



E-Newsletter

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Restoration Since 1989*

Join the "Gunpowder in 2050" Conversation



The future of the Gunpowder is...Collaboration! On February 23rd, twenty seven participants attended our first "Gunpowder in 2050" Roundtable at the Perry Hall Library. While we are still synthesizing the next steps, we are pretty confident the outlook is positive! The final activity was to write down a single word about "What gives you hope for the future of the Gunpowder?"; the answers are captured in the word cloud above.

It's not too late to join the conversation for our final Roundtable on March 9th at the Cockeysville Library (5:30-7:30 pm). Did we mention that pizza will be served?!



[Register Today](#)

Time to Plant More Trees

While we're not sure if we actually had a winter here in Maryland, we do know that spring is officially around the corner. And spring means it's time to plant trees with GVC! Spend a Saturday morning outdoors with a group of like-minded people interested in making a difference for future generations.



Make sure you register yourself, your family and/or volunteer group as soon as possible. Advance registration is required and some dates are already close to full.

- **Saturday, April 1** (10 am - 1 pm): [Tree Planting \(Monkton\)](#)
 - **Saturday, April 8** (10 am - 1 pm): [Tree Planting \(Monkton\)](#)
 - **Saturday, April 15** (10 am - 1 pm): [Tree Planting \(Glen Arm\)](#)
 - **Saturday, April 22** (10 am - 1 pm): [Tree Planting \(Loch Raven\)](#)
 - **Saturday, April 29** (10 am - 1 pm): [Tree Planting \(Loch Raven\)](#)
 - **Saturday, May 6** (10 am - 1 pm): [Tree Planting \(Lutherville\)](#)
 - **Saturday, May 13** (10 am - 1 pm): [Tree Planting \(Parkton\)](#)
 - **Saturday, May 20** (10 am - 1 pm): [Tree Planting \(Loch Raven\)](#)
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Farewell Party for Peg Perry



For over 15 years, GVC has had the privilege of having Peg Perry as its first full-time staff member. Under Peg's leadership, our grassroots organization grew into the GVC you know today. One that is committed to healthy lands, healthy waterways, and healthy communities for everyone within the Gunpowder Watershed. During that time, Peg helped plant THOUSANDS of native trees and likely inspired just as many volunteers.

That is why we would love to have you join us on March 11 as we wish Peg the best of luck in her new role at the Jacksonville Senior Center. We know she will do a great job connecting Baltimore County seniors to educational programs and healing opportunities. Best of all, her work will still benefit residents of the Gunpowder Watershed.

We will be at **Pine Ridge Golf Course (2101 Dulaney Valley Rd)** on **Saturday, March 11 from 3 - 5 pm**. Meet us inside the clubhouse near the main parking lot. We will have something sweet to share with all of our guests!



Job Openings at GVC

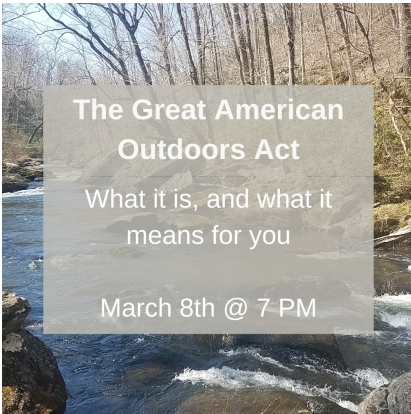
GVC is currently seeking applicants for [Forest Stewardship Technician](#) and [Chesapeake Conservation & Climate Corps member](#)

Visit the [GVC Intern and Careers page](#) for more details.



Join our Garden Wait List

Dreaming of a new garden featuring native plants? A backyard without standing water? **Click this link** to find out how you can get on our list to receive a rain garden at an 80% discount.



The Great American Outdoors Act

What it is, and what it means for you

March 8th @ 7 PM

Great American Outdoors Act

Join our friends at [Sparks-Glencoe Community Planning Council](#) for their [monthly community meeting](#). Maryland Department of Natural Resources personnel will be discussing the Great American Outdoors Act as well as answering questions about projects in the park system.

Meeting info: Wed, March 8 at 7 PM
Manor Mill, 2029 Monkton Rd, 21111



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