



THE GREENBELT BULLETIN

75th Anniversary Symposium:

SUSTAINING GREENBELT'S LEGACY

April 27 & 28 at the Greenbelt Community Center

15 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, MD 20770



As one of Greenbelt's 75th Anniversary's premiere events, members of the academic world, Greenbelt residents, and staff will examine the city's enduring legacies in terms of community planning, cooperative ventures, citizen activism and recreation. Dr. Mervyn Miller, an English planning historian, will deliver the keynote address, "From The British Garden City to Greenbelt and Back to the English New Towns" at 1:00 pm, Saturday. For additional information, contact Dr. Isabelle Gournay at gournay@umd.edu.

You must register for this event. Registration forms are available to download at www.greenbeltmd.gov/75, at the Community Center, 15 Crescent Road, or at the Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road.

There is a registration fee for the symposium, but there will be a free Museum Open House at 10-B Crescent Road on Thursday, April 6th at 6pm. Book signing of the *Images of America: Greenbelt* (Arcadia Publishing) will be held at the Open House. Also, the keynote address by Dr. Mervyn Miller will be free, but you must register.

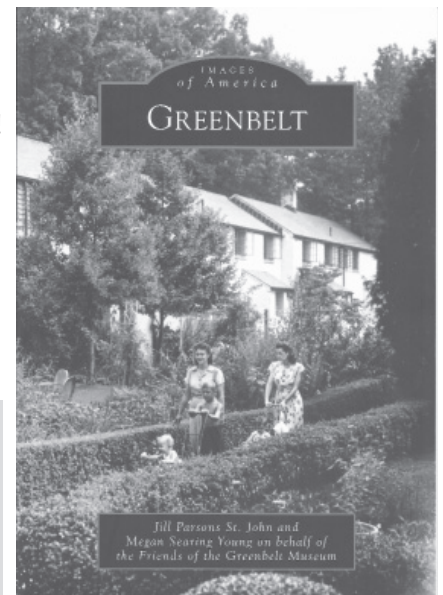
Immediately following the 75th Anniversary Symposium, the Clarence Stein Institute will hold a series of free lectures on topics related to the legacy of Stein, a noted planner and consultant for the green town projects. For more information visit www.preservation-shortcourse.org.



75th ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATIVE ITEMS

75th Anniversary Commemorative Items are now for sale at the Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center (GAFC), 101 Centerway. On sale are the new Greenbelt book, t-shirts and tote bags with the 75th logo, a 75th anniversary poster featuring historic Greenbelt scenes, and even pens and pencils!

Commemorative mugs and tiles are also available, but not at the Aquatic and Fitness Center. Order forms for the limited edition tiles are available at GAFC. Mugs are for sale at the Greenbelt Museum's Historic House, 10-B Crescent, open Sundays 1:00pm-5pm. The full range of souvenirs will also be available at 75th Anniversary events throughout the year. To mail order items, visit www.greenbeltmd.gov/75 for the order form.



The City of Greenbelt is celebrating throughout the year with a variety of events. Visit www.greenbeltmd.gov/75 for updated information.

Check out Eric Zhang's "Greenbelt in 2012" blog at <http://greenbelt2012.wordpress.com> for a pictorial record of our 75th year.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Greenbelt Girl Scouts Celebrate Anniversaries

**Sunday, April 15,
11:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.
Greenbelt Community Center
15 Crescent Road. Free.**

It is the Girl Scouts of America 100th year as well as Greenbelt's 75th anniversary. The celebratory activities will be held on the lawn in the front of the Community Center.



Housing in Greenbelt: Beyond the New Deal Legacy

**Tuesday, April 17, 7:30 p.m.
Greenbelt Community Center
15 Crescent Road, Room 201,
Free.**

Join the Greenbelt Museum for a fascinating lecture about Greenbelt's development, from its creation in 1937 right up to the present, by Greenbelt scholars and University of Maryland faculty members, Isabelle Gournay and Mary Corbin Sies.

Greenbelt's Three Lake Walk

**Saturday, April 21, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Free.**

Enjoy a day outdoors walking from one end of Greenbelt to another at three of Greenbelt's lake areas. Transportation will be provided between the locations starting at Schrom Hills Park, 6915 Hanover Parkway. This is a sanctioned Volksmarch event.



Book Discussion-The Grapes of Wrath

**Wednesday, May 23, 7:30 p.m.
Greenbriar Community Building,
7600 Hanover Parkway. Free.**

This 1937 novel is a portrait of the powerful versus the powerless as depicted by a poor Midwest family forced off their land during the Great Depression.



Hometown Heroes: 75 Years of Extraordinary Greenbelt Women

**Sunday, June 3, 1-3 p.m. and
Sunday, June 24, 1-3 p.m. Fee.**
(a new performance starts every half hour)

This contemporary dance work by the alight dance theater describes the lives of the women who lived in Greenbelt as young mothers and homemakers in late 1930's and early 1940's to the present day. Greenbelt Museum, 10-B Crescent Road. Tickets will be timed and available for purchase from the Greenbelt Museum. www.alightdancetheater.org or www.greenbeltmuseum.org 301-507-6582

Greenbelt Voices in 2012

**Sunday, June 24, 2:00 p.m.
& 5:00 p.m.**

**New Deal Café
113 Centerway. Free.**

Enjoy this popular theater presentation on various perspectives and experiences of individuals living in Greenbelt. 301-474-5642.



Greenbelt Museum Panel Discussion: International Greenbelt

**Tuesday, July 17, 7:30pm
Greenbelt Community Center,
15 Crescent Road, Room 201. Free.**

Citizens from many cultures are invited to share their intercultural experiences while living in Greenbelt.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, April 7th

10:00 a.m. sharp: ANNUAL EGG HUNT, Buddy Attick Park, 555 Crescent Road.

Children ages 18 months through 6th grade, bring your basket and help the Bunny find the eggs that he and his helpers have hidden. Immediately following the egg hunt, we invite you to stay for the *Mayhem Magical Circus Show* featuring Greg May. Please call the weather hotline at 301-474-0646 the morning of the hunt for updated event status.

Saturday, April 21st

ENJOY A DAY OF OUTDOOR FAMILY ACTIVITIES!

9:00am THREE LAKES WALK-(see page 2)

Schrom Hills Park, 6915 Hanover Parkway

10:00am-2:00 p.m.: PUBLIC WORKS OPEN HOUSE, 555 Crescent Road.

Come out to the Public Works Facility and enjoy tours, demonstrations, climb on trucks and have a hot dog! Info: 301-474-8004

2:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. EARTH DAY, ARBOR DAY, and CELEBRATION OF SPRING all at the Springhill Lake Recreation Center - 6101 Cherrywood Lane , 2:00pm-6:00pm

Shake off the cold days of winter and spring into action. Come join the City of Greenbelt, your friends and neighbors at the Springhill Lake Recreation Center. The Recreation Department will provide entertainment, make and take art activities, inflatables and games. With help from the Chesapeake Education Arts Research Society (CHEARS), Citizens to Conserve & Restore Indian Creek (CCRIC), Camp Fire USA, and anyone else that would like to join in, the Public Works Department will install a rain garden on the grounds of Springhill Lake Recreation Center from 2:00-4:00pm. All volunteers are welcome to help out and celebrate **EARTH DAY**.

GREENBELT CITY COUNCIL: Mayor Judith "J" Davis - jdavis@greenbeltmd.gov, Mayor Pro Tem Emmett V. Jordan - ejordan@greenbeltmd.gov, and Council Members: Konrad Herling, - kherling@greenbeltmd.gov, Leta Mach-Imach@greenbeltmd.gov, Silke I. Pope- spope@greenbeltmd.gov, Edward V. J. Putens-eputens@greenbeltmd.gov, and Rodney Roberts -rroberts@greenbeltmd.gov

Saturday, April 28th

9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon: ELECTRONICS RECYCLING, Public Works Yard, 555 Crescent Road

City residents can recycle old and/or unwanted computers and other electronic items. Accepted items include: TVs, CPUs, monitors, keyboards, mice, printers, laptop computers, recording equipment, speakers, scanners, surge protectors, wires and power cords, fax machines, cameras, telephones, radios, DVD players and more. Info at www.greenbeltmd.gov/public_works/Electronics_Recycling.php

Saturday, May 5th

9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon: SHREDDING DAY

Start getting all your papers ready. Shred all your sensitive papers for free in the parking lot behind the Greenbelt Federal Credit Union, 112 Centerway.

Only 5 boxes per person; personal records only (no business).

Saturday, May 12th

10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m., 8TH ANNUAL ANIMAL CARE EXPO, Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road

Bring your family, bring your friends, but most importantly, bring your pet to Greenbelt Animal Control's annual animal care event. Demonstrations, entertainment, informational tables, vendors, rabies clinic, food and fun! All is geared towards the health and well-being of your pet!

CITY OF GREENBELT PHONE NUMBERS

City Offices.....	301-474-8000
Planning & Comm. Development	301-345-5417
Animal Control	301-474-6124
Public Works.....	301-474-8004
Recycling	301-474-8308
Greenbelt Connection	301-474-4100
Greenbelt CARES	301-345-6660
Police Non-Emergency.....	301-474-7200
Police Emergency	301-474-5454
Recreation Department	301-397-2200
Rec. Weather Line	301-474-0646
Community Center	301-397-2208
Aquatic & Fitness Center.....	301-397-2204
Springhill Lake Recreation Center.....	301-397-2212