

KINGSHIGHWAY HILLS NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

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****NEXT MEETING: THURS. JAN. 16**7:00PM*****KENNARD SCHOOL, 5031 POTOMAC****

JANUARY MEETING!

Our next meeting is Thursday, January 16, 7:00 pm. At Kennard Classical Jr. Academy, 5031 Potomac Street. Enter the upper east parking lot from Fairview.

OUR ALDERMEN are customarily present before and at the beginning of the evening-- 10th Ward Alderman Joe Vollmer and 23rd Ward Alderman Joe Vaccaro. Usually also present are 10th Ward NSO Mike Flood and 23rd Ward NSO Annette Bridges. State Senator Joe Keaveny will try to be there.

OUR ST. LOUIS 2nd DISTRICT POLICE Public Affairs Officer Don Veile will be present or send a representative to report and answer questions.

SNOWMAGEDDON

If you have any opinions about how to handle the next "once in two decades" snow event, here is your chance to tell your alderman. We may see 10th Ward NSO Mike Flood, if he is not still on leave because of knee repairs.

MARCH NEWSLETTER

Our next meeting and newsletter will be in March. We plan to deliver paper copies throughout the neighborhood as we did in September. You can still go to our website www.KingshighwayHills.com to read it. By the way, our March meeting will NOT be the third Thursday because of the school's spring break during the third week. It will be the week before, on March 13th. There will be no April meeting, but we are looking forward to our 2nd annual spring festival in May.

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THIS IS OUR FIRST JANUARY

MEETING in many years (if ever) and we hope Mother Nature cooperates. If school is closed January 16 because of bad weather, assume that KHNA has rescheduled as well. If you are reading this electronically, we trust you will find the updated meeting information. If you are reading a paper copy and do not receive our e-mail, please phone 643-8454 and leave a message if you have any questions.

VISIT TO FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER

A sizeable group of us gathered at the FRC on Kingshighway and Fyler December 12 to tour the building and then wrap gifts that had been gathered by the staff for distribution to the children in their care. We learned about the services they offer to abused children and their families. Two of our regulars at meetings donated gifts and paper; we welcomed some attendees we had never seen before at a meeting. Our visit was fun as well as informative, and we would like to do this again next December. This writer is somewhat concerned that those members who do not "do e-mail" may not have been sufficiently aware of the event, so we will set the date sooner next time. We thank Event Manager Tina Nelson for speaking at our November meeting and making arrangements for our visit.

MARDEL GROUP?

We know you're out there....We are glad there are blocks that have developed their own street spirit and communications, but please keep KHNA posted from time to time about your activities.

NOTE OUR NEW MAILING ADDRESS is on our masthead.

CERRADO--CLOSED

Surprising and sad news about **La Tropicana Market**, a mainstay of the neighborhood and a longtime supporter of **KHNA**.

STAY TUNED

No, really, that is the name of a live Thursday night show on Channel 9.

It covers a wide range of local events, and although geared to those who can “tweet” comments during the program, it is interesting to just watch and listen. The program provides a positive take on St. Louis’ ability to deal with problems and move forward.

NEXTDOOR.COM

So far we have nearly 75 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

President of the Board of Aldermen Lewis Reed uses nextdoor.com to communicate with city residents. There are comments from neighboring neighborhoods, not just our own Kingshighway Hills. **Occasionally folks on the site complain about a problem in their area, and obviously don’t realize they could have attended their neighborhood meeting to ask questions and make their concerns known.**

AT OUR NOVEMBER MEETING

Alderman Joe Vollmer said Sublette Park playground renovations were not finished. The Grand Oak Hill management program for landlords is receiving a block grant. **Alderman Joe Vaccaro** commented on a city-county merger and spoke of controlling excessive garage sales on Chippewa. **Officer Don Veile** spoke of probable 2nd District boundary changes. **State Rep. Mike Colona** spoke of what the state legislature’s special session might deal with--Medicaid and school transfers.

STL250.org is the website to visit for news about our city’s 250th anniversary celebrations. **Lots happening February 14-16.**

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- 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
- 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
- Police--Non-emergency-----231-1212
- Police Hot Line-----241-COPS
- Public Affairs Officer Don Veile-----444-0168
- Crimestoppers-----1-866-371-TIPS

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Through 8/31/14

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