



Literacy Council of Carroll County

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Three Cheers Tutors and Volunteers

Those monthly “nagging” emails reminding people to send in their tutoring and volunteering hours have really shown the work you have done.

The tutors have committed just over 1800 hours from the first of June 2016 to June 2017.

Our volunteers that help at our fundraisers, do office work both in Westminster and in Taneytown, serve on our Board of Directors and ensure our outreach continues have committed over 600 hours.



Welcome to Amy Wallace-Yingling who has joined our Board of Directors.

South County

Heidi White, Student Tutor Coordinator, and Sam Greenholtz, Director, opened a dialogue with Springfield State Hospital to train several members of Springfield’s staff in the use of our programs to teach adult learners. On May 16, Heidi showed staff how to test members of the facility and place them in appropriate educational levels. She presented the workbooks, readers and teacher’s guides that we use.

The program was so enthusiastically received that Springfield elected to buy their own materials rather than use the few materials that we would have donated.

We will continue to support the effort at Springfield as we expand our services throughout the County.



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★ ★ ★ ★ ★ 18th Annual Spelling Bee ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

What a great time was had by all who attended the Spelling Bee on April 27 at The Portico at St. John's Church. The evening began with a buffet dinner and desserts catered by Stonehouse Cakery and Café. Herb Sell on the piano entertained during dinner. Sheriff Jim DeWees was our master of ceremonies, Lisa Picker, Carroll County Library, was the judge and Judge Fred Hecker was our pronouncer. The spelling competition began promptly with the introduction of our 9 teams. At intermission we had a Trivial Contest with one lucky table winning 10 pizzas gift certificates.

The winning team from Carroll Community College was
The Didactidactyls

who graciously accepted their trophy from Delegate Haven Shoemaker.

The Literacy Council thanks all of our event sponsors especially Penguin Random House, Giant and Wegman's.

Just a reminder for September

8th Annual Charity Tournament
2nd Year for the Literacy Council of Carroll County

HOLD THE DATE - SEPTEMBER, 22, 2017

TEAM \$400 • INDIVIDUAL \$100 • TEAM with HOLE SPONSOR \$450

For Team Registration call:
Scott Greenholtz, J&G Liquors, 410.596.3811
Sam Greenholtz, Literacy Council of Carroll Co., 410.598.6981

Registration begins at 7:00 AM • **Tee Off** 8:00 AM sharp
Coffee, Doughnuts provided
Lunch and prizes immediately following at the course.