Around Crownsville: Flag patrol flies high once again

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For the last six years, Mary Hoffman and her staff at Hoffman Real Estate have helped their neighbors fly the colors on the Fourth of July.



This year made it No. 7 as they placed small flags at each home in Arden, Herald Harbor, Valentine Creek and other neighborhoods.

Three thousand flags in all added to the patriotic spirit and look of Crownsville.

Each year the flags carry a different message. In the past, the flags have carrier history lessons or the lyrics to patriotic songs.

This year, residents had the words to "You're a Grand Ol' Flag." available for singing all day. One neighbor did just that - she hummed...