



THE HERITAGE

Farewell, Fine Fellow... J. William Middleton Retires

J. William Middleton retires from the Garrett-Jacobs Mansion Endowment Fund Board as a Trustee after 15 years of service. In Bill's own words, "I was asked by Pierce Linaweaver and Jack Gillette both of whom were GJMEF Board members and past Engineers Club presidents to join the Foundation board. I felt honored to be asked by them. In addition, I very much like history and Baltimore. The Foundation gave me the opportunity to do both. It was a real pleasure to work with other members of the Board and The Engineers Club in making the Mansion, a national treasure, available to the citizens of Baltimore."

Bill served the GJMEF with insight, business acumen, and gentle humor. He was unfailingly cordial and respectful in his dealings with everyone. He brought more than 50 years of banking experience in the Mid-Atlantic area. He was President of Equitable Bank for the last five years of his 25-year tenure. He was Managing Director at Evergreen Capital, LLC., an investment banking firm providing services to entrepreneurs of privately-held middle-market companies through the Mid-Atlantic region. Prior to Evergreen Capital, Bill was a director at Mason Dixon



Bancshares, Inc., Bank of Maryland. He joined the Board of CFG Community Bank in June 2010 with a passion for helping to create a significant, locally-based community bank to serve the banking needs of the Baltimore business community.

Robert Schaefer, who was the Executive Director of the France-Merrick Foundation in Baltimore from 1996 to 2013, crossed paths with Bill a number of times. Bob stated that knowing Bill was "generally in regard to his tireless fundraising efforts for the Garrett-Jacobs Mansion's restoration which France-Merrick Foundation supported, since historic preservation was one of its focuses." Bill serves on the boards of Glen Meadows Foundation, Presbyterian Eye, Ear, and Throat Charity Hospital, and Professional Advocate, a provider of liability insurance to the healthcare community. He has served as Chairman of the Board of McDonogh School, the Better Business Bureau of Baltimore, March of Dimes, and many other community organization boards. Back to the Garrett-Jacobs Mansion Endowment Fund.

Carl E. Eastwick, the current GJMEF Board President, stated, "Bill was the heart and soul of the launch of serious fundraising

The Mansion is the Place to be this Season and Every Season... Calendar of Events

Friday, September 22

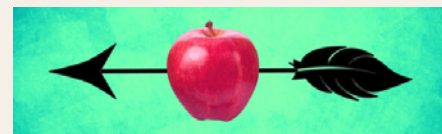
Time: 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, September 24

Time: 3:00 p.m.

***Baltimore Concert Opera
presents***

***Guillaume Tell
By Gioachino Rossini***



When considering Rossini's last opera, most people think either of its "Lone Ranger" overture or the indelible image of a boy with an apple on his head, waiting for his father to loose an arrow. But there is so much more to Rossini's epic.

Tickets: Start at **\$27.50**

Complete your BCO experience with a delicious dinner or brunch buffet before the Opera. The full buffet including tax and gratuity is **\$42**.

For performance and dining reservations, visit **baltimoreconcertopera.com** or call **443-445-0226**.



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The mission of the Garrett-Jacobs Mansion Endowment Fund is to preserve and restore the Mansion as a National Historic Landmark and to share the history, architectural and civic legacy of the Mansion for the benefit and education of the public.

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efforts for the Endowment Fund. In that connection, he worked closely with Doug Suess, Bruce Votta, and J.C. Weiss, fellow trustees. He seemed to be on very friendly terms with anyone who was associated with any charitable foundation that had a remote interest in making contributions to the Endowment Fund. It is not surprising that he was extraordinarily successful in breaking the ice with these foundations and convinced them that they should help us in our effort to restore the Mansion. Of course, he took no credit for that success." J.C. Weiss, also

a fellow trustee and former president of The Engineers Club, praised Bill's "patience, perseverance, and vision saying that working with him was like taking a Master Class in Fundraising." In Bob Schaefer's opinion, "paying tribute for all Bill's work on behalf of the Mansion is most appropriate."

Bill ends his tenure with "My service on the Board was very rewarding for me, as well as, just plain fun and I will miss it." We will sorely miss him too. ■

**Another Success...
The Twelfth Annual Joint Board of Directors
Golf Tournament**

This year's Tournament was held on Monday, July 24 at the Country Club of Maryland. Members of the Engineers Club, Friends of the Mansion, and their guests raised over **\$45,000** for the Garrett-Jacobs Mansion Endowment Fund.

As golfers arrived at the country club, they received a sleeve of Titleist NXT Tour golf balls (sponsored by Whiting-Turner Contracting Company) at check-in. On their golf carts sat a set of four Engineers Club etched double old-fashioned glasses. They then enjoyed lunch (sponsored by Leach Wallace) and a \$100 shopping spree in the Titleist FootJoy Golf Tent. Many made their way to their carts with new golf balls, Titleist Orioles-themed hats, golf shirts, and duffel bags in hand—some even had a new putter or wedge to put to use.

This year's tournament enjoyed a temperature in the high 80s with light breezes, a simply perfect day for golf. After their rounds, the players gathered in the Clubhouse Tent for a drink at the bar (sponsored by Whitney, Bailey, Cox & Magnani) and then a classic dinner (sponsored by N.H. Yates & Company) that started off with a raw oyster bar, followed by grilled-to-order New York strip steaks, salads, and more. The meal ended with house-made peach or blueberry cobblers.



At dinner, awards and thanks were given to all of the sponsors including Advanced Thermal Solutions, Ariosa Co., Ames & Gough, Carrier Direct, Century Engineering, Critical Systems, Emjay Engineering, Hudak's Insulation, James Posey Associates, KCI, Kimball Construction Co., MJ Morgan Group, The Morin Company, LLC, Mueller Associates, Quality Solutions, Trane Victaulic, Waldron of Maryland, Wallace Montgomery, Ward-Boland, and Whitman, Requardt & Associates.

Mark your calendars for **Monday, August 20, 2018**. Sign up now as next year's event is sure to sell out. Contact **J@esb.org** for sponsorship information.



Thank you to all of those who contributed and volunteered their time. ■

New GJMEF Trustee... Christopher T. McCarthy

"Chris is a great addition to the Board and he will continue to assist us with the funding and management of our Mansion's restoration projects and other missions of the GJMEF."

Bruce Votta,
GJMEF Trustee and Past President

In his own words, Chris stated "Leach Wallace has been involved in the ESB for many years. I believe Bob Leach had a large impact while involved in both the ESB and GJMEF. With Bob exiting the GJMEF



Board, I thought it would be good for a LW representative to serve." Chris added that he is "involved with Bruce Votta and Doug Suess on the current Capital Campaign and with Bruce helped secure the funding from the Stasiak Foundation."

Christopher McCarthy is the Executive Vice President of Leach Wallace Associates, Inc. with over 32 years of consulting engineering experience. Mr. McCarthy holds a Bachelor of Architectural Engineering Mechanical Option degree from the Pennsylvania State University. He is a certified Healthcare Facility Design Professional, a LEED Accredited Professional and is a registered professional engineer in Maryland and the District of Columbia. He began his career at Mueller Associates, Inc. leaving in 1990 when Leach Wallace Associates, Inc. was founded.

Chris has been a member of the Baltimore Yacht Club since 1998 and currently serves as a Director on the Holding Corporation for the Yacht Club. He is active in the Chesapeake Area Society of Healthcare Engineering (CASHE). Chris is a past president of The Engineers Club and has served as the Fire Ball Chairman benefiting the Garret-Jacobs Mansion Endowment Fund for the last nine years. In those years over \$590,000 has been raised for the Fund.

Douglas Suess, GJMEF Trustee and Treasurer sums it up, "Chris McCarthy and his firm Leach Wallace have been instrumental in the success of our largest Mansion fundraiser, which is the Fire Ball. Each year the event has approximately 450 attendees and is one of the finest events in the Baltimore area." ■

Site preparation and demolition commences for New Addition.



Calendar of Event *continued from page 1*

Sunday, October 29

Organ Presentation & Tours

Time: 1:00 Docent Tours

**Time: 2:00 Organ Presentation/
Demonstration**

Cost: FREE

This presentation will be on how the organ works. Short pieces of music will be played throughout the presentation to demonstrate the organ.

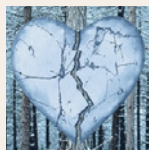
Make reservations through **Patti** at **410-539-6914** or e-mail **patti@esb.org**

Friday, November 10

Time: 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, November 12

Time: 3:00 p.m.



Baltimore Concert Opera presents

Werther

By Jules Massenet

Based on Goethe's famous novel, Massenet's opera centers on the common theme of unrequited love. Combining lush melodies with the tragedy of young love, the opera promises an evening where no eye remains dry.

Complete your BCO experience with a delicious dinner or brunch buffet before the Opera. The full buffet including tax and gratuity is \$42.

For performance and dining reservations, visit **baltimoreconcertopera.com** or call **443-445-0226**.

Saturday, November 18



Crush 2017

See the back page
for dazzling details.

Sunday, December 3

Time: 2:00

Cost: FREE



Organ Concert Christmas at the Silent Movies & Holiday Singalong

Come enjoy a fun-filled afternoon for all ages as the Silent Movie Series continues with "Christmas at the Silent Movies." Holiday shorts include "A Christmas Carol," "The Night Before Christmas," "Santa vs. Cupid," "A Holiday Pageant," and "A Winter Straw Ride" ending with a holiday sing-a-long led by J Austin Bitner. James Harp, renowned organist & Artist in Residence provides a fabulous atmospheric accompaniment on the newly-christened Magnani Wurlitzer Pipe Organ in the beautifully restored Ballroom. Admission includes a bag of popcorn. A Cash Bar will be available throughout the performance.

Reservations are required by calling **410-539-6914** or e-mailing **patti@esb.org**.

Saturday, December 16

Time: 1:00 p.m.

Optional Brunch Time: 11:00-12 noon

Sunday, December 17

Time: 3:00 p.m.

Optional Brunch Time: 1:00-2:00

Concert Artists of Baltimore presents

Christmas Cheer

This annual holiday tradition features cherished Christmas favorites and undiscovered gems along with a champagne toast and carol singalong. Purchase your tickets quickly for this event sells out every year.

Make a day of it! The performances can be combined with an optional, pre-concert champagne brunch buffet. Must purchase concert tickets to enjoy the brunch.

Concert Cost: \$15/\$35

Optional Brunch: \$45

Separate concert tickets and separate optional brunch reservations are required. Visit **cabmusic.org** or call **410-625-3525 ext. 101** ■



Friday November 18th at 7:30 p.m. The Crush "U.S. Wines Rated 90 Points or Better"

Cost: \$95 per ticket. VIP admission is available with sponsorships. Valet Parking

This year's Crush is sure to please any wine lover. Our annual wine tasting and gourmet food event, that benefits the Garrett-Jacobs Mansion Endowment Fund, is a palate pleaser as well as a great fundraiser to keep this Baltimore historic building alive and vibrant.

This year's guests will sample wines from the United States rated 90 points or higher by the industry's leading wine publications. The wines will be paired with gourmet food including pan-seared Chilean sea bass, pork tenderloin sliders, braised short ribs, baked oysters with jumbo lump crab meat, and creole shrimp bisque.

All wines tasted at Crush 2017 will be available for order—priced at a discount. Orders will arrive in time for the holidays. General Admission includes food, wine, and optional Wine Education Seminar entitled, "Taste Like the Experts" led by sommelier Tim O'Hare. For sponsorship information, please contact **Bob Leach** at Leach Wallace Associates, rleach@leachwallace.com or **410-579-8100**. Tickets may be purchased via the website esb.org. Scroll down to the Crush logo on the homepage and click it. It will take you to Event Details and Ticket Purchasing. For more information, call **410-539-6914**.

Save The Date...



The Fire Ball
Saturday
February, 24
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DONOR RECOGNITION OPPORTUNITIES AMOUNT

(previous and current donations cumulative)

\$100,000 & UP- Diamond Level—Stanford White Society

\$50,000 & Up- Platinum Level—John Russell Pope Society

\$25,000 and above Gold Level—Marble Hall Society

\$10,000 and above Silver Level—Tiffany Dome Society

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\$1,000 and above Mansion Society Honor Roll

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