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The insiders' guide to the happenings at The Show Place Arena and Prince George's Equestrian Center



Make Your House a "Home Sweet Home"

AT THE SUBURBAN MARYLAND FALL HOME SHOW

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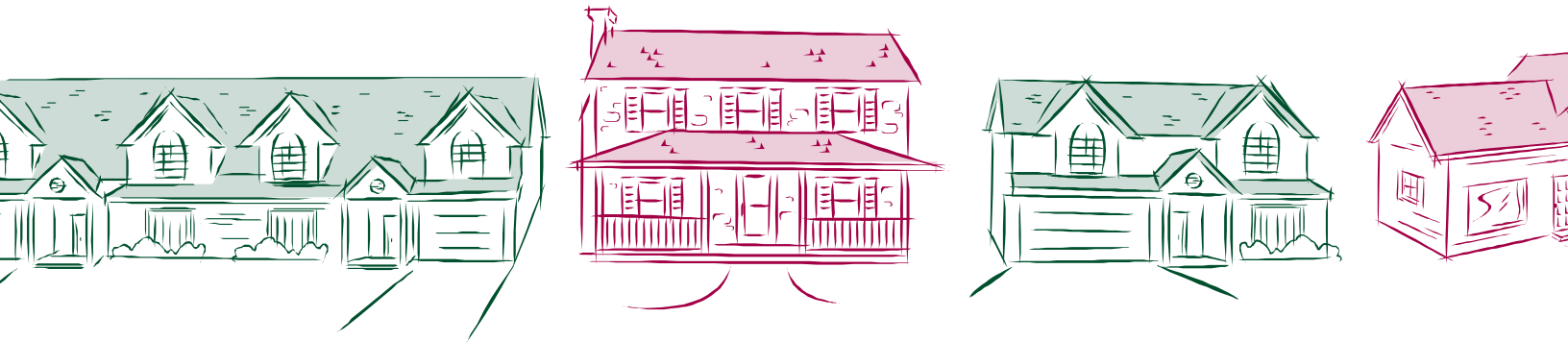
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Integrated solar systems... high-tech laundry rooms... the return of shag carpeting. For the latest trends in home design and remodeling, there's no place like the Suburban Maryland Fall Home Show at The Show Place Arena. From spas and pools to sunrooms, patios, decks, and much more—come with photos of your home or project and an open mind, and leave with loads of great ideas that will enhance the value and beauty of your home.

The Suburban Maryland Fall Home Show is designed for homeowners in all stages of remodeling, landscaping, and decorating. You'll have the opportunity to visit hundreds of exhibits, discover new products and services, and see sample interior and exterior vignettes. Talk to the experts—including landscapers, architects, and interior designers—about your projects and check out the latest in flooring, fixtures, windows and doors, appliances, and

furnishings. Find out why comfort colors are in, specialty rooms are becoming more common, and linoleum may be making a comeback. Whether you're a new homeowner or looking to update your current home, the Home Show will provide endless inspiration and information.

The show runs for three days: Friday, October 26, 11:00 a.m.–10:00 p.m.; Saturday, October 27, 10:00 a.m.–10:00 p.m.; and Sunday, October 28, 10:00 a.m.–6:00 p.m. The cost is \$9 for adults; children under 16 are free. The Home Show is wheelchair accessible and strollers are permitted. Parking is free.

For more information, or to receive an admission discount, visit www.acshomeshow.com. Tickets are also available at the door.

Arena Notes

for more exhibitions and events,
refer to the back of this newsletter

The Capital Challenge Horse Show

Saturday, September 29 through Sunday, October 7, 8:00 a.m.

Wednesday, October 3 through Saturday, October 6, Evening Sessions

Free for spectators

Celebrating its fourteenth year at the Equestrian Center, The Capital Challenge Horse Show is better than ever. On the hunter/jumper circuit, nothing quite compares to the talent competing in this show. Year-end finals draw the best horses and riders to the east coast in a head-to-head battle. The show also offers some of the best in equestrian shopping, with an expanded shop area on the concourse featuring more than 20 vendors. Pick up your holiday gifts early from shops offering unique gift items, artwork, the finest jewelry, and a variety of quality equestrian equipment. For a complete show schedule, visit www.capitalchallenge.org or call (301) 260-2467.

Parelli Natural Horsemanship

Saturday, October 20, 8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

Sunday, October 21, 8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

Admission

Lloyd Price sang “You’ve Got Personality” in 1959, but as far as we know, he never sang about “horsenality.” Legendary horseman Pat Parelli created that word as part of the now-famous Parelli method of training horses he started more than 25 years ago. The Parelli method combines common-sense psychology and communication skills to understand each horse’s unique character, or horsenality. The Parelli method assumes that horses already have the skills they need to thrive and relate to their kind. So, it teaches the human to relate to the horse’s behavior through compassion and mutual respect. Learn more about this unique approach to training at the Parelli Natural Horsemanship show, October 20–21. Find out more at www.parelli.com.



Silverado Arms and Militaria Show

Saturday, November 3, 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

Sunday, November 4, 9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

Admission

Enfield, Mauser, Lebel, Nagant—if these names are familiar to you, you won’t want to miss the Silverado Arms and Militaria Show. But even if Winchester, Colt, and Smith & Wesson don’t ring a bell, you’ll still find many things of interest at this annual event. It’s a great place to learn more about the fascinating history of antique arms and militaria. Bring your old guns and war relics for identification and appraisal, or find parts or ammunition for them. Buy, sell, trade—it’s all here! For more information, go to www.silveradogunshow.com.

MarketPro Computer Show

Saturday, November 10, 9:30 a.m.–4:00 p.m.

Sunday, November 11, 9:30 a.m.–4:00 p.m.

Admission

If your computer is experiencing memory loss—or other signs of old age—check out the latest technology at the annual MarketPro Computer Show. In business for nearly 25 years, MarketPro offers brand new, brand name computers, parts, and accessories direct from the manufacturer, with savings up to 80%. Not only will you find everything computer-related, you’ll also find digital cameras, wireless phones and accessories, DVDs, and video games. If you are in the market for a new computer, ask about custom-made-to-order-same-day-delivery computers at the show. Or if your computer is in need of a fix, bring it along for diagnosis, recommendations, and repair. Visit www.marketproshows.com for more information.

Mounted Games Across America

Saturday, November 10, 8:00 a.m.

Sunday, November 11, 8:00 a.m.

Free for spectators

British soldiers often rode camels and mules instead of horses at the first mounted games in India. After bringing the games back to England, mounted games gained popularity and spread to the U.S. and other countries. Mounted games require a high degree of athletic ability, good riding skills, hand-to-eye coordination, lots of determination, and a competitive spirit. Spectators watching the excitement at the Mounted Games Across America show at the Equestrian Center will see individuals, pairs, and teams compete and carry on this exciting tradition. For more information, go to www.mountedgames.org.

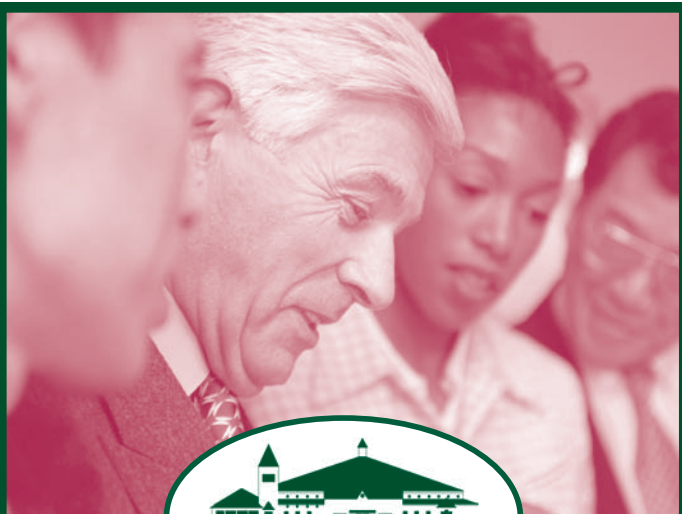
Mark your Calendars

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December 2007

- 1 JAMFest Jumpin' Jam Cheer & Dance
- 8 & 9 MarketPro Computer Show
- 15 America's Best Cheer & Dance Regional Championship
- 16 Cheer Limited Soffe Spirit Northern Open Championships
- 31 Spirit of Faith Christian Center Religious Service

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SHOW PLACE SHORTS

1. Festival Eritrea brought in large crowds wearing native dress and enjoying music from the fascinating country of Eritrea.
2. The International Jazz Festival provided exceptional music on each of the three nights.
3. Maryland's oldest county fair, the Prince George's County Fair, provided fun for the whole family, with midway rides, cows, sheep, exhibits, and music.

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Schedule of Events

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Directions

October 2007

1-7	The Capital Challenge Horse Show	8:00 a.m.
20-21	Parelli Natural Horsemanship	8:00 a.m.
26	Suburban Maryland Fall Home Show	11:00 a.m.–10:00 p.m.
27	Suburban Maryland Fall Home Show	10:00 a.m.–10:00 p.m.
28	Suburban Maryland Fall Home Show	10:00 a.m.–6:00 p.m.

NOVEMBER

3	Silverado Arms and Militaria Show	9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.
4	Silverado Arms and Militaria Show	9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.
7	Meyers Seed Show	8:00 a.m.–7:00 p.m.
10-11	MarketPro Computer Show	9:30 a.m.–4:00 p.m.

All events are subject to change and are correct at time of printing. Receive updated information by calling our **Events Hotline at 301-952-7999** or visit us on the web: www.showplacearena.com

From Washington
Take I-95 (Washington Capital Beltway) to exit 11A Pennsylvania Avenue South/East (Route 4). Follow for seven miles to Upper Marlboro exit. Turn right at stop sign.

From Baltimore
Take I-695 (Baltimore Beltway) to Route 97 to Route 3. Route 3 turns into Route 301. Continue to exit at Route 4 North/West (toward Washington). Take first exit to stop sign. Turn left and follow to the infield at the Prince George's Equestrian Center.

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