

RIDGELY'S RECORD

A Newsletter for the Residents and Businesses of Ridgely's Delight, an Historic Community

January 2019

Tom Light was a Ridgely's Delight neighbor who believed in the unity of community. There have been few neighbors whose words and deeds outlasted their mortal lives on our earth. If Barney Farnham loved this neighborhood and Brian Dale favored historic preservation and clean safe streets, then Tom Light was the quintessential ambassador and convivial host of Ridgely's Delight.



To know and love Tom was to be well fed and hanging out with your neighbors at one of his legendary house parties, backyard barbeques, crabfeasts, movie nights in Conway Park, or Orioles games.



Tom was our vice president and it was his personal mission to ensure that we were having fun, interacting with one another, and leading meaningful lives of genuine gratitude. Tom was a doer and once he stated his intentions to undertake a project, it was as good as done. He brought us all along and opened doors for us. Tom touched many people's lives in miraculous and wonderful ways.

Tom believed in inclusiveness and there was no problem so large that could not be solved with food, drink, music, baseball, or other entertainment activities among his family, friends, and neighbors.



Please keep his wife and son, Debbie and Miles as well as their family and friends in your thoughts and prayers this holiday season. Sadly, we lost a bright light in Ridgely's and our neighborhood will have a new guardian angel on the boulevard in 2019.

Please join your neighbors in a silent moment or a shared memory of Tom and know that his spirit and joy for life were a blessing to Ridgely's Delight.

We'll get together as a community twice in the first week of the year. On Wednesday, January 2nd, please join us at the first community meeting of the year and meet the new board at Frank and Nic's at 7 pm. On Friday, January 4th, please join your neighbors at the Corner Bistro Wine Bar from 6 pm for the 1st First Friday event of the year.

**Ridgely's Delight Association (RDA)
Community and Board Meetings**

The January community meeting will be held on Wednesday, January 2 at 7 p.m. at Frank and Nic's. Community meetings are always held on the first Wednesday of the month, but the location varies. You are welcome to attend if you live, own property, or a business in Ridgely's Delight.

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NEXT STREET SWEEPING DATES
January 16 (odd side)
January 23 (even side)

Trash is picked up every Wednesday.

Recycling is picked up every Friday.

Street sweeping occurs every 3rd Wednesday on the odd side of the street and every 4th Wednesday on the even side of the street.



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