

Sunday April 4

Woodley Park News

Debra Shumate, the new head of the **Cleveland Park branch library**, will be speaking to the WPCA Executive Committee on April 7 at 7:30 pm at Stanford (Connecticut Ave and Woodley Rd). All are welcome.

The Washington International School would like to invite everyone to our annual **Spring Bazaar** on Sunday April 18th from 11 am to 3 pm on the school's Tregaron campus at 3100 Macomb St, with an entrance on Klinge Rd. Lots of fun activities for children of all ages - International Food Court, games & craft activities, moonbounce, book sale, fresh flowers & plants, High Tea, French crepes, vendors and more.

The Stanford in Washington Art Gallery is hosting *Water is Life: African Nomads on the Brink*. This **exhibition of photography by Ariane Kirtley** highlights the struggles of the people of Azawak, a remote area of Niger, as they live on the brink of dehydration due to years of persistent drought and lack of resources. The exhibit runs until May 24.

Friends of Rock Creek's Environment (FORCE) and Woodland Normanstone Neighborhood Ass'n have scheduled an **ivy-clearing and trash-cleanup** event along Normanstone Dr and Rock Creek Dr. All ages welcome. Saturday, April 24, 9 to 11 am.

WMATA has created an online survey that will allow you to tell them what you think about the many fare increase and service cut alternatives in the FY2011 budget. Click [here](#) to begin.

Sharing Backyards is a grassroots community resource in the DC metro area that connects would-be gardeners without garden space with people who have space they're willing to share. See what they have [on their website](#).

CALENDAR

The **WPCA Executive Committee** usually meets on the first Wednesday of the month; the next meeting will be at 7 pm on Wednesday April 7 at Stanford (Connecticut Ave and Woodley Rd). A draft agenda should be posted [on the website](#) a few days before the meeting. All are welcome.

A program on the special **zoning regulations for the Woodley Park commercial district** (the so-called "neighborhood commercial overlay district" rules) will be at 7:30 pm on Wednesday April 14 at Stanford (Connecticut Ave and Woodley Rd).

Hazardous waste pick-up and paper-shredding party. Saturday April 17, 10 am to 1 pm. Details available [on our website](#).

Woodley Park East-of-Connecticut Neighborhood Cleanup. Clean the alley, green-spaces, your own yard, behind the zoo fence – whatever is bothering you! In the alley between Cathedral Ave and Woodley Pl. Saturday April 17, 9 am to 1 or whenever (rain date April 18).

Oyster-Adams Bilingual School Annual Auction. Food, music and a live auction — all for a good cause. If you can't attend, there's also an [online auction](#). Saturday, April 17, 7 to 11 pm at the Hilton Washington Hotel, 1919 Connecticut Ave. Tickets may be purchased [online](#) (\$25) or at the door (\$35).

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