

# MPNA News

## The Melrose Park Neighbors Association

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MPNA President Caryl Levin

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### Cheltenham Police Open House

Today, Friday, September 14, 2018 from 6:00pm to 8:00pm (in 1 day) the Cheltenham Township Police Department at 8230 Old York Rd. Elkins Park. Come out and meet your Cheltenham Township Public Safety Personnel -- your 1st Responder Heroes! Police, Fire and EMS vehicles and tours of the police station will be available, as well as snacks and drinks. Activities Include:

- Guided Tours
- K-9 Demonstration
- Guided Tours
- Ambulances
- Snacks & Drinks
- Ambulances
- Meet your first responders

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### Cheltenham's first annual Restaurant Week

Cheltenham's first annual Restaurant Week is Saturday, September 22 through Saturday, September 29! "Eat, Drink Cheltenham!", is a celebration of Cheltenham's dining scene offering three and four-course prix-fixe dinner specials at a great value of \$20 to \$35 per person, from Saturday, September 22 through Saturday, September 29, 2018.

Visit, [CheltResWeek.com](http://CheltResWeek.com), the official Eat; Drink Cheltenham webpage, for participating restaurants and menus. Presented by Cheltenham Township and Glenside Local.

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## First Elkins Park Library Book Sale

**Preview Sale: Friday, September 21 (11:00-1:00) \$10 Admission**

**Regular Sales: (No Admission Fee)**

**Friday, September 21 (1:00-5:45)**

**Saturday, September 22 (10:00-3:45)**

**Sunday, September 23 (1:00-3:45)**

**15,000+ Items: Books,CDs,Records,Audio Books,Games, Sheet Music,Manga,Coffee Table Books,Fabric.and MORE Were LOADED with EVERYTHING!!!!**

**Elkins Park Free Library, 563 East Church Road, Elkins Park, PA 19027 215-635-1771.**

**Sponsored by Friends of the Elkins Park Free Library.**

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## Honoring Our Commissioner Dan Norris

Please come to the Melrose Park train station next Sunday, September 17 at 1:30 when we present our capable, hard-working commissioner, Dan Norris, with his plaque. The ever resourceful Cynthia Blackwood (The Frame House) found a rock and installed the plaque on it. Look for it at the station. If you choose, you are welcome at the Cheltenham Democratic committee Fall Fling at 5:00 in Wall Park after the dedication of the plaque. Please let MPNA President Caryl Levin ([caryllevin@gmail.com](mailto:caryllevin@gmail.com)) know which events you choose to attend although, if you decide to attend at the last minute, you are always welcome at everything. Having a rough idea of numbers helps in planning.

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## Bioblitz and Restoration at Curtis Arboretum

Explore the plants and creatures of Curtis Arboretum. Smartphone (or a friend with a smartphone) is required to catalog your findings via an app. Meet next to the dog park. Sponsored by the TTF Watershed Partnership. On Saturday September 22, 2018 at the Curtis Arboretum, 1250 W. Church Road, Wyncote PA 19095 at 8:30 AM - 10:00 AM Contact Info: RSVP to Ryan at 215.744.1853 or [ryan@ttfwatershed.org](mailto:ryan@ttfwatershed.org)

Visit <https://ttfwatershed.org/event/bioblitz-in-curtis-arboretum/>

On that same day, join in to remove weeds from the Veteran's Memorial, reduce choking vines, get garbage out of the stream ... sponsored by the TTF Watershed Partnership (<http://www.ttfwatershed.org>).

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## Remember Amazon Smile

If you buy stuff from Amazon.com, shop with <http://smile.amazon.com/> and choose the Melrose Park Neighbors Association to receive your donations. Without any charge to you, MPNA gets 0.05% of any order you place with <http://smile.amazon.com/>. Its just like the normal Amazon website. Your opening web page is the same, your wish list is the same, everything is the same as with amazon.com, except you support MPNA at no cost or extra effort on your part.

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## This Newsletter

If you have any suggestions for items for this newsletter, feel free to email them to me at [andrewrudin@earthlink.net](mailto:andrewrudin@earthlink.net)

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## MPNA memberships

Membership in MPNA helps pay for plantings, signage, and many other things. Annual dues are \$10 per individual, \$20 per household. Send your contribution to MPNA president Caryl Levin, 922 Stratford Avenue, Elkins Park, PA 19027. The membership cycle is the calendar year.

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## MPNA Board

Members of the MPNA Board are President Caryl Levin, Cindy Blackwood, Ricki Lent, Phil Kates, Michael Shectman, Jim Muldoon, Debbie Posmontier, Andrew Rudin and Albert Fried-Cassorla. If you are interested in helping out with MPNA, please call Caryl Levin at 215-635-7078 or email [caryllevin@gmail.com](mailto:caryllevin@gmail.com) or me at [andrewrudin@earthlink.net](mailto:andrewrudin@earthlink.net). This and other past newsletters are available on our website [www.melroseparkneighbors.org](http://www.melroseparkneighbors.org)

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