

Club Crabtowne – Chronicle

March 2024

Club Crabtowne: Newsletter, Web, and Meet-Up

A great volunteer opportunity:

Contribute to publishing Club Crabtowne's Newsletter, maintaining our website, or managing our Meet-up site: We are looking for technical people who know Microsoft Word and/or HTML or feel comfortable managing our Meet-up site. If interested, please contact Carol Moyer at 410 956-6069 or clmphoto@clubcrabtowne.org.

Crabtowne Meetup Calendar has the most up-to-date event information including map capability.

Visit [Meetup.com](https://www.meetup.com) - Sign up & Join [Club Crabtowne Meet-up](#)

Crabtowner of the Year 2021-2022

Mike Calo

Trip Leader of the Year 2021-2022

Ingrid Lamb

Upcoming Events at a Glance

(See Committee Reports on next page.)

INSIDE THIS CHRONICLE

Greetings From The President.....	2
Bike Committee Report.....	2
Ski Committee Report.....	2
Hiking Committee Report.....	3
Membership Committee Report.....	3
Light House Donations.....	3
Ads (Personal and Business).....	4
Chairmanships.....	5
Board of Directors	5

General Membership Meeting

NEXT MEETING: Our next General Meeting will be on Tuesday, March 26.

When: 6 :00-7:00p.m. – Chat, drinks, & dinner
7:00-7:15 p.m. – Brief business meeting

Where: Fleet Reserve Club
100 Compromise Street
Annapolis MD 21401

This month's speaker: No speaker

Club Crabtowne – Chronicle

Greetings from The President

Well...it would seem as though the weatherman has misled us once again. The snow - *lots* of snow, foretold for our area this past winter – was basically rain if you are south of NJ. Now March is bringing in some signs of sunny spring biking and hiking weather.

On a more serious note, our club – YOUR club – although still active, is slowly dying...we need you to invite your friends to join and let them know about the things we do and bring them to one or more of our events to experience our friendliness and hospitality. We need you – and your friends, including interested family members.

Finally, we are *still* looking for a President Elect. Please consider serving the Club and our members in this role.

Full disclosure: The President Elect serves for a year as a member of the Board of Directors and then assumes the position of President and Chairperson of the Board for the following year.

Until next month,

Mike Calo
President
michaelcalo3403@comcast.net

Bike Committee Report

Bike rides will continue this spring.

As the days are getting longer and warmer weather is on its way, we can break out our bikes and hit the trails!

At our event planning meeting, held on Sunday, February 18, we announced several upcoming hikes and bicycle trips for the rest of 2024.

The following bike rides were announced at the meeting:

April 13 - B&A Trail from Glen Burnie (Harundale Mall) to Severna Park at 10 a.m.

May 11 - B&A Trail from Annapolis to Severna Park at 10 a.m.

June 8 - Northern Central Railroad Trail from White Hall, MD, to New Freedom, PA, at 9 a.m.

June 22 - WB&A Trail in Odenton, at 10 a.m. We will meet at the First Evangelical Lutheran Church of Odenton (8307 Piney Orchard Parkway, Odenton) and enjoy a gentle 5-6 – mile ride to the community of Two Rivers around the Patuxent River.

September 14 - BWI Trail at 9:00 a.m.

October 26 - Northern Central Railroad Trail (again, this time to enjoy the colors of autumn leaves) at 9 a.m.

Note that no rides are scheduled for July or August; this is because those months are generally too *hot and humid*! Of course, this *being* Maryland, the weather is fickle, and we may have some nice riding days pop up here and there during those two months; in that event, I will send a club-wide email announcing an impromptu ride, so be sure to check your e-mails.

Happy (bike) trails!
Mike Calo
Biking Committee Chair
michaelcalo3403@comcast.net
240-319-2851

Ski Committee Report

Hey, all skiers and travelers, we have planned for 2024, as shown below, with additional details forthcoming.

Please contact me and/or the trip leader of your interest, as bookings begin, to ensure lodging is covered. Final prices can vary with prices in airline flights.

Our trip to Wisp, McHenry, MD, in February was a success with good weather. In March, we had a good turnout for the Blue Ridge Council (BRSC) Winterfest trip to Sunday River, ME; the camaraderie and restaurants were great, and only drawback was rain and poor ski conditions!

Club Crabtowne — Chronicle

Park City, Utah: This trip, sponsored by the BRSC, is being planned for next year, with the date yet to be determined.

Think “Snow!”

Jay Crouthers, Ski Committee Chair

jay.crouthers@crabtowne.org

410-923-6129

Hiking Committee Report

Thanks to those who responded to the recent Hiking Interest survey.

On February 24, we enjoyed a pleasant, but sparsely attended, hike. So far, no hikes are planned for March, unless another member would like to lead one.

Our next hike is tentatively planned for April 6 at 10 a.m. at Box Turtle Trail in Crownsville, MD. We will update you as soon as possible.

Membership Committee Report

Our new member as of as of February is Anca Mc Daniel, who is now serving as Treasurer. Thanks so much, Anca!

Bruce Hagelgans

Membership Chair

bruce.hagelgans@clubcrabtowne.org

Light House Shelter Donations

Bruce and Barb are collecting for the Lighthouse Shelter of Annapolis, and Bruce will be taking these donations there. Please bring your donations to the General Meeting. Bruce will take names of donating members so they can possibly get a tax deduction. New or used bikes are needed for residents to get to and from work. If you plan to bring these, please inform Bruce.

Also needed are new or used strollers with removable baby carriers, bottled water, milk, caffeinated coffee, and individual snack-sized bags of chips, pretzels, etc.

Pantry needs: Mayonnaise, canned goods, chili, oatmeal, coffee, disposable hot cups, peanut butter, dried herbs, pancake mix, fruit juice, spaghetti/pasta and sauce, hamburger helper, pasta, canned beans, syrup, jelly,

tuna, mac&cheese, 5-lb. bags of sugar, powdered creamer, canned tomatoes, and salad dressings.

Bruce & Barb Hagelgans

bruce.hagelgans@clubcrabtowne.org

barbara.hagelgans@clubcrabtowne.org

Activities & Events

Special gatherings are generally of a more spontaneous nature and will be announced by e-mail in time for an RSVP. These occasions often include trips to theaters, movies, concerts, and sometimes museums.

We plan to see an outdoor play at Reynolds Tavern, sponsored by the Classic Theatre of Maryland in late April when the weather is likely to be warm.

Club Crabtowne – Chronicle

Personal Ads

Ocean City Fountainhead Towers

Penthouse Suite. High Rise Pool Tennis. The Suite's large bedroom faces the ocean with 18-foot sliding glass door. The Ocean can be viewed from the king size bed. The living room faces the bay. Panoramic views from both balconies. Two Adults only. Rates vary by the week and range from \$725 to \$1150. (\$50 off for Crabtowne members). Enar Sanders, 301-814-9840

Business Ads

L A Singles Dance

6111 Columbian Way

Bowie Md. 20715

410-349-3659

www.lasinglesbwa.com*

\$1 Off with Crabtowne Card

Bike Doctor

954 Ritchie Highway

Arnold, MD 21012

410 544-5352

10% Crabtowne Discount

Taylor Properties

175 Admiral Cochrane Drive, Ste. 111-112

Annapolis, MD 21401

1% LISTING FEE— full service

410-320-5928/800-913-4326

Michael Kinnahan, Realtor

mkinnahan.taylorprops.com

Save on fees, not on service

Crabtowne references available, equal housing op.

Club Crabtowne – Chronicle

Chairmanships

Activities

Open - spontaneous

Biking

Mike Calo, 240-319-2851

michaelcalo3403@comcast.net

Hiking

Vacant

Marketing

Carol Moyer, 410-956-6069

carol.moyer@clubcrabtowne.org

Membership

Bruce Hagelgans

bruce.hagelgans@clubcrabtowne.org

Speakers

Vacant

Sergeant at Arms

Vacant

Skiing

Jay Crouthers, 410-923-6129

jay.crouthers@clubcrabtowne.org

Chroniclers: newsletter@clubcrabtowne.org

Carol Moyer, carol.moyer@clubcrabtowne.org

Mike Calo, mike.calo@clubcrabtowne.org

Board of Directors

President

Mike Calo 240-31902851

michael.calo3403@comcast.net

President Elect

Vacant

Secretary

Molly Hochman, 410-721-4407

molly.hochman@clubcrabtowne.org

Treasurer

Anca McDaniel, 301-675-3552

anca.mcdaniel@clubcrabtowne.org

Directors

Bruce Hagelgans, 410-315-8389

bruce.haglegans@clubcrabtowne.org

Carol Moyer, 410-956-6069

carol.moyer@clubcrabtowne.org

VOL: MII –Number 8

Crabtowne Monthly General Meeting

Fourth Tuesday of each month:
6 – 7 p.m. Chat, Drinks & Dinner
7 – 7:30 p.m. Business Meeting
7:30 – 8 p.m. Social

At the Fleet Reserve Club
100 Compromise Street
Annapolis, MD 21401



Club Crabtowne — Chronicle

Club Crabtowne
P.O. Box 3032
Annapolis, MD 21403

Place
Stamp
Here

