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MAYOR BRANDON SCOTT



DIRECTOR'S LETTER

Dear Friends,

Happy Mother's Day to all the moms and grandmoms out there, and anyone who might not be a mother but has or had a mother, or who fills a motherly role for friends or loved ones. We wish you breakfast in bed!

As usual, there are new trips to check out on page 3. Also, we have a Farmer's Market Coupon update on page 4.

Finally: If you are a wheelchair rider on the WEDNESDAY GROCERY SHUTTLE, please call AIM at 410 889 7915 to reserve your wheelchair seat at least 24 hours in advance. If you do not reserve your seat, you will not be able to ride on Wednesday. If you still need to shop but miss your chance on Wednesday, we can make a separate arrangement for you. Thank you for your cooperation.

Warmly,

Laura

P.S. AIM will be closed on Monday, May 27 in observance of Memorial Day.

PPS. Congratulations to AIM driver Kelly Battle, who welcomed her son on May 13! Mom and baby are doing great.

TRANSPORTATION BY REQUEST: SCHEDULING YOUR RIDE

To get access to the TBR program, first you must be an AIM member.

- * **Reservation required. Please call AIM’s office at 410-889-7915 at least ten (10) business days prior to your appointment.** We know that is challenging but this is the price we pay for being excellent, affordable, and in demand.
- * The driver will pick you up from home 30 minutes before your appointment time. When you are ready to be picked up, call AIM and we will send a driver back.
- * When you reserve your ride, the coordinator will tell you the fee, calculated at a per-mile radius rate (under two miles = \$5). Please pay the driver when you enter the car or call AIM to pay by phone (pay by phone only if ride is over \$15). We accept cash, check, Zelle, or money order. Fees are calculated as round trip only.
- * **Medical appointments are always given FIRST priority for rides. At times, AIM may contact you to reschedule your non medical ride.**
- * AIM only drives to non-work destinations.
- * The minimum appointment time is one hour. If your appointment ends before one hour, you may have to wait up to an hour for pick up.

\$3 WEDNESDAY GROCERY SHUTTLES

The shuttle stops at the shops at Towson Marketplace/Putty Hill and, on the first Wednesday of the month, at the Cockeysville Walmart. Return trips are 12:30pm. Please limit purchases to two (2) bags, or what you can carry. **ALL wheelchair riders MUST call AIM at 410 889 7915 to reserve your seat at lest 24 hours in advance.**

<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>PICK UP</u>
Stadium Place	10:00 AM
Woodbourne Woods	10:10 AM
Belvedere Green	10.10 AM
Kirkwood House	10:15 AM
Walker Co-op/Mews	10:15 AM



If you do not live in a residence listed above, you may still be eligible for pickup from your home. Please call AIM at 410 889 7915 on or before Tuesdays to see if you can be part of the route. Not all zip codes can be included.

Should I tip my driver? Tips are neither required nor requested. However, if you wish to acknowledge excellent service by your driver, you are more than welcome to offer a tip.

BUS TRIPS: HOW TO MAKE YOUR RESERVATION

- ◇ **NEW: To give everyone a chance to receive the newsletter, AIM will not take your trip reservations until WEDNESDAY, MAY 1. Thank you.**
- ◇ Call AIM at 410 889 7915 to make your reservation. Let us know if you are a wheelchair rider.
- ◇ Call in your reservation first to ensure a seat. You can send payment promptly after reservation is made, or pay driver on the day of your trip.

DATE	LOCATION/ AIM will call with pick up time	BUS FEE (meal on your own)
FRIDAY, MAY 10	Nick's Fish House	\$10 Please call 5/1 to reserve
MONDAY, MAY 13	Shops at Canton/Moes	\$10 Please call 5/1 to reserve
FRIDAY, MAY 17	Maryland Zoo (\$24 entry fee)	\$10 Please call 5/1 to reserve
MONDAY, MAY 20	Bubba's/Dollar Store Glen Burnie	\$12 Please call 5/1 to reserve
FRIDAY, MAY 24	Dutch Market	\$10 Please call 5/1 to reserve

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FARMER'S MARKET COUPONS

NEW information for 2024!

Here is an update about Farmer's Market Coupons... all NEW this year:

✦ The distribution will take place on Tues, July 9 and Wed, July 10 from 10:00am until 1:00pm each day. The distributions will take place at Keswick's Wise & Well Center, 700 W. 40th Street.

✦ You will be given a debit card to use at the Farmer's Markets, rather than a coupon book.

✦ Instead of waiting in line for your benefit, you will call AIM for an appointment. See next month's newsletter for details on how to reserve a slot.

LET'S GET PHYSICAL ON TUESDAYS!

YOGA — 10AM

LINE-DANCE — 10AM

PICKLEBALL — 11:30AM

QUILTING (FIRST AND THIRD TUESDAYS ONLY) — 10AM



No need to sign up in advance.
If you have questions just call AIM at
410 889 7915.

Classes are held at
St. Thomas Aquinas Church at
37th and Roland Avenue — enter at Roland Ave
Fee: \$3 per session (Quilting sessions are free).

Please note, AIM does not provide transportation to these activities.

LEGAL SERVICES (AT KESWICK, 700 W 40TH ST.)

Free Estate Planning/Legal Counseling

MAY 6 and MAY 20

JUNE 3 and JUNE 17

IN-PERSON, BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

Call AIM office to schedule, 410-889-7915

You will meet the attorney at Keswick's Wise & Well Building, 700 W. 40th St.

An attorney is available to prepare wills, advance medical directives, and power of attorney documents, all free of charge. To qualify, you must be a Baltimore City resident and at least 60 years old.

ST MARY'S OUTREACH CENTER: CALENDAR

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MOTHER'S DAY PAINT AND SIP

FRIDAY, MAY 10

11am-1pm, 3838 Roland Ave, Social Room

2pm-4pm, 3939 Roland Ave, Social Room



For more information, call SMOC at 410 366 3106

LUNCH 'N' LEARN: DECLUTTERING & CLEANING SERVICE

MONDAY, MAY 20

11am-Noon, 3939 Roland Ave, SMOC Office Lower Level

Reminder: Energy Assistance application due June 30, 2024

Reminder: Homeowners and Renters Tax Credit applications due October 1, 2024

Appointments available Tuesdays and Thursdays 1:00pm-4:00pm

Call SMOC at 410 366 3106

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SPANISH, ANYONE?

Want to polish up your rusty Spanish?

AIM offers a Zoom-based Spanish class on Tuesdays at 10am,
(free of charge).

Students must be at the intermediate level as the sessions are
very conversational. At times, students gather later for lunch
and more practice.

If you want to get in on the classes, please call AIM at
410 889 7915 and we will connect you to the instructor.

