

# Earlysville Notes

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A Community Association Dedicated to:

- Preserving and enhancing Earlysville's quality of life
- Building a sense of community
- Serving as a means to communicate residents' ideas and concerns to others.

*See last page for contact information of our elected representatives.*

## Calendar

Community **Food Pantry** at Buck Mountain Church

Every Second Wednesday, 3:00-5:00 p.m.    Every Fourth Tuesday: 3:00-5:00 p.m.

Mondays, 6:00 p.m. Community Yoga, at Buck Mountain Episcopal Church.

Please bring your own yoga mat.

Thursdays, Earlysville **Farmer's Market**. **2 to 6 pm**. Buck Mountain Parish Hall

**Make a plan to vote- Early voting is open now through November 5, or on November 8 see page 4**

Wednesday – Saturday October 26 – 29 8<sup>th</sup> Anniversary **CELEBRATION at Earlysville Exchange pg 2**  
Specials every day.

Saturday, October 29 Prescription Drug Take Back Day - 3 county locations - see page 3

Friday, November 11 at 11 am. Veteran's Day Ceremony at the Albemarle County Office Building Lane Auditorium.

Thursday, November 17 7 pm EARL General Meeting. **Food Insecurity in Albemarle**. Broadus Wood Elementary Media Center. There will be a panel discussion with speakers representing several food agencies in our area. Each will share the scope of their work, and how they are addressing the problem. They will share information about funding, products, and process of operation.

The assembled attendees will consider officers for the 2023 year. Benny Clark has been nominated to be President.

Also feedback is welcome on any potential bylaws. Bylaws would be useful if the organization wished in the future to become a 501c3 in order to receive grants for local projects. See pg 5-6. Adapted for discussion purposes from another 36 yr old organization, the Crozet Community Association.

# THE EE IS 8!

WED 10/26: ALL ITEMS WITH DOTS 50% OFF  
BOGO BOOKS, CDS & DVDS

THURS 10/27: ALL CLOTHES 50% OFF

FRI & SAT 10/28 & 29: TENT SALE 25% OFF ONE  
PIECE OF FURNITURE, ARTWORK OR LAMP

VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION DAY SAT 10/29  
11:30-1:30 ALL CURRENT & PAST VOLUNTEERS  
ARE WELCOME!

\*\*HALLOWEEN ITEMS ARE 50% OFF ALL WEEK



*Lynsville Exchange*  
Clothing Sale

ALL CLOTHES ARE 50% OFF!

## Mark Your Calendar for Prescription Drug Take Back Day

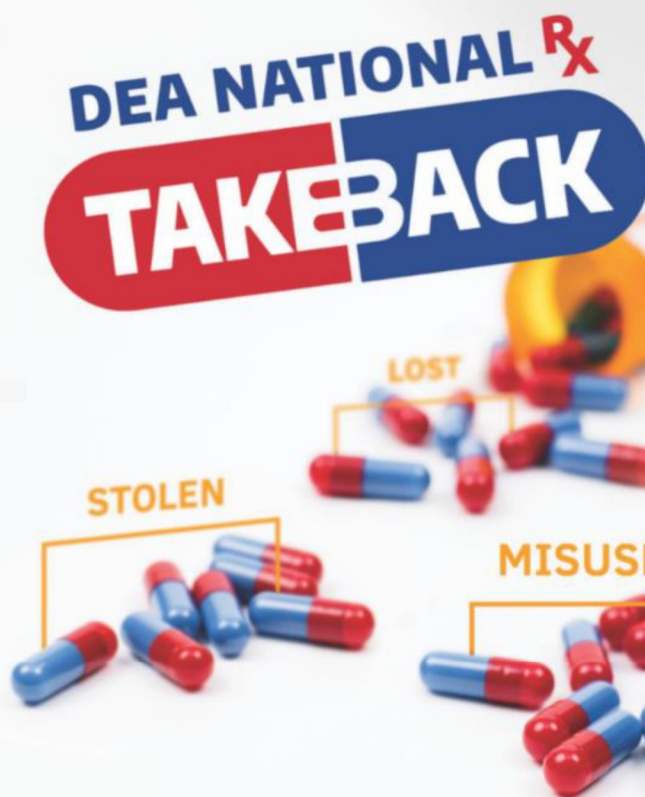
### ALBEMARLE COUNTY COLLECTION LOCATIONS

Saturday, October 29th  
9 am - 1 pm

- Wegmans
- Sentara Martha Jefferson Hospital
- Crozet Family Medicine

#### What to know:

- Any unwanted prescription or over-the-counter medications, vape pens, and e-cigarettes will be accepted.
- Remove any identifying information from medication bottles.
- Medical waste from commercial organizations will NOT be accepted.
- This service is free and anonymous, no questions asked.



The Albemarle County Police Department, in partnership with Sentara Martha Jefferson Hospital, Wegmans, and the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA), will have three drop-off locations for the National Prescription Drug Take Back Day on Saturday, October 29, 2022.

Drug Take Back events are considered the best option to safely discard any expired and unnecessary prescription drugs before they can be misused, abused, or accidentally ingested. Unused prescription drugs thrown in the trash can be retrieved and abused or illegally sold. Meanwhile, flushing prescription drugs can harm aquatic life and humans, as many of these compounds can wind up in drinking water.

This service is free and anonymous, no questions asked.

### What to Know

- Any unwanted prescription or over-the-counter medications, vape pens, and e-cigarettes will be accepted.
- Remove any identifying information from medication bottles.
- Remove batteries from e-cigarettes and vape devices.
- All medications will be handled by ACPD and properly destroyed.
- Medical waste from commercial organizations will NOT be accepted.

## Make plans to vote

### General Election Tuesday November 8

Early voting is under way at County Office Building- 5<sup>th</sup> Street:

#### Early In-Person Voting:

Conference Room A County Office Building at 1600 5th St.

Charlottesville, VA 22902 (1/2 mile south of I-64 on 5th Street Extended)

#### Hours for early voting in Albemarle

September 23 - November 5

- Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 8:30 am to 5 pm
- Tuesdays from 7 am to 5 pm
- Thursdays from 8:30 am to 7 pm
- Saturday, October 29 from 8:30 am to 5 pm

Saturday, November 5 from 8:30 am to 5 pm

Deadline to [register to vote, or update an existing registration](#): **October 17, 2022** (*Voters may register after this date, through Election Day, and vote using a provisional ballot*).

Deadline to apply for a ballot to be mailed to you: **October 28, 2022**. Your request must be received by your [local voter registration office](#) by 5:00 p.m.

Voter registration offices open for early voting: **Saturday, October 29, 2022**.

The last day of in-person early voting at your [local voter registration office](#): **Saturday, November 5, 2022** at 5:00 p.m.

## DRAFT Earlysville Area Residents' League (EARL) Vision, Mission, and Bylaws

Vision: The Earlysville Area Residents' League welcomes, accepts, and celebrates all people, believing that equality and diversity exemplify the long-held ideals and values of Earlysville. It is committed to

- championing equality of worth among people;
- learning, acknowledging, and honoring the unique histories and lived experiences of all people; and
- standing united against any ideology of racial exclusion, superiority, segregation, or domination that perpetuates discrimination.

The mission of EARL is to be:

- 1) a non-partisan forum for communicating information and issues associated with the quality of life in Earlysville, VA and other villages and rural areas in the 22936 zip code,
- 2) to advocate for improving and maintaining a high quality of life within Earlysville, and

3) a source to establish interest and action groups on areas of concern or interest to the community of Earlysville. The EARL accomplishes this mission by working with residents, county/state representatives, community organizations (e.g. local homeowners associations, service organizations), and businesses.

## **Bylaws of the Earlysville Area Residents' League (EARL) Adopted \_\_\_\_\_**

**Article I:** The EARL is a neighborhood organization (*NOT a 501 (c)3 non-profit*) with volunteer officers and committee members. (P.O. Box 684, Earlysville VA 22936)

**Article II:** Officers will be elected for a one-year term, commencing on the first meeting of the calendar year immediately following their election. Positions will consist of President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer. Candidates must be present at the election or have spoken with a current officer about their willingness to serve if elected. Majority approval by attendees at the first meeting of the calendar year will constitute election. Duties of the officers shall be as implied by their titles. All officers shall be responsible for keeping accurate records.

**Article III:** There may be standing committees, which can meet independently of the EARL meetings and provide updates at each meeting of the EARL. Committees may be eliminated or added as determined by the majority of attendees of a scheduled EARL meeting. Suggested topics could be Safety and Security, Education, Publicity/Communication, Environmental, Earlysville Economic Development, Fundraising, History

**Article IV:** Meetings will usually be held the third Thursday of the months of January, March, May, September, and November, and will generally follow Roberts Rules. Additional meetings may be called as determined by the President. EARL will host a July 4th parade through the village annually.

**Article V:** There may be annual dues collected each calendar year. The amount of the dues will be established and approved by attendees at a scheduled EARL meeting. Donations are always welcome.

**Article VI:** Amendments to these Bylaws may be proposed at any scheduled EARL meeting. Upon majority vote of approval, such proposed amendment must be placed on the agenda of the next regularly scheduled EARL meeting for a final majority vote for adoption. Such adoption shall become effective at the subsequent scheduled meeting following adoption.

**Article VII:** Motions made at a scheduled meeting in the conduct of the general business shall be voted upon and moved for adoption by a majority vote of those present. Motions on new matters or topics of general community interest or impact made at a scheduled meeting may be presented at any scheduled EARL meeting. Upon majority vote of approval, such proposed amendment must be placed on the agenda of the next scheduled EARL meeting for a final majority vote for adoption. The context of the motion will be communicated in the meeting minutes of the meeting in which it is presented and noted as being presented for vote of adoption at the next subsequent meeting.

**Article VIII:** Roberts Rules of Order Newly Revised shall govern the EARL conduct of meetings where they are not inconsistent with these Bylaws.

**Special thanks to our advertisers who fund the mailbox and the police officers for the Parade:**

**Earlysville Animal Hospital**

**Earlysville Exchange**

**Buck Mountain Episcopal Church**

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**Little Owl Natural Farm**

**and Realtor Jim McVay, who has just raised his community donation to \$18,000.**

**Come see us soon!**  
**Store Hours:**  
**Wednesday - Friday**  
**10:30 AM - 5:00 PM**  
**Saturday 10 AM - 4 PM**

4006 Earlysville Road, Earlysville, VA 22936 (434) 975-0375  
 To volunteer, go to: [www.EarlysvilleExchange.org](http://www.EarlysvilleExchange.org)  
 All proceeds donated to the community.  
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Contact us if you are interested in a herd share. Our farm soil has been chemical-free since the mid-1990's. All feed is beyond organic and naturally raised. Pick up at farm or Maddux Lighting Gallery, 695 Berkmar Ct., Charlottesville. Healthy soil + healthy pastures + healthy cows = healthy milk CONTACT Little Owl Natural Farm, [csanaturals@gmail.com](mailto:csanaturals@gmail.com) or 434-973-6015



**If you would like to advertise** in future issues of the EARL Notes, please send your jpeg or pdf of any images or narrative to EARL secretary at [ann.mallek@gmail.com](mailto:ann.mallek@gmail.com). Please send your check for \$25 for one issue or \$80 for the year (4-5 issues), made out to EARL. Send to P O Box 684 Earlysville VA 22936. Thank you for your support of our community organization.



Jim McVay has been a full-time, local Realtor for over four decades, and he lives in Earlysville. Call him for professional, hardworking and friendly service that is **effective**.

For each sale in the 22936 zip code, Jim donates \$1000 to the Broadus Wood School or the Earlysville Volunteer Fire Company

To date, \$18,000 have been donated.

Thank you, Jim.

434-962-3420 434-971-6712 jim@jimmcvay.com



## Join Us!

**9:00 Outdoor Worship**

**10:30 Indoor Worship**

Buck Mountain Episcopal Church  
on Earlysville Road in the heart  
of the village.

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2022 -2023 **President** **Nominee Benny Clark**

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Fire house update. Please contact one of our EVFC event managers at [EVFCevents@gmail.com](mailto:EVFCevents@gmail.com) for more information or visit our website at <https://www.earlysvillefire.org> and click on Public Services.

### 979-INFO

The 979-INFO (979-4636) telephone line may be activated to provide the support during emergencies or situations in which there is a heavy call volume from the public.

Sign up for **Code Red**, for Weather Emergency notifications at

<https://communityemergency.org/>

**Sign up for County A-Mail, news in your email. At [www.albemarle.org](http://www.albemarle.org)**

### Websites

- Community emergency page ([www.communityemergency.org](http://www.communityemergency.org))
- Virginia Emergency Services (<https://www.vaemergency.gov/>)
- FEMA's ReadyWebsite ([www.ready.gov](http://www.ready.gov))     · Red Cross

Contact all supervisors at:

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