

*******KINGSHIGHWAY HILLS NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION*******
****BOUNDARY LINES: CHIPPEWA, MACKLIND, FYLER, KINGSHIGHWAY****

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****NEXT MEETING: OCT. 20 **7:00 P.M** *KENNARD SCHOOL, 5031 POTOMAC****

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THIS MONTH'S MEETING

Our next meeting is Thursday, October 20, 7:00 pm. At Kennard Classical Jr. Academy, 5031 Potomac Street. Enter the upper east parking lot from Fairview. We plan 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.

UH, OH...

However it happened, it has come to our attention KHNA does not have a current U. S. Post Office Box. We apologize for any inconvenience to those of you who tried to send in your dues to the PO box.

HERE'S WHERE TO SEND IT...

Dr. LaFlore, the Principal of Kennard, has kindly allowed us to receive mail at the school. If it is not convenient for you to attend our October meeting (and we do wish you could come!) please send your dues to

Kingshighway Hills Neighborhood Association
c/o Kennard Jr. Classical Academy
5031 Potomac Street
St. Louis, MO 63139

GO FACE TO FACE WITH JOE

We discussed in our Executive Board meeting our neighbors who prefer electronic communication to attending meetings. SOMETIMES it is still useful to talk with someone in person, especially your alderman, Joe Vollmer or Joe Vaccaro.

LAST MONTH'S MEETING NEWS

Thanks to our most faithful members and some new neighbors we have 44 paid members for 2011-2012....There is a good response to the blue recycling bins, although there is still some misuse of them. In answer to a question, 10th Ward Alderman Joe Vollmer said that with very few exceptions, it is against the law to stand in the street and ask for money. Best way to reach him; by phone 772-4489 or vollmerjoe@att.net.

THIS ISSUE OF THE NEWSLETTER

has been distributed by e-mail or by US mail to paid members who prefer. Contact our KHNA Executive Board Computer Specialist at caseycroy@sbcglobal.net if you haven't already. Thanks again to the volunteers who distributed the September issue door to door. We picked up two new volunteers plus another who promised at the meeting to help next March.

WE ALL CAN HELP

According to Public Affairs Police Officer Don Veile the city government and the police are encouraging efforts in several neighborhoods to start citizens patrols and other organized activities. A liaison police officer is assigned to the neighborhood. A coordinator of neighborhood activities would be needed. If anyone reading this would like to participate or wants to know more, e-mail Casey at her address above. Or, e-mail dlveile@slmpd.org.

OUR VERY OWN WEB SITE!

www.kingshighwayhills.com. Now more links! Thanks, Webmaster (and now Secretary, too) Brendan Gates!

NSO MIKE FLOOD SAID...

If you have noticed suspicious behavior and are not sure where or how to report it, call him and he will direct you to the right person at the police department. **When reporting nuisance behavior, be sure to give the address of the property you are complaining about, not your own. Be specific about the behavior, too.**

ANNETTE'S WALKING THE ALLEYS

23rd Ward NSO Annette Bridges said she often patrols alleys looking for ordinance violations. She and Alderman Joe Vaccaro are concerned changes in laws related to scrap metal purchase may not solve the thefts, **so continue your vigilance and call the police.**

WARD BOUNDARIES

Despite redistricting, ward boundaries in our neighborhood **have not changed.** If you live south of Pernod and west of Brannon, your alderman is Joe Vaccaro, and you live in the 23rd Ward. Otherwise, your alderman is Joe Vollmer, and you live in the 10th Ward.

DO NOT HESITATE TO CALL THE POLICE ...It is not "bothering" the police to call them. 911 and 231-1212 go to the same dispatchers. If you are not sure you have an emergency, let them sort it out.

PREACHIN' TO THE CHOIR

A member at the September meeting requested we remind everyone to use the blue recycling bins correctly. Most neighbors who have asked to receive this newsletter this month already do. Separate your recyclables and non-recyclables before you head out to the alley. **Remind any workmen in or around your home the alley dumpsters are for our household use only, not construction materials.**

DO YOU HAVE A SUGGESTION FOR A PROGRAM? We hope to have an October program, but plans are not definite. **WHILE WE ARE HAPPY TO E-MAIL THIS NEWSLETTER** to all neighbors, whether they are paid members of KHNA or not, we will cheerfully accept your dues payment of at least \$7 to cover one member of the household.

PHONE DIRECTORY

Citizens Service Bureau-----622-4800
Congressman Russ Carnahan-----962-1523
Mo. State Senator Joe Keaveny---573-751-3599
Mo. State Rep. Mike Colona-----573-751-6736
10th Ward Alderman Joe Vollmer-----772-4489
23rd Ward Alderman Joe Vaccaro-----718-0131
10th Ward NSO Michael Flood-----657-1360
23rd Ward NSO Annette Bridges-----657-1352
Emergency-----Dial 911
Police--Non-emergency-----231-1212
Police Hot Line-----241-COPS
Public Affairs Officer Don Veile-----444-0168
Crimestoppers-----1-866-371-TIPS

**Kingshighway Hills Neighborhood Association
Contact Line**-----643-8454

KHNA OFFICERS & BOARD MEMBERS

President: Don Osiek-----752-3526
Board e-mail----- contact@kingshighwayhills.com
Newsletter questions----- caseycroy@sbcglobal.net

And...**Vice President** Toni Diani and **Board Members** Chad Beffa, Casey Croy (computer), Jennifer King-Sitzes, Marcella Milcic (membership, newsletter), John Mitchell, Loyce Voigt and Tim Watt.

Through 8/31/12

KINGSHIGHWAY HILLS MEMBERSHIP DUES
Individual \$7-----Family \$12----- Business \$25

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