHERS



Celebrating the first day back for Indian Head Elementary's staff & teachers! We were grateful for support from the town and Mayor Paulin. We helped our teachers start their year off right with a hot breakfast, classroom supplies and a special box of goodies for each staff member.



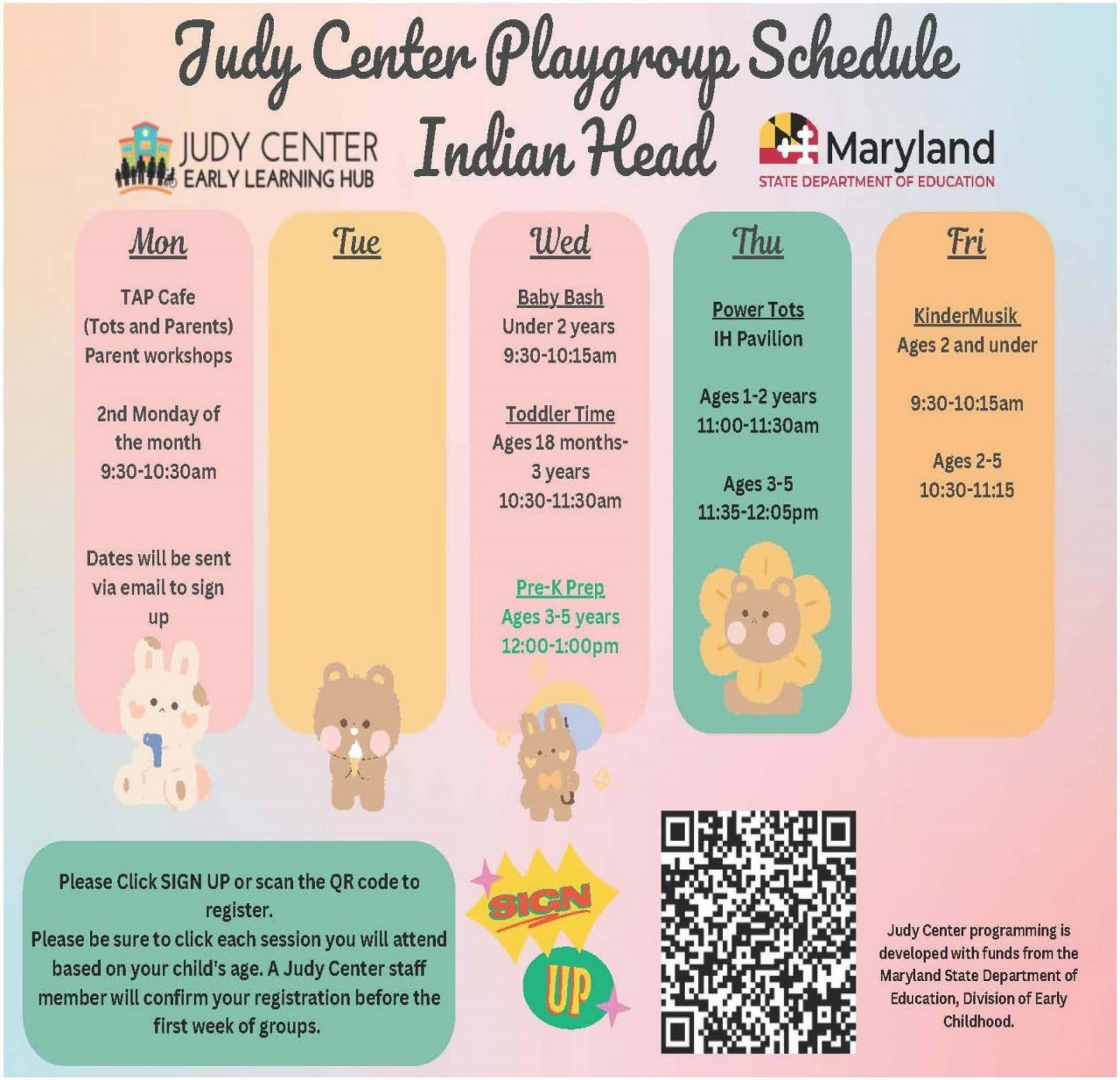
BRIDGE CHURCH



The Charles County Judy Center Early Learning Hub serves families with children ages birth-Kindergarten who live in the Indian Head Elementary School zone. Judy Centers are not childcare centers but a comprehensive hub where families can participate in family learning experiences and receive services and support. Judy Centers empower a child's first teachers— their families- by supporting child development and early learning skills for our youngest learners from birth through kindergarten.

Families who are interested in attending Judy Center playgroups should use the sign up link or QR code to register. For more information about The Judy Center please contact the following staff members.

Ms. Andrea Satchwell
asatchwell@ccboe.com
301-944-1092





Together, we WORK PLAY IMPROVE the community at the MAKERSPACE!

Ask about Memberships and Class Scholarships –
Fall classes are filling up!

Available Equipment

- 3D Printers
- Laser Cutters/Engravers
- CNC Routers
- Wide Format Printer/Cutter
- 3D Scanner
- Electronics Testing and Prototyping
- Sewing Machines
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NO SPECTATOR FEE

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Shaded Parking Available **Come Early**

ANNUAL
TOWN OF INDIAN HEAD
CAR SHOW

Saturday
Sept 13, 2025
Rain Date
Sept 20, 2025

9 am - 3 pm

In Memory of Emmett Posey

Village Green, 100 Walter Thomas Road, Indian Head, MD

(Follow Indian Head Hwy to the end, on right before Naval Surface Warefare front gate)

Entry Fee: $20
Includes
Goodie bag, unlimited Bottled Water,
Free Raffle Item from Sponsors
Dash Plaques to 1st 100 registered participants
Registration 8:30 am to noon

AWARDS FOR BEST OF SHOW
Top 40 ('97 & older)
Top 10 ('98 & newer)
Top 2 Motorcyles
Pastor's Pick and Vets/Active Duty



SHOW INFORMATION - 3 CATEGORIES

Cars/Trucks - 1997 & Older • 1998 & Newer

Motorcycles - Any Year

No Trailered Vehicles

For Additional Info call
Tony Wright 301-752-1560
Mike Tompkins 301-843-1660

INCORPORATED TOWN OF INDIAN HEAD 1920

Indian Head Car Show Registration Form

Name _____

Address _____

_____

Phone _____

Email _____

Year/Make/Model _____

_____

Veteran _____Yes _____ No

Entry Fee - $20.00
($15.00 if registered by Sept 1st)
Make Checks Payable to:
Living Water Bible Church
10651 Deacon Rd, White Plains, MD 20695

In consideraton of the acceptance of the right to participate, entrants and participants by execution of this entry form, hereby release & discharge any causes of action against Living Water Bible Church and it's staff, volunteers or any entity connected with the management and/or presentation of this car show for any and all known or unknown damages, injuries, losses and/or other whatsoever, that may be suffered by an entrant, participant or his/her property with respect to participation in this show.

Participant's Signature _____

IRS Community Assistance Visit

The IRS is providing a temporary Taxpayer Assistance Center to offer face-to-face help with many tax concerns

Town of Indian Head, Village Green Pavilion
100 Walter Thomas Road
Appointments: (615) 250-5327
Tuesday, Sept 23 through Thursday, Sept. 25
8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Services Offered

Tax Law Assistance
Account Assistance
Payment Arrangements
Transcripts and Forms (orders only)

Payments not accepted

Required Documents

Current State or Government Issued Photo ID
Letters or Notices Received
Any Requested Documents

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Visitas de ayuda comunitaria del *IRS*

El *IRS* ofrece ayuda en persona en un centro temporal de asistencia al contribuyente, para atender muchos asuntos tributarios

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Servicios que se ofrecen:

Asistencia sobre la ley tributaria
Asistencia sobre su cuenta
Acuerdos de pago
Transcripciones y formularios (solo las solicitudes)

No se aceptan pagos

Documentos requeridos:

Identificación vigente con foto emitida por el gobierno estatal o federal
Cartas o avisos recibidos
Todos los documentos solicitados

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Sisters at Heart
Live Laugh Love

Breast Cancer Support Group of Southern Maryland

20th ANNUAL

Breast Cancer Awareness Walk

Saturday

October 11, 2025



INDIAN HEAD VILLAGE GREEN

100 WALTER THOMAS ROAD
INDIAN HEAD, MD 20640

On-Site Registration 8:00 am

Vendors, Music, Food, and Raffle Baskets for a Cause

$35.00 Per Person

LET'S MAKE THIS EVENT A LIFE-CHANGING AND MEMORABLE ONE!

Early Registration Starts 8-1-2025

All proceeds benefit Sisters at Heart

CONTACT INFORMATION:
Facebook Messenger @ Sisters at Heart Breast Cancer Support Group of Southern Maryland


JAZZ
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6TH ANNUAL JAZZ FEST
Jazz & WINE FEST
18 OCT 2025
NOON-7PM
TICKETS $75
EVENT DAY $85
Starring
RAGAN WHITESIDE
FAME
Jazz Ensemble
THE JOGO PROJECT
ALSO
LATIN FEELING BAND
BST BAND
VILLAGE GREEN PARK
INDIAN HEAD MD 20640
GET TICKETS AT WWW.JAZZINTHECOUNTRY.COM
SPONSOR & VENDOR OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE



Town of Indian Head

TRUNK OR TREAT

Join us for a night of fun and candy!

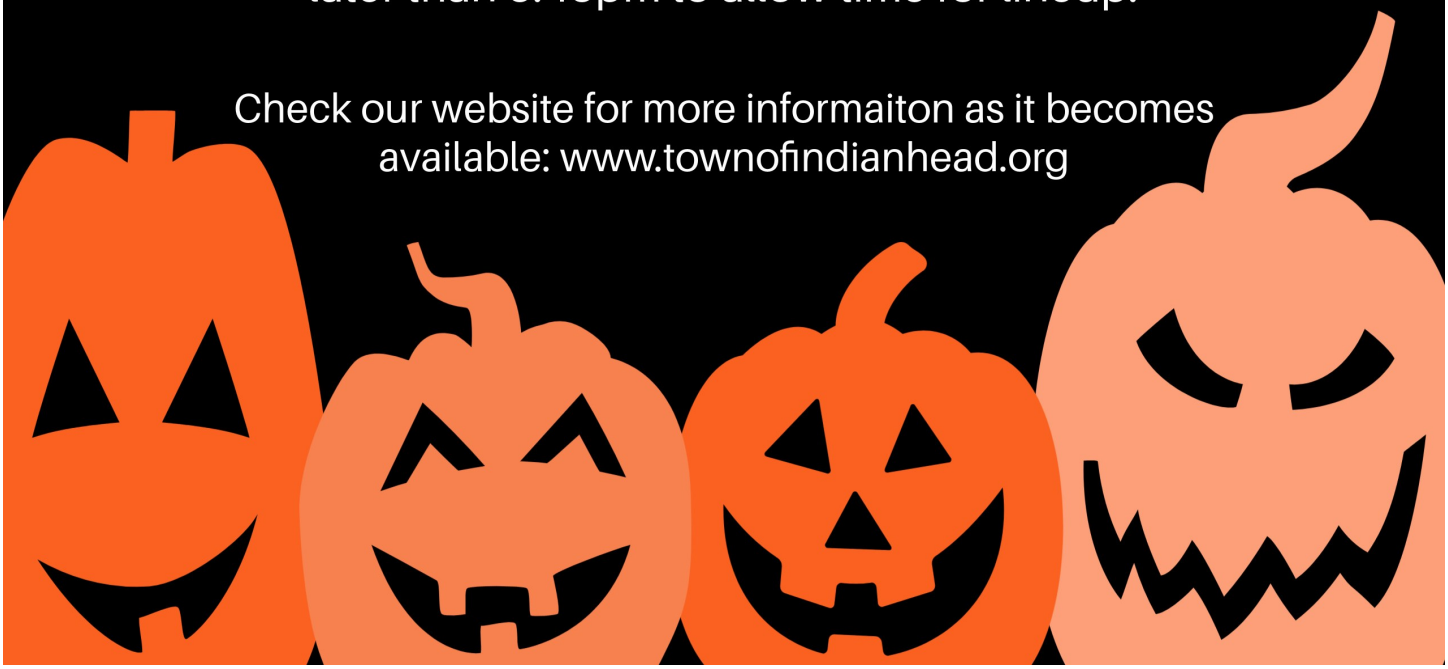
Friday, October 31st
6:00pm to 8:00pm

Village Green Park
100 Walter Thomas Road
Indian Head, MD

Music provided by DJ Psyborg of Mosquito Cove Digital Magic Entertainment

Trunk or Treat will start promptly at 6pm. We ask that any participants passing out candy, please arrive by no later than 5:45pm to allow time for lineup.

Check our website for more informaiton as it becomes available: www.townofindianhead.org





Town of Indian Head

Veterans Day Ceremony

Friday, November 7, 2025

11:00am

Indian Head Village Green Pavilion

100 Walter Thomas Road, Indian Head, MD

Open to the Public

Light Fare Lunch

Speakers & Veterans Recognitions

Hosted by the Town of Indian Head, Local Military, the American Legion Auxiliary Unit 233, and Veteran Organizations

More Information call: 301-743-5511 or 703-929-2334

Email: ALAUnit233md@gmail.com

Town of Indian Head Christmas Festival

Saturday, December 6, 2025
4:00pm - 9:00pm
Village Green Park & Pavilion

Join us for a magical evening of holiday cheer at the Indian Head Christmas Festival! We're bringing the community together for a festive night packed with lights, music, food, crafts, and giving back.

We're Looking For: • Light Display Partners – Show off your creativity and compete to light up the park! • Carolers – Stroll the Green and sing your heart out for a chance to win a donation to your favorite charity. • Food Trucks – Share your delicious bites with our hungry festival-goers. • Craft Vendors – Indoor and outdoor spots available for unique holiday gifts and handmade goods. • Volunteers – Help us spread joy! We welcome both monetary donations and volunteers with fresh ideas for free crafts and activities for all ages.

Let's make this a night to remember for our town and every family! If you want to participate, donate, or get involved, contact us today. Together, we can create a festival that sparkles with community spirit and holiday fun!

For more info or to sign up, contact: Becky Chick – Becky@bridgeih.church
or Annie Brady – annie@townofindianhead.org

Be mindful of your pets on trash day!

Trash day can pose dangers to your pets, whether its the contents of the trash itself or the presence of heavy machinery. Curious pets may also run towards the trash company employees creating an unsafe space for both the employee and your pet.

We ask that you please be mindful of your pets on trash day. Keep a close eye on them when the garbage truck is in the area and please be sure to keep them on a leash.

By implementing safety precautions, you can create a safer environment for your pets and ensure trash day goes smoothly and safely for everyone.

* Be aware of potential hazards in the trash, such as hazardous materials, possible food dangers, suffocation risks from plastic bags, or the possiblitly of sharp objects. Any of these items could be a possible danger to your pet.

* Manage your pets behavior. Train them to avoid trash areas, supervise pets on trash pickup days, remember that your pet may be afraid of the garbage truck or the people out performing trash pickup services.



REMEMBER, Charles County has a leash law. It requires dogs to be leashed and under control when outside their owner's property. This law is in place to ensure public safety and responsible pet ownership. This law is always in effect and should be followed on trash day, and every day.

For more information on how you can help, go to **how2recycle.info**

RECYCLING GONE WRONG



Some reasons your RECYCLING ISN'T PICKED UP

- Plastic bags, pizza boxes or other unacceptable items commingled
- Not placed on the curb in time
- Not placed in a recycling container

If you're unsure of the proper way to recycle, **START HERE**! Following these tips will prevent your recycling from being thrown in the landfill.

Scan for the Residential Recycling Guide.

NEXT

ELIMINATE SINGLE-USE PLASTICS



Acceptable Plastic Recycling Items



Unacceptable Plastic Recycling Items

Single-use plastics are used once before they're disposed of. They are devastating to the environment, can take hundreds of years to degrade, contaminate soils & water & are detrimental to wildlife.

NB
"The Jewel of the Chesapeake Bay"
North Beach, Maryland
NORTH BEACH ENVIRONMENTAL COMMMITTEE
301.855.6681
www.northbeachmd.org

For more information on how you can help, go to **how2recycle.info**

BEWARE OF SINGLE-USE PLASTICS

What goes IN THE BIN ?

RECYCLE CLEAN & EMPTY PLASTICS



- Detergent bottles & bleach containers
- Milk jugs
- Some take out containers marked recyclable
- Plastic cups
- Some plastic water & soda bottles
- Plastic tubs for margarine, cool whip, yogurt, cottage cheese & other foods
- Rigid plastic such as laundry baskets & dishpans

Scan for the Single-Use Plastics Handout.

DO NOT RECYCLE THESE PLASTICS!

- Motor oil containers
- Plates
- Tableware
- Toys
- Bubble wrap
- Medicine bottles
- Tupperware
- Styrofoam
- Straws
- Empty anti-freeze containers

When in doubt, THROW IT OUT

If you're unsure if your items are recyclable, throw them in the trash to prevent contaminating other recycled items.