

****KINGSHIGHWAY HILLS NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION****

****BOUNDARY LINES: CHIPPEWA, MACKLIND, FYLER, KINGSHIGHWAY****
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NEXT MEETING: SEPT. 15, 2011 7:00 P.M KENNARD SCHOOL (5031 POTOMAC)

DEAR READERS ON THE KHNA WEBSITE...

This newsletter was originally composed as hard copy and distributed around the neighborhood. This is the web version created October, 2011.

OUR NEXT MEETING

Our next meeting is Thursday, September 15, 7:00 pm. At Kennard Classical Jr. Academy, 5031 Potomac Street. Enter the upper east parking lot from Fairview. We're planning to hear from 10th Ward Alderman Joe Vollmer, 23rd Ward Alderman Joe Vaccaro, Missouri State Rep. Mike Colona, State Senator Joe Keaveny, Public Affairs Officer Don Veile, NSO Mike Flood and NSO Annette Bridges. They should have plenty of news to share.

STILL A YUMMY TRADITION

As has been our custom for a number of years, we will have refreshments at our September meeting--treats from Ted Drewes!

SHARE THE TREAT

We will have a box available for nonperishable food donations to go to the pantry of St. John's Lutheran Church.

IF YOU ARE NEW TO THE NEIGHBORHOOD...Welcome!

We customarily meet on the third Thursday of September, October and November (and December, if we're up for a party) and in the spring, the third Thursday of March, April and May.

WHAT'S AN NSO?

NSO stands for Neighborhood Stabilization Officer. Mike Flood has served the 10th Ward for a number of years, and Annette Bridges is now the 23rd Ward NSO. Your alderman and NSO stand together to answer your questions and keep our neighborhood a very good place to live.

IF YOU FOUND THIS

NEWSLETTER AT YOUR DOOR...We have our volunteers deliver from door to door only the newsletters for September and March. (Thank you, volunteers!) If you would like to receive future news, you have two ways of doing that...

- 1) Mail in the form on the back of this sheet, or better yet, bring it to the meeting with your dues payment. To receive the newsletter by US mail, membership is necessary.
- 2) If you do not wish to become a member, you may still receive the newsletter by letting us know your e-mail address.

CHECK OUT OUR NEW WEB SITE!

Go to www.KingshighwayHills.com for news between meetings. Thank you to new neighbor and webmaster Brendan Gates as well as Casey Croy for her input. There are links to City of St. Louis website for our aldermen and NSOs.

NEW KHNA OFFICER FOR THIS YEAR

Chad Beffa is the new treasurer, replacing John Carroll. Vice-President Antonette Diani will be serving her first full year in office. Also, we welcome new Executive Board member Brendan Gates.

BE ALERT!

It was reported in last May's meeting that burglar alarm salesmen were going door to door and being rather pushy. The police advise not to let such salesmen inside or to ever buy what they are selling without taking time to think it over. If the salesman persists, call the police. Also, continue to watch out for copper thefts and car break ins. Be aware of people in store parking lots asking for "help".

NORTHAMPTON?

Our aldermen's web pages name Northampton as part of the 10th and 23rd Wards instead of Kingshighway Hills. When our neighborhood was developed in the 1920's, the developer named it Kingshighway Hills. The area north of Chippewa was also known as Northampton. On the city's official list of neighborhoods (some 79 of them) we as well as the Tilles Park folks west of Macklind are considered part of Northampton. Tilles Park like us has its own neighborhood association.

STATE SENATOR JOE KEAVENY

reported in the May meeting on the legislative session. Some of our neighbors questioned him about how he had voted and showed a good awareness of what the State Legislature was doing. The district will not be redrawn until the end of 2011.

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

Again the theme song for National Night Out in St. Louis was HOTHOTHOT!

Whatever block parties took place in the area on August 2 must have moved indoors. Some communities are moving this annual event to October.

DON'T BE MATH CHALLENGED

If you wish to e-mail your alderman through the City of St. Louis website, you must answer a simple arithmetic question before the e-mail can go through. We almost had to take off our shoes.

THANK YOU, RECYCLERS!

Our neighbors are definitely using the blue bins in the alleys.

DON'T DECK THE HALLS JUST YET

but the KHNA Executive Board has decided there will again be a Christmas party meeting this year, on December 15.

Don't forget!

www.kingshighwayhills.com

THANK YOU to the American Czech Center, 4690 Lansdowne for printing this newsletter at reduced cost. By the way, a HOMECOMING with duck or pork and all the trimmings will take place there Saturday, October 15.

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John Mitchell, Loyce Voigt and Tim Watt.

Through 8/31/12

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THE ABOVE IS A FORM TO BE BROUGHT TO THE NEXT MEETING OR MAILED IN. AT PRESENT WE DO NOT HAVE A WORKING MAIL ADDRESS. WE WILL POST THE NEW ADDRESS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.