

# KINGSHIGHWAY HILLS NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

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## **NOVEMBER MEETING!**

Our next meeting is Thursday, November 21, 7:00 pm. At Kennard Classical Jr. Academy, 5031 Potomac Street. Enter the upper West parking lot from Fairview.

**OUR ALDERMEN** are customarily present before and at the beginning of the evening-- 10<sup>th</sup> Ward Alderman Joe Vollmer and 23<sup>rd</sup> Ward Alderman Joe Vaccaro. Usually also present are 10<sup>th</sup> Ward NSO Mike Flood and 23<sup>rd</sup> Ward NSO Annette Bridges.

**OUR ST. LOUIS 2<sup>nd</sup> DISTRICT POLICE** Public Affairs Officer Don Veile will be present or send a representative to report and answer questions. Missouri State Rep. Mike Colona and State Senator Joe Keaveny stop in at our meetings whenever their legislative schedule permits.

## **GOOD TURNOUT IN SEPTEMBER**

We had a nice attendance, and plenty of new and former members joined. Everyone enjoyed the traditional Ted Drewes after the meeting.

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## **OUR NEW MAILING ADDRESS**

We have chosen to no longer receive mail at Kennard JCA. Note our new mailing address on our masthead.

**IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE NEXT MONTH'S NEWS**, mail in the membership form on the back of this sheet, or better yet, bring it to the next meeting with your dues payment. **If you prefer to receive this newsletter by US mail, membership is necessary. If you do not wish to become a member, you may still receive the newsletter by letting us know your e-mail address, or just go to [www.KingshighwayHills.com](http://www.KingshighwayHills.com).**

## **THIS YEAR'S MEETING SCHEDULE**

As mentioned in the September newsletter and agreed upon in the September meeting, we did not have a meeting at Kennard School in October. We did not put out a newsletter either. If the lack of an October newsletter caused anyone to show up on October 17 and find the doors locked, we apologize for the inconvenience. **We plan to have a Christmas activity in December, a meeting in January (that's new), a meeting in March and our 2<sup>nd</sup> annual May festival in May.**

## **OUR PRESIDENT WEARS MANY HATS**

Brendan Gates is our computer guy as well as President. Our website links to Facebook and Nextdoor.com. You have the option of paying your dues at the meeting by "Square" as well as by cash or check. Just see Brendan.

## **CHRISTMAS EVENT**

We are hoping to partner with Family Resource Center, probably at their location at Fyler and Kingshighway, on an activity one evening in December that should be fun and yet help make Christmas brighter for the Center's client families. We should have more to tell you at the November meeting.

**BOY SCOUTS FOOD DRIVE HAS ALREADY TAKEN PLACE**

Because of the way the calendar falls this month, the Cub Scouts won't be at our meeting to remind us of the annual food drive. We hope you were generous, and the drive has been, as usual, very successful.

**NEXTDOOR.COM**

So far we have 49 residents of our neighborhood signed up to receive daily updates. They are a quick read; if you do not find anything of interest, just delete. You can find a link on

[www.kingshighwayhills.com](http://www.kingshighwayhills.com)

President of the Board of Aldermen Lewis Reed uses nextdoor.com to communicate with city residents.

**THE KENNARD PARENTS AND STUDENTS had what appeared to be a successful fall cleanup day on Saturday, November 9.**

There were many busy workers tidying the garden areas and playground.

**AT OUR SEPTEMBER MEETING**

Alderman Joe Vollmer commented on Sublette Park playground renovations and some traffic and parking concerns at Brannon and Fyler. Alderman Joe Vaccaro spoke about new curb corners on Chippewa. NSO Mike Flood asked us to give the Citizens Service Bureau the chance to fix problems. Officer Don Veile warned us to be careful about purse theft while pumping gas. Also, older cars are attractive to thieves for their scrap value.

**OUR EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING was October 21.**

We welcomed Brian Eagan, who agreed to be a board member. We discussed new neighborhood signs. We need to reschedule from the 3rd Thursday in March because of the school's spring break. We ask our members to consider becoming an Alleycat and get involved in Brightside Blitz next spring. An investment/improvement corporation for the neighborhood and our relationship with Tilles Park were further discussed.

**PHONE DIRECTORY**

- Citizens Service Bureau-----622-4800
- Congressman Lacy Clay-----367-1970
- Mo. State Senator Joe Keaveny-573-751-3599
- Mo. State Rep. Mike Colona----573-751-6736
- 10<sup>th</sup> Ward Alderman Joe Vollmer----772-4489
- 23<sup>rd</sup> Ward Alderman Joe Vaccaro----718-0131
- 10<sup>th</sup> Ward NSO Michael Flood-----657-1360
- 23<sup>rd</sup> Ward NSO Annette Bridges----657-1352
- 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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President and Webmaster Brendan Gates,  
Treasurer Chad Beffa and Board Members Brian Eagan, Jennifer King-Sitzes (e-mail list), Marcella Milcic (membership, newsletter), Joe McGuire, and John Mitchell.

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Through 8/31/14

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

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