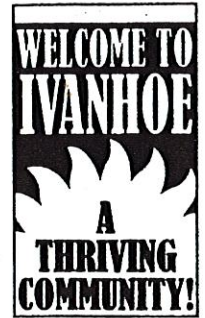


# IVANHOE NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

SECOND EDITION 2007



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## YOU MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR A \$15,000 GRANT

Forgivable grants are available to qualified Ivanhoe homeowners that live in the area of the Ivanhoe neighborhood targeted for the BRITE home repairs grant program. The maximum grant amount is \$15,000.

The Ivanhoe and Blue Hills neighborhoods were approved to receive Tax Increment Financing (TIF) funding for the program made possible through the Southtown and Federal Reserve TIF plans.

Ivanhoe and Blue Hills will each receive \$250,000 in TIF funding, each year, for 10 years from 2007 through 2017. Qualified homeowners approved for grants will also receive a 10-year tax abatement that will freeze their current real estate tax amount.

The initial target area for the grant program is both sides of 36th Street to the north side of 39th Street, Michigan to both sides of Wayne. Homeowners within this area were invited recently to a meeting at Nutter Ivanhoe Neighborhood Center where they received detailed information about the

grant and information on how to apply for a grant.

Homeowners are required to continue living in their homes for five years; at which time, grants will be fully forgiven.

Residents with incomes that exceed the established income guidelines may be eligible to receive a matching loan.

When all eligible homeowners have been served within the initial targeted area, the targeted area will be extended to a broader area within the Ivanhoe neighborhood, making it possible to extend the program throughout the Ivanhoe neighborhood in future years, as defined by the Blue Hills/Ivanhoe TIF Advisory Board.

Our goal is to provide opportunities for Ivanhoe contractors to do the work. Contact Walt May, 921-6611 or 225-9884, if you have questions about the program or if you need assistance in completing your application.

**MARK YOUR  
CALENDAR**

The Ivanhoe office will be closed for the holidays as follows:

- Thanksgiving**  
Nov 22 – Nov 23
- Christmas & New Year**  
Dec 24 – Jan 1

## IVANHOE LANDLORDS' FORUM

Ivanhoe held its first ever Landlords' Forum September 29th, at Nutter Ivanhoe Neighborhood Center, with nearly 80 landlords in attendance. Lots of valuable information was shared with the landlords by Central Patrol police officers and the Multi-family Task Force; Clifford Scott, Kansas City Housing Authority; and Daniel Schmelzinger, City's Rental Housing

Administrator, Dept. of Neighborhood and Community Services. Dr. Robyne Turner served as moderator. Landlords expressed interest in continuing to meet to solve problems and strengthen the neighborhood. One of the landlords, Zsa Zsa Addison volunteered to convene the group for a second meeting to be held November 10th at 10 AM.

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**TO YOUR HEALTH**

**There's More to Sodium Than Salt**

Most of us think of sodium as salt. Salt is a major source of sodium in our diets. But, it isn't the only source. Almost all foods have some natural sodium. Baking soda, baking powder, soy sauce, and the preservatives added to process foods also contain sodium. Your body needs some sodium every day, but too much can be bad for your health.

**Why Worry About Sodium?**

There are many reasons to watch how much sodium you eat. Too much sodium can be linked to high blood pressure (hypertension). The higher your blood pressure, the greater your risk for heart disease, stroke, and kidney problems. Too much sodium can also cause your body to hold excess fluid, which can make certain conditions worse.

**How Much Sodium Should You Have?**

Most Americans eat between 4,000 and 7,000 mg (milligrams) of sodium a day. Yet, the recommended amount is less than 2,400 mg. a day. That's about 1 teaspoon of salt. If you have high blood pressure or another health problem, your healthcare provider may tell you to eat less than 2,400 mg of sodium a day. Once you know your total daily limit, divide it by three. This will tell you the amount of sodium you can have at each meal.

**Shaking the Sodium Habit At Home**

A taste for high-sodium foods is something you learn. And something you can change. It may take 2-3 months to adjust to eating low-sodium foods. To help you shake the sodium habit without giving up flavor, try the following tips.

**Cooking Without Sodium**

For your taste buds to adjust, you need to make all of your meals and snacks low-sodium. Here are some tips to help you cook with less sodium. Looking through a cookbook with low-sodium recipes can give you more ideas.

- ♥ Take the saltshaker off the table and stove.
- ♥ Don't salt cooking water or add salt while preparing meals.
- ♥ Season with lemon or lime juice, flavored vinegars, and herbs and spices.
- ♥ Use plain garlic and onion powder instead of the salted versions.

- ♥ Use fresh or dried herbs and spices instead of packaged seasoning mixes.
- ♥ Use only small amounts of high-sodium condiments, such as catsup, mustard, relish, chili sauce, and soy sauce. Try the reduced sodium versions of these products instead.
- ♥ Use half or less of the salt called for in recipes.
- ♥ Use sodium-free baking powder.
- ♥ Try products called "light" salt, but use it sparingly.

**Less Is Better**

Cutting down on sodium can help you stay healthier. It can also help you feel better. And low-sodium foods don't have to be bland or boring. You can keep the flavor in your food by using more herbs and spices. Try experimenting with recipes, such as the one below.

**Chicken à l'Orange**

- |  |                                  |
|--|----------------------------------|
| 2 1/2 lbs. chicken, cut in pieces, skinned | 1/2 cup water                    |
| 1/2 cup all-purpose flour                  | 1 1/2 cups orange juice          |
| 2 teaspoons grated orange peel             | 2 tablespoons packed brown sugar |
| 1 teaspoon paprika                         | 1/4 teaspoon ground ginger       |
| 1/2 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper   | 1/8 teaspoon ground cinnamon     |
| 1 tablespoon vegetable oil                 | 1/4 cup finely chopped pecans    |

Rinse chicken and pat dry. Combine flour, orange peel, paprika, and pepper. Set aside 2 tablespoons of flour mixture and coat chicken with the remainder. Brown chicken in the oil in heavy, nonstick skillet over medium-high heat. Pour off fat. Add water. Cover and simmer on low heat for 30 minutes, or until tender. Remove chicken to warm platter. Set aside 2 tablespoons of liquid from pan and discard the rest. Return reserved liquid to skillet over medium-high heat. Add reserved flour mixture. Blend well. Add orange juice, brown sugar, ginger, and cinnamon. Cook, stirring constantly, until thickened. Serve chicken topped with sauce and pecans.

Serves 4. Sodium: 94 mg per serving.



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## Trash Disposal In Ivanhoe

### Tuesday Is Ivanhoe's Trash Day

- You may set your trash out as early as 3 PM on Mondays  
—You could be fined for setting your trash out before this time!

The Ivanhoe Neighborhood is one of a small number of neighborhoods in the City selected to participate in the Trash Cart Pilot Program, KCart.

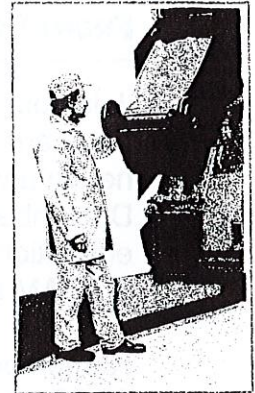
One of the most important reasons for the trash cart program is to provide a way to dispose of trash without having to put it on the ground in plastic bags.

As you know, dogs, birds, and rodents often tear the bags open and spread the trash out onto the sidewalk and street; thus, making the neighborhood look untidy.

Other neighborhoods are eager to have KCards in their neighborhoods. Before the program can be expanded to other neighborhoods, the City must determine that the Trash Cart pilot is working well in the pilot neighborhoods.

### Your help is needed to keep Ivanhoe clean and tidy, please follow these instructions:

- If you do not have a trash cart, you should call the City's Action Center, 3-1-1. The Action Center will see to it that you get a trash cart.
- You should place your trash in a trash bag and, then, put the trash bag into the cart.
- You should place your trash cart in front of your home, within four (4) feet of the curb, with the handle of the card facing toward your home.
- The lid on your cart should be closed when it's placed at the curb, do not overstuff your cart.  
—The City will not pick up your trash, if the lid is not closed on your cart!
- If you have additional trash that will not fit in your cart, you should put the excess trash in a trash bag and secure the bag with a "trash tag." You can purchase "trash tags" for \$1.00 each at True Value Hardware or Price Chopper stores.
- You should make sure that you that you recycle—help protect our environment.  
—If you do not have a recycle bin, contact the Ivanhoe office, 921-6611.
- You should not put brush or leaves in your trash cart. The cart is for trash only.
- You should not leave your trash cart on the curb after your trash has been picked up.  
—Carts left on the curb are considered a codes violation and subject to a fine!
- If you move, you should not take your trash cart with you to your new home.  
—Each cart is assigned a serial number that corresponds with the street address.
- If you are disabled and not physically able to place your trash cart on the curb, you should call the City's Action Center, 3-1-1.



### Bulky Item Pick Up is the 25th of the Month

- You may set your bulky items out on the 24th of the month  
—You could be fined for setting your bulky items out before this time!

**FRONT PORCH ALLIANCE NEWS**

Join your neighbors for some exciting Saturday morning classes at **Learn 'n Grow** – there are three weeks left of fun sessions with classes that include dancing, wall repair, health and nutrition, repairing lamps and a final field trip to the Bloch Museum on December. For youth, remaining classes include massage and aerobics, sex education and a field trip to Popeye's. Come for breakfast at 9 AM, classes begin at 9:30 AM all at the Habitat building, Linwood and Paseo.

Remember the **legal literacy and financial literacy classes** at Bluford Library at 10:30 a.m. on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of each month. Call 816-921-8812 for more information about the topics.

Friday evenings at the Harold Thomas Center, Miss Isha Williams is leading the youth in **dance classes**. She has started with hip hop and will soon be branching into all kinds of dances – 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. Call to let us know you're coming – or if you need a ride.

A new series of **computer classes** will be starting soon – call to get your name on the list for this series of five sessions.


The third Saturday of each month, Ivanhoe families are invited to attend **Family First**, a three part program that is led by professionals to encourage parents and teens to speak out about the challenges they are faced with today. The 2<sup>nd</sup> part is a Family Fun night for those who have attended the Saturday enrichment session, and then a Family Works Saturday, where families perform a community service project together. The December meeting, on December 15, the youth will be making Christmas gifts for their parents – and the adults will be making Christmas wreathes.

SHARE Network is coming to Missouri

Be on the look out!

Coming to Ivanhoe  
real soon —

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announcement!



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**IVANHOE IS PARTNERING WITH FREDDIE MAC**

Thanks to an ongoing strong partnership with the James B. Nutter Company, Ivanhoe has entered an agreement with Freddie Mac and the Nutter Company to provide a menu of housing information services.

Get the Facts train-the-trainer sessions were conducted at Nutter Ivanhoe Neighborhood Center by Sandra Heindinger and Tim Hathaway with Freddie Mac, on November 2nd. In attendance were: Carolyn Anderson, Treva Bradley, Matrie Crutcher, Euretha Harris, Jessie Jefferson, Jan Johnson, Margaret J. May, Walt May, Bridget Turner, and Yolanda Young. These trainers will take responsibility for conducting training sessions for potential homebuyers.

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**LEST WE FORGET**

Please join us in praying for the sick and shut in and the bereaved families in Ivanhoe:

Illness

- |                |                     |
|----------------|---------------------|
| Ruthie Brown   | Cassandra McFarland |
| Juanita Dennis | Crystal Owens       |
| Willie Hayden  | Pearline Patterson  |
| Gwen Madden    | George Thomas       |
| Ora Maten      |                     |

Bereavement

- Treva Bradley, loss of grandmother and brother  
 Dorothy Frazier, loss of son  
 Euretha Harris, loss of brother  
 Arthur B. Johnson, loss of aunt  
 Mary King, loss of brother  
 Latasha McDonald, loss of mother  
 O. C. Patterson, loss of mother  
 Family of André Thomas, 17 years old, former Ivanhoe Chief's



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Thanks to all of the workers: Albert Allen, Clifford Bostic, Maurice Dantzler, and Julius King, the supervisor, Richard Bostic, and to Mr. King for a job well done. Due to their hard work, there's a big difference in the appearance of the Land Trust lots in Ivanhoe compared to other center city neighborhoods.

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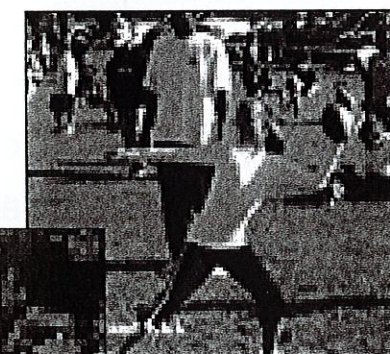
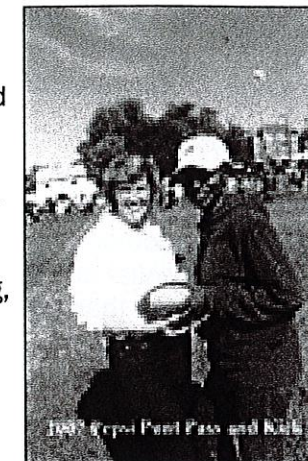
Thanks to Chris Martin, former Kansas City Chiefs football player, the Ivanhoe neighborhood had the opportunity to host the NFL Punt, Pass & Kick Competition — as far as we know, this was a first for a center city neighborhood!

Boys and girls, ages 8 through 15, competed at Ivanhoe Park in July, August, and September. Then, winners in each age group had the opportunity to participate in the Sectional Competition held at Ivanhoe Park Sunday, October 28th.

Special thanks to all that made the day such a big success: Kansas City, MO Fire Department for sharing their demonstration fire engine; Parks and Recreation for providing their Show Wagon, porta-potties and extra trash barrels, and stripping the field; Rev. James Brown for serving as Master of Ceremony; Boy Scouts from Troop 56, Metropolitan Missionary Baptist Church for presenting the colors; two members of the Ivanhoe Youth Choir for a rousing rendition of the National Anthem; the Ivanhoe Cheerleaders for their performances; Montana McDaniels for entertaining us with his trumpet; Pattie Underwood, NFL representative; and a host of volunteers. Clifford Bostic, Jr., Richard Bostic, Michael Browder II, Mike Browder, Ida R. Dockery, Cynthia May, Harrison May, Walter Richard

May, Vincent May, Benjamin Neal, Darcel Roebuck, Vladimir Sainte, Aaron Samuels, Frank Walker, Dan White, Aaron Young, Alan A. Young, and Alexander Young.

Yolanda R. Young, Ivanhoe Youth Outreach Specialist, did a great job in the role of lead planner for the event. She was assisted by Ivanhoe staff members who performed a variety of tasks before, during, and after the event. Staff members: Treva Bradley, Jessie Jefferson, Margaret J. May, Walt May, Cleophus Sanders, and Jean Watson.



## IVANHOE YOUTH OUTREACH INITIATIVES

Since 2006, Ivanhoe has been blessed with funding from COMBAT made possible by funding provided through the county anti-drug tax. This year, our blessings increased with a grant from the Kauffman Fund. This grant has made it possible to expand our youth outreach initiatives.

The Ivanhoe Positive Alternatives program is offered by the Ivanhoe Neighborhood Council to school aged youth as a positive alternative to drugs, violence, and other negative-type activities that have the potential for leading our youth along paths that lead to less than positive outcomes (dropping out of school, experimentation with tobacco/alcohol/drugs and possibly crime).

The Positive Alternatives Program was launched in Ivanhoe Park on July 28th. The NFL "Punt, Pass & Kick" Competition was held on 43rd & Wabash end of the park and a "Just for Fun" Event on the 43rd & Brooklyn end of the park.

NFL "Punt, Pass & Kick" competitions were also held at the park August 25th and September 15th.

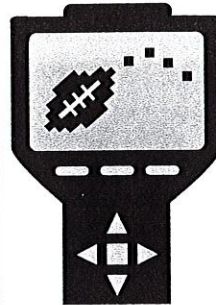
"Just for Fun" Events were held at Nutter Ivanhoe Neighborhood Center after the September 22nd and October 27th Monthly Neighborhood meetings.

In September, youth enjoyed hot dogs and chips and received book bags and school supplies and, in October, they enjoyed playing a variety of games while consuming a record amount of pizza!



A growing number of youth, ages 8 through 18, have participated in each of the "Just for Fun" events. They're having fun participating in video games tournaments, playing board games, doing fun things, and just getting to know each other.

At the October event, a teen-aged boy stopped in "just to see what's happening in here." That youth learned that what was happening was a "lot of fun" and that there are a lot of really "cool" kids in the



Ivanhoe neighborhood. Another observed that he had a lot of fun playing video games on the big screen TV.

Ivanhoe Neighborhood Center is fast becoming "the place to go" for kids of all ages!

Attention: Block Contacts, Parents, Grandparents, and Neighbors!

Please join with us in spreading the word about the Ivanhoe Positive Alternatives initiative that is **free of charge** and available to **all** Ivanhoe neighborhood youth!

Sign up is now underway for basketball, volley ball, youth choir, and Boy Scouts. Youth interested in participating in these activities should contact the Ivanhoe office right away!

Ivanhoe Positive Alternatives programs are free of charge to interested youth. For more information, contact Yolanda Young in the Ivanhoe office, 921-6611.

### Ivanhoe Positive Alternatives Programs

- ☀ Ivanhoe Council of Elders
- ☀ Ivanhoe Knights Tackle Football Team
- ☀ Ivanhoe Chiefs Flag Football Team
- ☀ Basketball
- ☀ Volley Ball
- ☀ Cheerleading
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3700 Woodland  
921-6611

Ida R. Dockery, Leader

When:	Monday	Chair Exercises
	Friday	Regular Exercises
Time:	4:00 PM to 5:00 PM	

- Suggestions are welcomed
- If you are interested, contact the Ivanhoe office or come in to the office to sign up!



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**Christmas in October Helps Ivanhoe for 5th Year!**

A special thank you is in order for Tom Redmond, Executive Director of Christmas in October, his staff, and all of the volunteers that worked in the Ivanhoe neighborhood again this year!

As a rule, Christmas in October does not work in one neighborhood for more than two years in succession. But, due to the size of our neighborhood, the average age of our housing stock, and the wonderful reception the volunteers receive from Ivanhoe residents, Christmas in October has worked in Ivanhoe for five (5) consecutive years — truly, they have demonstrated the true spirit of Christmas (love) and many special gifts with our residents!

This year, approximately 40 Ivanhoe homeowners were assisted by Christmas in October, bringing the total number of Ivanhoe homeowners assisted (since 2003) to approximately 550 and, indeed, improving the appearance of many homes in Ivanhoe and, most importantly, adding to the comfort and quality of life of homeowners in the Ivanhoe neighborhood.

## Ivanhoe Neighborhood Council

### Dues or Gifts

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Dues (Amount Enclosed) \$ \_\_\_\_\_


I BELIEVE IN IVANHOE GIFT (Amount Enclosed) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

I Want To Make A Difference In Ivanhoe by:

Becoming a Block Contact     Serving on a committee  
 Helping in the office     Helping with events  
 Helping with a clean up     Other (specify below) \_\_\_\_\_

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3700 Woodland, Kansas City, MO 64109



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ASST. SECRETARY		Cindy Circo	5th District-at-Large
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**Please Keep Ivanhoe Clean and Safe — You Make A Difference!**

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