

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

**NEW ADDRESS! SEE BELOW**  
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**\*\*NEXT MEETING: MAR. 15\*\*7:00 P.M\*\* \*KENNARD SCHOOL, 5031 POTOMAC\*\***

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**SPRING IS COMING!**

And with spring comes our first meeting of 2012...Thursday, March 15, 7:00 pm. At Kennard Classical Jr. Academy, 5031 Potomac Street. Enter the upper east parking lot from Fairview. We should have lots of questions and comments for 10<sup>th</sup> Ward Alderman Joe Vollmer, 23<sup>rd</sup> Ward Alderman Joe Vaccaro, Public Affairs Officer Don Veile, and 10<sup>th</sup> Ward NSO Mike Flood and 23<sup>rd</sup> Ward NSO Annette Bridges. Missouri State Rep. Mike Colona and State Senator Joe Keaveny have been notified of our meeting.

**THIS ISSUE OF THE NEWSLETTER**

has been distributed to your home and most of the homes in the neighborhood. **Thank you to the volunteers who have delivered them.** Next month we plan to e-mail the newsletter to those who request it and **send the newsletter by US mail to PAID MEMBERS of KHNA who prefer that.** Casey Croy, our KHNA Executive Board Computer Specialist, can be reached at [caseycroy@sbcglobal.net](mailto:caseycroy@sbcglobal.net) if you have not previously been in contact with her. If you have not paid your dues yet in the 2011-2012 year, please use the form on page 2.

**THE CHRISTMAS PARTY**

While the weather was better than in previous years, attendance was small. Those who were present enjoyed the attendance prizes, the cookies and cake. As usual the tasty empanadas from **La Tropicana Market** disappeared fast. **President Don Osiek** gathered refreshments and prizes and the Christmas music and put us in the holiday spirit.

**THE AGENCY ON AGING---** 612-5918.

**KH + TP = NH**

Not a math problem or chemistry equation... Kingshighway Hills and Tilles Park together make up Northhampton, the name for our area on the city of St. Louis's official list of neighborhoods.

**GUESTS AT THE DECEMBER PARTY**

Mike and Christina stopped by to let us know they are part of a Northhampton group trying to organize a neighborhood watch program in our area in conjunction with the St. Louis Police Department. This program was introduced in a KHNA meeting last fall, but did not receive a lot of enthusiasm from those present. This writer has recently learned (by attending a Tilles Park meeting) that the neighborhood association to our west has decided not to actively partner with the SLPD in this manner at this time. Tilles Park has a block captain program, which it manages together with the Lindenwood neighborhood. We will try to keep you informed of any further news on this topic. Mike may stop in at our March meeting.

**DID YOUR FOLKS GO TO MEETINGS?**

Before long we will be announcing this year's election of officers and other Executive Board members. We need any neighbor who wants to help KHNA. We especially need younger, newer residents to join the Board. So, the question is: **As you were growing up, did you see your parents volunteer at church, the Scouts, the Masons, some other organization? Did you see them leave home to go to meetings? If the answer is yes, then you may be the future KHNA Board member who understands what any organization does in fulfilling its mission and the value of some kind of face to face communication.**

## FAREWELL AND GOOD LUCK

There is another empty seat on our Executive Board because Board member Tim Watt and Nancy Poteete have left the neighborhood. We bet they're going to be too busy gardening at their new home to miss us much!

## CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE

[www.kingshighwayhills.com](http://www.kingshighwayhills.com). If you still aren't convinced about coming to a meeting, stay in touch with us this way. Now more links, including links to the e-mail boxes of our Aldermen and NSO's, not to mention Mayor Slay's website and Twitter account.

## I DON'T DO WINDOWS!

That's what this writer said about 20 years ago, when faced with new kinds of computer software. But she learned to do Windows anyway. If you don't do the Internet, find some sympathetic friend, relative or neighbor to help you when there is no other way nowadays to find the information you want.

## NEWS ABOUT VERNA

Verna Neibert's niece gave her a hand with Christmas cards, so we know her address is now Bethesda Southgate, 5943 Telegraph Road #303, St. Louis, MO 63129.

**CIRCLE THE LAST TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY ON YOUR CALENDAR  
--STREET CLEANING DAY  
OUR NEXT TWO SPRING MEETINGS:  
APRIL 19 AND MAY 17**

**DON'T HESITATE TO CALL THE POLICE** about suspicious activity. Copper thieves have been seen in our area.

**THANK YOU**, American Czech Center, 4690 Lansdowne for printing this newsletter at reduced cost. Duck, pork, goulash dinners will be served there Saturday, March 24.

## PHONE DIRECTORY

Citizens Service Bureau-----622-4800  
Congressman Russ Carnahan-----962-1523  
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10<sup>th</sup> Ward NSO Michael Flood-----657-1360  
23<sup>rd</sup> 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

## KHNA OFFICERS & BOARD MEMBERS

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And... **Vice President** Toni Diani, **Secretary & Webmaster** Brendan Gates, **Treasurer** Chad Beffa and **Board Members** Casey Croy (computer), Jennifer King-Sitzes, Marcella Milcic (membership, newsletter), John Mitchell and Loyce Voigt.

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Through 8/31/12

**KINGSHIGHWAY HILLS MEMBERSHIP DUES**  
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