

Roland Park E-letter

Web Editor's E-letter

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1. Speed Cameras in Effect.

Lead-footed Roland Parkers are reminded that speed cameras went into effect in Baltimore City this week. Citations will be issued to drivers going 12 m.p.h. over the posted speed limit. Throughout October, warnings will be issued to those caught speeding on film. After that, \$40 tickets will be issued. By law, the cameras must be placed within a half-mile of a school zone. RP resident Matt Doud sent rolandpark.org a list of the locations of the cameras, which is reproduced below. (Thanks, Matt.) "EB" is eastbound, etc.

- 1 — 33rd Street, EB @ The Alameda
- 2 — The Alameda SB @ 33rd Street
- 3 — Caton Avenue NB @ Benson Avenue
- 4 — Caton Avenue SB @ Benson Avenue
- 5 — Liberty Heights Avenue EB @ Hillsdale Road
- 6 — Liberty Heights Avenue WB @ Hillsdale Road
- 7 — Harford Road NB @ The Alameda
- 8 — Edmondson Avenue EB @ Cooks Lane
- 9 — Edmondson Avenue EB @ Woodridge Road
- 10 — Edmondson Avenue WB @ Woodridge Road
- 11 — Frederick Avenue EB @ Catherine Street
- 12 — Harford Road NB @ Christopher Avenue
- 13 — MLK Jr. Boulevard SB @ Pratt Street
- 14 — Franklin Street WB @ Pulaski
- 15 — Harford Road NB @ Rosalie Avenue
- 16 — Walther Avenue NB @ Glenmore Avenue
- 17 — Wilkens Avenue EB @ Desoto Road
- 18 — Cold Spring Lane WB @ Hillen Road
- 19 — Cold Spring Lane WB @ Loch Raven Boulevard
- 20 — Sinclair Lane WB @ Moravia Road
- 21 — Sinclair Lane EB @ Shannon Drive
- 22 — Sinclair Lane WB @ Shannon Drive
- 23 — Orleans Street EB @ Linwood Street
- 24 — Eastern Avenue EB @ Kane Street
- 25 — Hillen Road SB @ Argonne Drive
- 26 — Liberty Heights Avenue NB @ Dukeland Street
- 27 — North Avenue WB @ Howard Street
- 28 — Northern Parkway WB @ Springlake Way
- 29 — Northern Parkway WB @ Waverly Way
- 30 — Northern Parkway EB @ Greenspring Avenue
- 31 — Northern Parkway WB @ Greenspring Avenue
- 32 — Charles Street SB @ Lake Avenue
- 33 — Reisterstown Road SB @ Fallstaff Road
- 34 — Cold Spring Lane EB @ Tamarind Road
- 35 — Wilkens Avenue EB @ Pine Heights Avenue
- 36 — Erdman Avenue EB @ Macon Street
- 37 — Erdman Avenue WB @ Macon Street

- 38 — Madison Street WB @ Caroline Street
- 39 — Franklin Street WB @ Cathedral Street
- 40 — Orleans Street EB @ Gay Street
- 41 — Park Heights Avenue NB @ Violet Avenue
- 42 — Patapsco Avenue WB @ 4th Street
- 43 — Perring Parkway SB @ Belvedere Avenue
- 44 — Pulaski Highway EB @ Monument Street
- 45 — Northern Parkway WB @ Park Heights
- 46 — Park Heights Avenue NB @ Hayward Avenue
- 47 — Park Heights Avenue SB @ Hayward Avenue
- 48 — Cold Spring Lane EB @ Roland Avenue
- 49 — MLK Jr. Boulevard NB @ Washington
- 50 — Lombard Street WB @ Gay Street
- 51 — Harford Road SB @ Walther Avenue

You have been warned!

2. Many Streets Closed for Marathon on Oct. 10.

On the subject of traffic, readers should bear in mind that the Baltimore Running Festival will be held this Saturday, October 10. At various times of day, many streets will be closed to traffic and parking. At certain times during the annual marathon, something as simple as getting from Roland Park to the east side of Charles Street can be a major headache. Details of the street closures for this Saturday may be found at the RP web site, here:

<http://rolandpark.org/documents/UnderArmourBaltimoreRunningFestivalRevised.pdf>.

3. Thefts on Wyndhurst.

Over the past couple of days, there have been two thefts on Wyndhurst Avenue. In one incident, a purse was taken from a car and, in the other, a couple doing yard work out back left their front door unlocked. Someone let himself in and stole the wife's purse. Parkers should always take precautions: even our leafy haven is not immune.

For readers interested in keeping up with local crime, please visit the RP web site at <http://rolandpark.org/crime.html>, on which page are found a number of interactive crime maps, two of the three devised and hosted by RP resident Colin Drane. From his crime-map site, you may subscribe to Colin's free crime e-mail service. I find the service invaluable.

4. Roland Park Country School on the Evening News.

This evening's (Oct. 6) WBAL-TV evening news carried a segment on the Roland Park Country School's sponsored walk today to raise money for the Roland Park firehouse, the city's oldest. The "All-school Walk" has been held for 12 years. The segment can be viewed at this URL: <http://www.wbal.com/video/21220779/index.html?taf=bal>.

Best regards,

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