

IVANHOE NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS - THIRD EDITION 2010

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NIGHT OUT AGAINST CRIME YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

Ivanhoe, along with several other Kansas City Neighborhood groups, will join in the nation-wide 27th Annual National Night Out Against Crime on Tuesday, August 3, 2010 from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at Parade Park (Truman Road and Paseo).

National Night Out is designed to: 1) Heighten crime and drug prevention awareness, 2) Generate support for and encourage neighborhood residents to participate in local crime awareness/prevention initiatives, 3) Strengthen neighborhood spirit and police-community partnership, and 4) Send a message to criminals that Kansas City neighborhood residents and organizations are determined to end crime and violence in Kansas City's center-city neighborhoods.

This city-wide event will feature a March Against Crime and Rally. Entertainment will be provided by drill teams, youth choirs, and dance groups. The City's Good

Neighborhood Award will also be featured. Activities for youth and lots of wonderful free food will be provided. Bring your lawn chair and plan to stay throughout the evening!

Event sponsors are the National Association of Town Watch (NATW), Neighborhood Tourist Development Fund of Kansas City, Missouri; and Target Stores.

The growing number of participating organizations include: ADHoc Against Crime, Blue Hills Community Services, City of Kansas City, Mo., COMBAT, Greater Kansas City Crime Stopper, Green Impact Zone, Houses Hearts Hand, Ivanhoe Neighborhood Council, Jackson County Safe Family Coalition, Kansas City Metropolitan Crime Commission, Kansas City Parks and Recreation, Kansas City Missouri Police Department, Neighborhood Housing Services of Kansas City, United Way RSVP, Save Tomorrow's Outstanding People and Swope Community Builders.

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Green Impact Zone Provides Funding for Ivanhoe Block Meetings

A special thanks to the following block contacts, neighborhood leaders, who are working to make their communities safe and livable. Sharon Bass, Louise Brooks, Matrice Crutcher, Delores Carpenter, Ida Dockery, Johan Erquhart, Florence Hayden, Glenda Lewis, Jewel Gilkes, Peggy Jones, Vera Jones, Gwen Lane, Francine Nelson, Vervina Marshall, Susie McGee, Dorothy Page, O.C. Patterson, Sadie Patterson, Renette Riley, Michael Rentie, Jackie Shackelford, Madalyne Shackelford, Pamela Swinney, Laura Townsend, Estella Tucker, Alice Weaver, Jean Watley, Riody Watley and Lela Williams. And thanks to the 250 residents in attendance.

The Jim Nutter Park Dedication

The Ivanhoe Neighborhood Council was pleased to host the dedication ceremony for the Jim Nutter Park Celebration, which was held Saturday, July 10, 2010. For pictures and the entire story, please turn to page 2.

Annual Night Out Against Crime Parade Park, Tuesday, August 3, 2010 from 6-9 p.m.

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

Labor Day

Mon. Sept. 6, 2010

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

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Appreciative and humbled, Mr. Nutter reminisced about his involvement with Ivanhoe, as well as his initial introduction to and continuing friendship with Alan Young. The dedication ended with a free lunch and several children playing on the swings. Our many, many thanks to the following :

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TO YOUR HEALTH



Did You Know?

Apples - A good source of boron, which has been shown to increase mental alertness and boost estrogen. Helps reduce cholesterol

Blueberries - One of the most powerful berries in terms of antioxidant power. Protects against prostate cancer, urinary tract infections, cataracts, lowers cholesterol and helps fight obesity and heart disease

Broccoli - Contains as much calcium per serving as milk. A super source of chromium, which helps regulate insulin and blood sugar

Cabbage - Contains numerous antioxidants.

Carrots— Super source of beta carotene. Helps to boost immunity and are infection-fighting antioxidants

Kale - An antioxidant is a rich, powerful disease-fighting vegetable

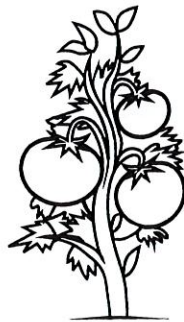
Cranberry - A strong antibiotic which helps to prevent bladder infections

Oranges - Contains natural cancer inhibitors like beta carotene. A great source of Vitamin C

Peaches - Contains boron which aids in calcium absorption and rich in antioxidants, such as beta-carotene and vitamin C

Spinach - A super source of antioxidants. Helps control cholesterol

Tomato - A rich source of lycopene, a powerful antioxidant for reducing risk of skin, stomach, bladder and prostate cancer



How would you feel if you actually consumed more of these fruits and vegetables every day?

*This guide is not to be used as a replacement for your current meal plan and/or your medical program. Please consult your physician before you make any changes to your diet.

(Thanks to Brenda Engel at www.brendaEshares@JuicePlus.com)

Urban Agriculture Allowed in the Heart of the City

The City Council recently voted to allow the neighborhood residents to sell their produce at their residence between May 15th and October 15th. For guidelines and regulations, contact City Hall.

beans & greens

Beans&Greens is a program that matches food stamp (SNAP/ EBT) dollars at participating farmers markets in the greater Kansas City area. For the dollars you spend on veggies and fruits, your food stamp value is doubled.

The following markets are participating in this program:

Troostwood Market, 51st and Paseo

Wed. (9 a.m.—7 p.m.) Fri. (3—8 p.m.) Sat. (9 a.m.—3 p.m.)

City Market, 5th & Delaware, Kansas City, Mo.

Sat. (6 a.m.— 3 p.m.) Sun. (8 a.m.— 3 p.m.)

Independence Market, Corner of Truman Rd. and Liberty Rd.

Wed. (5 a.m.—1 p.m.) Sat. (5 a.m.—1 p.m.)

In the Kitchen

20-minute meal

Ravioli with Spinach and Bacon

- 1 pound ravioli (fresh or frozen)
- 6 slices of bacon
- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 2 cloves garlic, sliced
- 2 bunches fresh spinach, thick stems removed (about 8 cups)
- Salt and black pepper
- 1 tablespoon fresh lemon juice

Cook ravioli according to package directions. Drain and divide among bowls. Meanwhile, cook the bacon in a skillet until crisp transfer to paper-towel-lined plate. Crumble. Wipe out the skillet and heat the olive oil over medium heat. Add the garlic and cook, stirring occasionally, until golden, 1 to 2 minutes. Add the spinach, 1/2 teaspoon salt, and 1/4 teaspoon pepper. Cook, tossing, until just wilted, 1 to 2 minutes. Stir bacon and lemon juice into the spinach. Spoon the mixture over the ravioli.

Hands-on time 20 minutes; total time 20 minutes; serves 4

IVANHOE RENTAL REVITALIZATION PROGRAM

Ivanhoe will receive Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funding for the Ivanhoe Rental Revitalization Program for the 2010-2011 budget year. The Kansas City Health Department and Housing Authority are partnering with Ivanhoe on this initiative. The IRRP is designed to increase the supply and improve the condition of affordable rental housing for low to moderate income families by (1) providing financial assistance (in the form of a grant subsidy) toward the rehabilitation of existing units; and (2) providing lead-safe rental housing (in the form of lead abatement).

In order to insure that the RRP will result in the increased availability of improved rental housing for low to moderate income families, financial assistance will be restricted to properties located within Ivanhoe's boundaries, 31st Street to Emmanuel Cleaver II Blvd and Prospect to Paseo.

Assistance may be provided under the IRRP for the improvement of rental property in Ivanhoe, provided the following general conditions are met:

- The property is currently being used as rental property, a vacant property that will be used as rental property after rehabilitation work is completed, or a currently rented or vacant property that will be marketed for sale to a low to moderate income family on a lease-to-purchase.
- The property must need physical rehabilitation to comply with applicable City Housing Codes and/or the Section 8 Housing Quality Standards for Existing Housing (EQS)
- The property must be physically and financially feasible for rehabilitation.
- The property's rent structure must reflect current market rents but also serve to low to moderate income residents. Assistance will be provided only to those projects where after rehabilitation rents can reasonably be expected to remain affordable to low to moderate income residents and families.
- Taxes on the property must be current or brought current prior to any work being performed under the program.
- The property must be in conformance with the City's zoning ordinances.
- The units, after rehabilitation, will have two or more bedrooms

The program will be administered by the IRRP Coordinator. This position will be announced in the very near future. Interested persons can obtain more information about the position from the Ivanhoe website: www.incthrives.org or by stopping by the Ivanhoe office, 3700 Woodland, to pick up the job announcement.

LEST WE FORGET



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Sympathy

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Governor Nixon's Press Conference

Ivanhoe Storm Water Diversion Project workers Kenneth Sneed, Jessie Martinez and Cleophus Sanders were featured recently during a press conference held at the home of a Green Impact Zone resident. The workers were there to replace concrete sidewalks.

Governor Nixon and Congressman Cleaver participated in the press conference to announce a summer jobs program, for youth and young adults ages 16 to 24, to be administered by the Full Employment Council (FEC). Also in attendance were our 3rd District representatives, Sharon Sanders Brooks and Melba Curls.

Our workers were featured on several local television channels, as well as in the *Kansas City Star*.

Way to go gentlemen!

Ivanhoe Park Celebration and Family Day

The Theme was Hope, Heritage, History on Saturday, June 19 as we celebrated the renaming of Ivanhoe Park, Juneteenth and Father's Day.

A hot dog lunch was served and the children had a wonderful time with the games, face-painting, a plant walk and the big, giant inflatable slide.

We hope to see you next year!

Let's Walk



The new walking track at the Ivanhoe Neighborhood Center (3700 Woodland), is completed and ready for you! If you are interested in participating in a new and exciting walking club, please Dina Newman at 921-6611

Green Impact Zone Information

Urban Home Tour, Saturday, July 24, 2010 held at Mt. Grove Missionary Baptist Church. Morning bus tour of home: 8:30 a.m. registration, tour bus leaves at 9:30 a.m. The afternoon bus tour will be from 2:00—3:30 p.m. Home buying workshop: Noon—1:45 p.m. (Open to public). Register at www.greenimpactzone.org or contact Arletha Bland-Manlove at 816-936-8808

Sowers of Sustainability Classes—SOS

Learn how to build sustainable resources to reduce the amount of water in basements, gardening basics and community gardening, and rain garden maintenance, garden design and implementation. Bring three neighbors or friends to learn how to create, build and sustain your neighborhood.

Orientation and classroom training, Aug. 17, 2010, 5:30-8:30 p.m. This is a free event.

Demonstration workshops, Sat. Aug. 28 and Sept. 11, (locations and times to be announced). For more information contact Arletha Bland-Manlove at 816-936-8808 or visit www.greenimpactzone.org

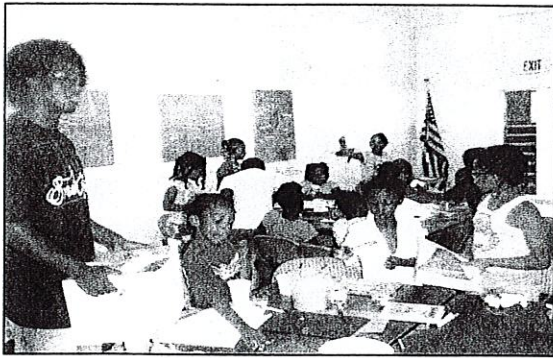
Community Leadership Classes

Five classes beginning Mondays, August 16, 2010 on Personal Strengths from 6-8:00 p.m.

To enroll contact jreed@marc.org, 816-936-8805 or bwilson@marc.org, 816-701-8216

Green Impact Zone residents in need of concrete work or to learn if you are eligible to receive an in-home water reduction kit installed, please contact Arletha Bland-Manlove at the Green Impact Zone office (816-936-8808). All Ivanhoe residents who live between 39th Street and Emmanuel Cleaver II Blvd., Prospect to Paseo live within the Green Impact Zone and you are eligible to submit an application.

IVANHOE YOUTH OUTREACH INITIATIVES

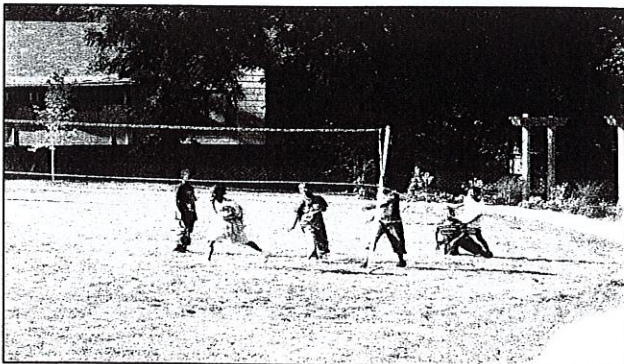


With school closures, summer school budget cuts and youth programs at the heart of the state of affairs, the Ivanhoe Youth Committee Members shared their deep concerns as to what effect would too few summer school programs and youth activities have on the youth, their families, neighborhoods and ultimately Kansas City's escalating crime rate.

The Committee immediately began to think about preventative strategies to help provide positive activities for the children. The first step was to identify the youth programs/activities already in place in the neighborhood and surrounding areas.

Secondly, Committee Members decided to promote the existing programs and lastly to provide additional activities as necessary.

Out of these meetings, which were held in early May, the Ivanhoe Youth Committee developed a series of activities that will run from June 22–August 6 for children in grades K-8.



Here is the schedule for the summer activities:

Monday, 9-11 a.m.

Career Development

Facilitator: Valencia Broadus

Tuesday and Thursday, 12:00 (Noon) 3p.m.

Arts & Crafts, Capoeira, Drill Team, Agriculture/Nature, Sports

Facilitators: Sean Malone, Hilary Noonan, Charles Johnson, Jessica Genzer

Youth Volunteers: Eddie Caldwell, Frances Canady, Zada Murray, Story Newman, Alex Young

Upcoming Events & Activities

July 24—De La Salle Charter High School Enrollment Rally

July 31—Fifth District Neighborhood Council presents Councilman Terry M. Riley's 9th Annual Back to School Rally, 10 a.m.—2 p.m., Manuel Career Technical Center

July 31—School Supply Giveaway, 10a.m.-1p.m., 35th & Prospect

August 13—Safe Summer Night/Back 2 School, 5:30-8:00 p.m., Nutter Ivanhoe Neighborhood Center

August 5— 12:00—3:00 p.m., Last day for summer activities. Parents are encouraged to attend

August 13—Back to School Safe Summer Nights, 5:30-8 p.m., 3700 Woodland

August 20—Ivanhoe Youth and Family Night Out, Kansas City Royals vs. Chicago White Sox

September 11—Ivanhoe Knights Football season begins. The Head Coach position is available. If you are interested in applying for this position, contact Yolanda Young to request an application. Recruitment for boys ages 14 and under and for girls for the cheer team is underway.

National Football League Punt, Pass & Kick Competition to be held in September. Registrations begin in August. Open to boys and girls ages 6-15.

For more information. Please contact Yolanda Young at 816-921-6611.

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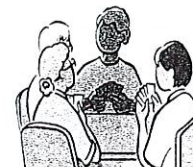
LOTS OF IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Join the Silver Foxes

For

Card

Games



Exercise And Lots of Fun!

Wednesdays, 1:00-3:00 p.m.

Ivanhoe Neighborhood Center



Enrollment Rally

De La Salle Charter High School is currently enrolling students for its Charter High School on Saturday, July 24, 2010 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., 3740 Forest, Kansas City, Mo. Food, games and uniform information will be available. Classes begin August 23, 2010.

Fifth District Neighborhood Council Presents Councilman Terry M. Riley's 9th Annual Back to School Rally

July 31, 2010 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
 Manual Career Technical Center
 1215 E. Truman Rd., Kansas City, Mo. 64106

back to school

Safe Summer Night

The Ivanhoe Neighborhood Council in partnership with Truman Medical Center and the Kansas City Healthy Kids Initiatives would like to invite you to attend our "Back to School Safe Summer Night"

Join us at the Ivanhoe Neighborhood Center, 3700 Woodland Ave., Kansas City, Mo. 64109, on Friday, August 13, 2010 from 5:30-8:00 p.m. for a safe and fun evening of games, face painting, free food, music, safety demonstrations, give-a-ways, health and wellness information and more.

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)

Mail completed form to: Ivanhoe Neighborhood Council
 Nutter Ivanhoe Neighborhood Center
 3700 Woodland, Kansas City, MO 64109



IVANHOE BOARD OF DIRECTORS		IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS	
OFFICERS		City Council Representatives: (816) 513-1368	
PRESIDENT	Alan A. Young	Melba Curls	3rd District-at-Large
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SECRETARY	Martha Tolbert	Cindy Circo	5th District-at-Large
TREASURER	Arthur B. Johnson	Terry Riley	5th District
PARLIAMENTARIAN	Florence Hayden	City Hall Action Center	Dial: 3-1-1
BOARD MEMBERS		COMMUNITY POLICE	
John Crawford	Roy Morrill	Central Patrol : Major Wayne Stewart	(816) 234-5510
Charles Hampton	William (Bill) Nulton	Officers Kathy Kozal and Josh Sandifer Community Police Officers	(816) 719-8004
LaMia Hicks	Dennis L. Robinson	East Patrol: Major Laura Barton	(816) 234-5530
Gregory Holmes	William Keith Slater	Drug TIPS Hotline	(816) 474-3784
COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS		Non-Emergency	(816) 234-5510
Beautification— Therisa Ross, 924-2787 Renette Riley, 923-6398		Gang Unit (Gang Activity and Graffiti)	(816) 482-8235
Benevolence — Ruthie Brown, 924-0355 Ida R. Dockery, 921-5705		Parking Control (Illegally Parked Cars)	(816) 759-6332
Communications/Newsletter— Chairperson Needed		Traffic Enforcement (Speeding Vehicles)	(816) 482-8180
Crime and Safety—O. C. Patterson, 923-5407 Jewel Gilkes, 923-2144		IVANHOE STAFF—(816) 921-6611	
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Youth/Family/Education— Sean Malone, 985-8056 Valencia Broadus valenciabroadus@yahoo.com		Jessie Jefferson, Community Mobilizer	
		Walt May, Rehab/Facility Manager—816. 225.9884	
		Yolanda Young, Youth and Family Outreach Specialist	
		Dina Newman, Healthy Kids Initiative Project Manager	
		Carolyn J. Anderson, Accountant	
		Cleophus Sanders, Caretaker — Percy Watkins, Janitor	
		Receptionists: Shirley Bradford & Cheryl Green; Linda Daniels—Clerical Asst.	

Building a clean, beautiful, safe and thriving neighborhood.

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