

August 2023

CWEA YP Newsletter

Online Meetings and Webinars

CWEA YP Committee Meeting

Wednesday, August 9 | 8:30 - 9:30 am

[Teams Meeting Link](#)

Are you a student or young professional in the water industry in Maryland, Delaware, or D.C. area looking to get involved in CWEA? Join us for the monthly YP Committee meeting. Meetings are open to any interested member!

For more information, please contact Danielle Sheahan (dsheahan@brwncald.com) or Tom Howard (tom.howard.water@gmail.com).

CWEA YP Coffee Chat

Wednesday, August 16 | 8:30- 9:00 am

[Teams Meeting Link](#)

Join the YPs for our bi-weekly coffee chat! This week, Chaka Kamran will be talking about the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DE&I) committee and future activities.

For more information, please contact Chaka Kamran (KamranC@cdmsmith.com).

Mid-Atlantic Biosolids Association Monthly Meeting

Thursday, July 27 | 9:00 am

[Zoom Link](#)

MABA will be hosting an upcoming informal meeting. They will be giving a brief update on the MABA Summer Symposium and the opening reception.

For more information, please contact Vaidya Ramola (Ramola.Vaidya@hdrinc.com).



Want your YP event featured in the newsletter? Contact Savannah Steinly at ssteinly@tandmassociates.com and CC cwea.yp@gmail.com

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In-Person Events

July 2023

Washington Spirit Game

Friday, July 28, 2023 | 5:30 - 9:00 pm

Audi Field, 100 Potomac Avenue, DC

[Register using this link](#)

Cheer for the Washington Spirit as they take on NJ/NY Gotham FC in the NWSL Challenge Cup. CWEA YPs will host a happy hour with food before joining the lively supporter section at Audi Field. Only 20 heavily discounted tickets will be available, so look out for the registration link to reserve your seat (\$10 for members, \$15 for non-members, \$10 for collegiate members).

If interested, please contact Nashid Mirza (Mirzan@bv.com).

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In-Person Events

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Baltimore Canoe and Scoop

Saturday, August 19, 2023 | 9:30 - 12:30 am

Middle Branch Park (3301 Waterview Ave. 21230)

[RSVP using this link](#)

Join the CWEA YPs and the Baltimore Department of Recreation and Parks in canoeing near the Inner Harbor and cleaning up the rain leftovers from the shoreline of Middle Branch Park. The park is located just south of the Hanover Street Bridge. BCRP will provide certified staff and equipment for paddling the Patapsco River, so no materials needed! This is a great opportunity to make an impact while having a great time and while meeting fellow CWEA members and other YPs. If interested in coming, please RSVP using the above link. The trip can accommodate a maximum of 30 participants.

For more information, please contact Savannah Steinly (ssteinly@tandmassociates.com).

MABA 2023 Biosolids Management Seminar

Wednesday, August 24 | 8:30 am

Raleigh Neuse River Resource Recovery Facility

[Registration Link](#)

North Carolina One Water is hosting an in-person seminar at the Raleigh Neuse River Resource Recovery Facility on August 24th, 2023. This will be a valuable event for those within MABA that reside in MD, DC, VA, NC and SC. The deadline to register is 8/22/23.

For more information, please contact Sunny Viswanathan (sv@374water.com).

Chesapeake Tri-Association Conference's YP Happy Hour

Tuesday, August 29, 2023 to Sunday, September 1, 2023 | YP Happy Hour August 31st 6:30 PM

Roland E. Powell Convention Center | YP HH at Alley Oops Midtown Bowling- 56th St

[Registration link here](#)

Another great event is planned! All are welcome to join the Young Professionals on Thursday, August 31, 2023, for a fun night of networking! The function will include engaging activities to foster meaningful connections among young professionals from various industries. Attending this event will give you an excellent opportunity to connect with peers, gain valuable insights, and establish new relationships within your professional sphere. We sincerely hope you can join us for what promises to be a memorable evening. We will enjoy happy hour and appetizers at Alley Oops Midtown Bowling Alley on 56th Street from 6:30 to 8:30 PM. Space is limited to 70 people, first come, first served. Registration is required and includes one happy hour drink and appetizers. The cost is \$20.00 per person.

For more information, please contact Jegnow Essatu (jegnow.essatu@wsscwater.com).

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Upcoming Opportunities

Join a CWEA Committee!

[Fill out the form using this link](#)

Check out the list of all CWEA committees and fill out an interest form if you'd like to participate!

CWEA NEW DE&I Committee

[Sign up using this link](#)

One key change in CWEA is addition of the DE&I committee by Chaka Kamran, which is presently chaired by Eric McFarland of WSSC Water and vice-chaired by Monty Simon of JMT. The DE&I Committee aims to increase recruitment opportunities for underrepresented communities and by supporting the development, engagement, and retention of CWEA members from underrepresented communities. The committee will be collaborating with YPs and other CWEA's Committees. CWEA is also working with the Women's Networking Group, which holds an annual event at the Tri-Association Conference (Tri-Con) and currently chaired by Darcy Male, to establish this as a subgroup under the DE&I Committee to allow that group to continue meetings and events throughout the year. Since it is a new committee, this is a great time to join and be a part of this important discussion. Interested individuals who would like to make a difference and relate to this critical movements can sign up to become a member of the DE&I Committee here

For more information, please contact Chaka Kamran (KamranC@cdmsmith.com).

CWEA YP Committee Delaware Representative

The YP Committee is still looking for a representative for the Delaware region to attend meetings, organize events, and perform other duties!

If interested, please contact Danielle Sheahan (dsheahan@brwncald.com) or Tom Howard (tom.howard.water@gmail.com).

Volunteers Needed EIT/PE Exam and License Panel

Have you taken your EIT/PE license exam in Delaware, Maryland, D.C., or Virginia? Are you interested in participating in a panel and discussing your road to licensure experience?

If so, please contact Agam Singh (ASingh1@BrwnCald.com).

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CWEA Government Affairs Committee

[Sign up using this link](#)

The CWEA GAC strives to not only keep our members informed of state and federal policies that impact the efforts to improve water quality and protect the water environment of the Chesapeake Bay Watershed, but also to nurture partnerships with key stakeholders in our region through establishing lines of communication with policy-makers and participating in public policy discussions. We are looking for committee members that would be interested in diving deeper into the regulations and policies that govern the water industry in Delaware, Maryland, DC and at the Federal level.

If interested, please contact Elizabeth Colletti (ecolletti@wbcm.com).

CWEA Public Outreach Committee

[Sign up using this link](#)

The Public Outreach Committee advises, interacts and coordinates with the General Public, Water Industry Professionals and Students on CWEA's mission to build a stronger water community through increasing awareness of the impact and value of water.

If interested, please contact co-chairs Emma Danz (edanz@wbcm.com) and Brandon Friedland (Brandon.Friedland@xylem.com).

VWEA Liaison Position OPEN!!

Seeking a new Liaison in September

This position is a liaison position within the CWEA YP Committee. Expectations include: attending CWEA and VWEA Northern Virginia YP committee meetings, coordinating with VWEA to hold joint YP events, providing VWEA with upcoming CWEA YP events they may be interested in supporting, and communicating the VWEA YP events and calendar to CWEA YP stakeholders to allow for planning and potential collaboration.

For more information, please contact Alana Gildner (GildnerA@bv.com).

CWEA YP Committee Co-Chair Positions OPEN SOON!!

Seeking co-chair volunteers

Be on the lookout for more information coming soon about these great leadership opportunities.

For more information, please contact Danielle Sheahan (dsheahan@brwncald.com) or Tom Howard (tom.howard.water@gmail.com).

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**CHESAPEAKE WEA WASHINGTON SPIRIT GAME
HOSTED BY THE YP COMMITTEE
OPEN TO EVERYONE!**

FRIDAY, JULY 28, 2023

**PreGame Happy Hour - Let's meet at 5:30 pm!
Cambria Hotel, 69 Q St. W., Washington, DC 20024**

**Game starts at 7:00 pm
Audi Field, 100 Potomac Avenue, DC**

This is a networking event for DC YPs and EPs to include group tickets to the Washington Spirit (NWSL) game at Audi Field and a pregame happy hour.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

CWEA Members \$10.00, Non-Members \$15.00, Students \$10.00
Membership status will be verified.

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Contact Traci Storm at traci@chesapeakewea.org

**REGISTER TODAY BY VISITING
THE CWEA WEBSITE:**

www.ChesapeakeWEA.org

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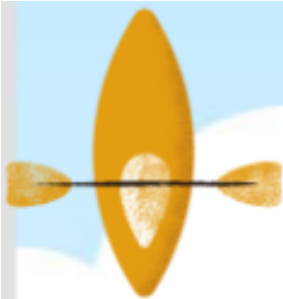
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BALTIMORE CANOE & SCOOP



Make an impact while having fun!



- Canoe near the Inner Harbor
- Clean the Middle Branch Park shoreline

Paddling equipment provided.



**Middle Branch Park: 3301
Waterview Ave. 21230**



**Saturday, August,
19th 2023**



9:30- 12:30 am

If interested, please RSVP and
register with Savannah Steinly

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Come and join us!