

**Town of Kitzmiller**  
**PO Box 339**  
**Kitzmiller, MD 21538**



Mon. Wed. & Thurs. 9A to 3P.

Tues. 10A to 7P.

Friday is my cleaning day.



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there is no answer.



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**Boxholder**

**Kitzmiller, MD**  
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### **Mayor & Town Council Meetings**

**No December Meeting.**

**Monday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2023**

**Meeting will be held at the Kitzmiller Community Building starting at 7PM.**

**If any special accommodations need to be made, please feel free to call the office.**

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If you are looking for **Hard Tack** or **Peanut Butter Crunch** without all the mess, consider ordering to support a good cause!

We have order forms in the Coal Bucket Restaurant to support

Walk MS Team: Team Persistence.

Hard Tack is \$7/lb & Peanut Butter Crunch is \$8/lb.

Flavors of Hard Tack available are: Cinnamon, Butterscotch, Root Beer, Green Apple, Lemon, Peppermint, Banana Cream, Orange Cream, Strawberry, and Mixed Fruit.

All orders are due Dec. 9th and will be available for Pickup Dec. 17th!



This *gorgeous* painting was made by Kitzmiller resident, **Juanita James!**

She donated it to the Kitzmiller Volunteer Fire Department to be raffled.

Tickets are located at The Coal Bucket

Restaurant and will be sold \$1.00 each

OR

6 Tickets for \$5.

#### **Christmas at the Shelter**

The Coal Bucket Restaurant would like to celebrate the holidays with our local animal shelter.

Donations of the following items will be accepted until

Monday, December 19, 2022:

- Animal Toys
- Flat Dog Mats
- Dog & Cat Food
- Soft Dog Treats

Please drop off to the Coal Bucket or call Missi at 301.616.1459 for pickup.

### **Kitzmiller Ruth Enlow Library:**

- Please join us for our Holiday Open House on Friday, December 9<sup>th</sup> from 10A to 3P. Stop in for some hot cocoa & cookies, treat bags for the kids, and register for a door prize.
- The library will have crafts for the kids during Kitzmiller's Old Fashioned Christmas on December 9<sup>th</sup> from 6P to 8P. Make sure you stop by our table for some fun activities.
- **Cover2Cover Book Club** will be celebrating the holiday season on December 12<sup>th</sup> from 5:30P to 7P. We plan to have refreshments and make a craft as we discuss our book selection: A Christmas in the Alps by Melody Carlson.
- **Children's Story Time** for ages 3-5 is every Tuesday from 10:30-11:00 am.
- **LEGO Club** is the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month from 4:30-5:30 pm. For the month of December, we will be building with laser pegs (which are light-up Legos) and having light refreshments to celebrate the holidays.
- **STEAM Kids** No STEAM Kids for the Month of December, please join us in January on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday from 4:30P to 5:30P.
- **Garrett County DSS** will be at the library the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month from 11-3 pm to help anyone needing assistance. Also, a representative from Western MD Consortium will accompany DSS to provide information and meet with customers about the services and support they provide.
- We still have **FREE Covid test kits and KN95** face masks available. Please call the library to schedule an appointment for pick-up.
- Kitzmiller Library wishes you and yours a very Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year!

### **Kitzmiller Empowerment Group:**

We would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! Please keep an eye out for our next community event!

### **Kitzmiller Assembly of God:**

- We begin our Sunday Mornings at 11AM for Morning Worship and Children's Church. Evening Worship begins at 7PM.

### **Kitzmiller United Methodist Church:**

Sunday morning church services begin at 9 AM. Anyone is welcome to attend!

- Stay tuned to Facebook for our announcements about the Food Drops!

### **Kitzmiller Coal Heritage Museum:**

Come check out the Kitzmiller Museum! We have a lot of things to explore about Kitzmiller's Past! The coal mines, the grist mills, the timber mill, and lots more. Please note that visiting the museum is by appointment only. Give Beccie a call at the town hall at 301.453.3449, please leave a message with your name, phone number, and that you would like to visit the museum and she will get you on the schedule!

### **Kitzmiller Volunteer Fire Department:**

The drawing of our Christmas Cash tickets will be held on December 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Keep an eye on our Facebook page for the announcement of the winner.

- We have officially received our Cash Bash tickets! If you or anyone you know is interested in purchasing a ticket, please see one of our Volunteers for more information. They are \$25 each. The event will be held on Saturday, March 18<sup>th</sup>, 2023, at the Elks Lodge.

### **Kitzmiller Head Start:**

- If you or anyone you know might be interested in sending a child to Head Start, please call 301.334.7494 for Judy Fike.
- We will be selling chances for several different gift baskets. Tickets can be purchased at the center at the Kitzmiller School or from a Headstart parent!

### **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CARD**

**PURPOSE:** To collect & distribute Christmas cards to all the residents at local nursing homes in both Garrett & Allegany Counties, along with some parts of West Virginia & Pennsylvania.

**HOW TO HELP:** Make homemade Christmas cards or fill out regular ones, sign them with an uplifting phrase, and take them to a local pick-up site. (Kitzmiller's: The Coal Bucket or Town Hall)

**PLEASE REMEMBER:** Do not address the cards to anyone, leave the envelope blank.

**WHEN IS THE DEADLINE?** December 5<sup>th</sup>! That will be the day collection, sorting, and distributing to the residents.

If you have any questions, like our page "*Operation Christmas Card*" on Facebook!

### **Blaine Full Gospel Church:**

- Sunday School Classes begin at 10 AM.
- Praise & Worship and Children's Church begin at 11AM.
- December 4<sup>th</sup> Special: Bless Our Sanctuary service will begin at 11 AM.
- December 11<sup>th</sup> will be our Christmas Program by the Children at 3 PM.
- Join us on December 14<sup>th</sup> for Christmas Caroling starting at 6PM.
- December 18<sup>th</sup> is our Christmas Breakfast beginning at 10 AM Followed by a special Christmas program.
- Everyone is always invited to attend and worship with us.
- We wish you all a Merry Christmas and a blessed New Year!

### **Kitzmiller/Elk Garden Youth Little League:**

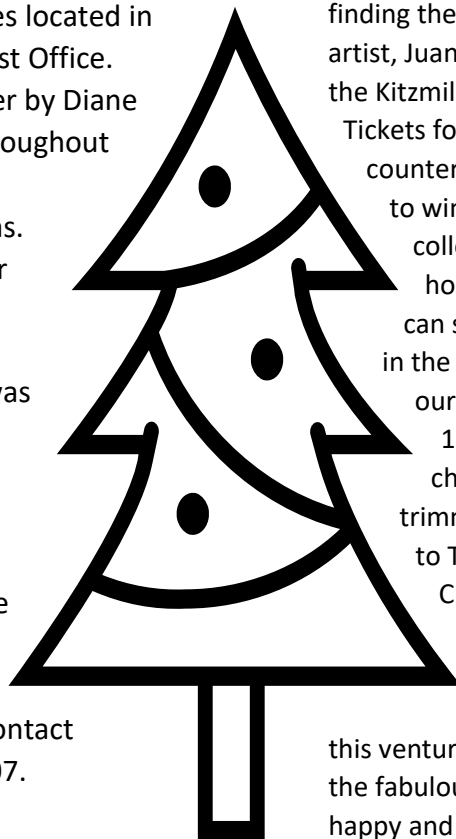


Plans are being made for youth basketball starting in January and continuing through March. Watch our Facebook Page for more information!

### **EXTRA, EXTRA!! READ ALL ABOUT IT!**

There are two Christmas Trees located in the lobby of the Kitzmiller Post Office. The Tall Tree was put together by Diane Nye-Paugh for the elderly throughout our community to receive anonymous gifts for Christmas. Please visit the Post Office for more details!

The smaller Christmas Tree was put together by the Old-Fashioned Christmas Committee for the children throughout the community whose families are feeling the extra pressure of the Holiday Season. If you have any questions, please contact Sharon Paugh at 301.616.3007.



### **Kitzmiller Lions Club:**

Kitzmiller Lions Club strives to serve those in our community. One of the newly found ways we do this, is to help those in need of medical supplies. Hospital Beds, walkers, wheelchairs, potty chairs, you think it, we just might have it. If you or anyone else you know needs any of the above-mentioned medical items or anything else, please feel free to contact Robbie Reckart at 301.453.3418.

- Are you in need of a new pair of glasses? Lions Club is here to help! Call Robbie Reckart at 301.453.3418 for more information!
- Join us at Old Fashioned Christmas on Friday, December 9<sup>th</sup> from 6P to 8P.

### **Coal Bucket Restaurant:**

We hope everyone has a blessed Thanksgiving. We have a lot going on at the Coal Bucket. Santa will be here on December 17<sup>th</sup> at 6PM for the children. Come enjoy story time, hot chocolate, and snacks! Tell Santa what you want for Christmas and grab a snack bag for the kids. We have a box for donations of cat and dog food for the animal shelter. Bring items in and drop them off. We have order forms available for hardtack candy to benefit finding the cure to Muscular Dystrophy. Local artist, Juanita James painted a beautiful picture for the Kitzmiller Fire Department to sell chances on.

Tickets for the picture are located at the checkout counter, get yours today to enter for a chance to win this one-of-a-kind gift. We are also collecting Christmas cards for the nursing homes for Operation Christmas card. You can sign the card, card(s) in and drop them in the Christmas Card Box. We will be having our annual Christmas Dinner on December 18<sup>th</sup> starting at noon. This year will be the choice of Ham or Turkey with all the trimmings. I would also like to take the time to Thank all of those who donated Christmas Trees and Decorations for the Town. We are planning to put up the lighted trees in the Botanical Garden this year and are super excited about this venture. Special Thanks to Robert Paugh for the fabulous idea! We wish you and yours a very happy and healthy Holiday Season.



Ever wonder where the idea for  
Christmas in the Park came from?  
If so, or even if not, you can thank  
Kitzmiller's Own: Robert Paugh.  
Thank You Robert for the great idea and  
all your hard work.  
We appreciate everything that you do for  
our community!

**Old Fashioned-Christmas:**

When? Friday, December 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Where? Kitzmiller School Building

Time? 6 PM to 8 PM

Come join us for our Annual Kitzmiller's Old Fashioned Christmas 🌲

Santa and Mrs. Claus will be there!

Crafts, Games, and Santa's Workshop!

The Kitzmiller Empowerment Group will be selling their bows for the Christmas Tree.

The Kitzmiller Ruth Enlow Library will be hosting a craft for the Kids.

Deer Park VFW will be hosting a bake sale.

Kitzmiller Lion's Club will be serving food!

Highway Assembly of God will have a craft table set up for the kids.

We will also have a Christmas Card table for people to make Christmas Cards for those in the Nursing Homes for Operation Christmas Card!

Come enjoy a Family Friendly evening!