

# TOWN OF KEEDYSVILLE, MARYLAND

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Approved

## **Green Team Minutes January 4, 2024**

The monthly meeting of the Keedysville Green Team was called to order at 7:07 pm with the following present: Chairman Jeff Russell, Team Members, Mayor Ken Lord, Sandy Lord (arrived at 7:15), Evan Wiegand, and Administrative Assistant Teresa Pangle.

The minutes from November 16, 2023, were approved.

### Old Business

2024 Spring Event – Ms. Pangle confirmed with Ms. Gemeny that the Ruritans will provide Nutter's Ice Cream and the Washington County Health Dept is interested in attending as well. Ms. Lord will reach out to someone about mini chair massages, the master gardeners, and food trucks. Mayor Lord will check with Mr. Franko for music and will do a little research about a beer garden/tasting with Pathfinder Farm Distillery. Mr. Wiegand will contact ACWA (Antietam-Conococheague Watershed Alliance) to see if they are available. Chairman Russell will reach out to PATC (Potomac Appalachian Trail Club). Ms. Pangle has called the ATC (Appalachian Trail Conservancy) multiple times, but no one answers. Ms. Lord or Ms. Pangle will try to stop at the Harpers Ferry Headquarters.

War on Tree of Heaven – Ms. Pangle reported Mr. Heimer (weed specialist from the County) will attend our January 25<sup>th</sup> meeting. Mr. Wiegand will post something to the Facebook page to encourage residents to attend. Mr. Heimer said if available he will come to our April 20<sup>th</sup> Spring Event, if not he would be happy to provide literature.

Facebook Yard Sale Page – Ms. Lord mentioned the Keedysville Yardseller page has over 2,000 members, 396 posts in the last 28 days, and was created 11 years ago. We might not want to compete with them since they seem well-established. It was agreed we could each promote the other during our community yard sale and bulk trash event.

### New Business

No Dumping Medallions – Ms. Pangle mentioned that 2 medallions were brought to Town Hall. They were originally installed by the Boy Scout Eagle Project. Mr. Wiegand said he is willing to install the 2 that came loose.

### Comments by Team

Mr. Wiegand said there is a tree at 15 S. Main that has a cable around it. The cable needs to be loosened up because it is cutting into the tree. Ms. Pangle said this is something Mr. Babington might handle so she will let Ms. Riner know about it.

Chairman Russell mentioned a Green Summit at Hood College in Frederick, MD on February 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>. He will email everyone the information.

Chairman Russell asked if the railbed between Main St. and Rt 34 could be cleaned up and have benches placed there. Ms. Pangle mentioned using a Chesapeake Bay Trust Grant for the project. She will find out if the Town owns this area.

Meeting adjourned at 7:53 pm.

Respectfully Submitted  
Teresa Pangle  
Administrative Assistant



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## **Green Team Agenda January 4, 2024**

Call to Order

Approval of Minutes: November 16, 2023 minutes

Old Business: 2024 Spring Event Date; War on Tree of Heaven, FB Yard Sale Page

New Business: No Dumping Medallions

Comments by Residents

Comments by Team

Adjournment