

## **This Week in Bowie August 19, 2016**

### *News & Upcoming Events*

#### **Community Meeting with the Bowie Police – Monday, August 22**

Join the Bowie Police Department for a discussion about policing in our community. Bring your questions and concerns to this town hall style meeting and participate in a frank and open dialogue about police/community relations and how that relationship can be maintained and strengthened. It takes place Monday, August 22 from 7 - 9 p.m. at the Kenhill Center, 2614 Kenhill Drive.

#### **Back to School Bash – Saturday, August 20**

Kids and parents looking for a fun way to end the summer are invited to the City of Bowie's Back to School Bash. Backpacks full of school supplies will be given away to the first 300 attendees (ages 4 to 10). There will also be carnival games, door prizes, contests, food, moon bounces, face painting, and a resource area for parents. The festivities take place at the Bowie Municipal Gymnasium, 4100 Northview Drive, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. A donation of a nonperishable food item or \$3 to benefit the Bowie Pantry is encouraged.

#### **Back to School Safety**

Schools open soon. Please remember to obey the speed limit, give the right of way to those in crosswalks, and watch out for little people on the streets. For more back to school safety tips, visit [www.cityofbowie.org](http://www.cityofbowie.org).

#### **Water Pipe Insurance**

Some residents may have received a recent mailing about water pipe insurance. The City of Bowie does not recommend or endorse any particular company to provide this service. Decisions about the need for pipe insurance are up to homeowners. City of Bowie water customers can learn more about homeowners' responsibility versus the City's responsibility when it comes to pipe maintenance and repair, in a press release posted at [www.cityofbowie.org/pipeinsurance](http://www.cityofbowie.org/pipeinsurance).

**8/20 – 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Back to School Bash** 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. at the Bowie City Gym.

**8/21 – Baysox Game.** 2 p.m. at Prince George's Stadium. The Baysox will recognize Bowie's Centennial during the Bowie vs. Akron game.

**8/21 – Sunday Sunset Concert Series – US Air Force Airmen of Note** 7 - 8 p.m. at Robert V. Setera Amphitheater, Allen Pond Park.

**8/22 – Community Meeting with Bowie Police Department** 7 - 9 p.m. at the Kenhill Center.

**8/24 – Armchair Tour: Rome – Senior Center Program** 12:30 p.m.

**8/24 – Walk Wednesday** 7 p.m. at Governor Bridge Trail. Join Bowie Green Team members on a 30 or 40-minute walk for exercise and to learn a little about the nature around us. The group will meet by the sign in the parking area before proceeding onto the trail.

**8/27 - 8/29 – Maryland Senior Olympics - Pickleball Championships** 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. at the Bowie City Gym.

**8/28 – Sunday Sunset Concert Series – *US Naval Academy Electric Brigade***

7 - 8 p.m. at Robert V. Setera Amphitheater, Allen Pond Park.

**8/31 – Walk Wednesday** 7 p.m. WB&A Trail. The group will meet in the parking area, which is off of Race Track Road, near Kimberwick Drive.