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RNNC 2017 is a Comin'!!

October 5th-7th is getting closer all the time! Lots going on at the UNOE Office trying to get ready for this important event.

Due to RNNC being the first week in October, there will **NOT** be a UNOE newsletter for the month. There **WILL** be a flyer with a calendar of events for October and beginning of November since there are several events and deadlines for the Sparkplug Banquet.

Also we want to remind you the next newsletter will be our November/December that will go out November 15th.

Thank you for your patience and understanding at this busy time!



**Sparkplug
Banquet
Deadlines are
Approaching!**



Check with your NA President for reservations. Dinner is \$18.00 per person. Reservation deadline is Thurs., Oct. 19th.

“Reinventing Neighborhoods” Photo Contest

**— Has YOUR Neighborhood
Association taken a picture
for the contest yet?
Be Creative!! Have Fun!!
Show us what you got!!**

**DON'T FORGET TO NOMINATE YOUR
SPARKPLUG WINNER FROM YOUR
NEIGHBORHOOD. THAT ONE PERSON
WHO TRULY IS A GOOD NEIGHBOR!**

From the President

The RNNC Rally and Last Call for Volunteers!

Our UNOE office has been a beehive of activity this year! 2017 will mark one of UNOE's biggest and busiest years to date. By the end of this year, I am predicting that we will have spent more time, energy, and money in 2017 than what we have for any individual year in the past. By in large part, this is due to our increased role in the 2017 Regional Neighborhood Network Conference.



Brent

In comparison, the last RNNC conference in 2003, UNOE was simply responsible for the volunteers and Friday lunches. At that time, UNOE also had its own VISTA workers to assign tasks and a President who was retired and could devote 100% of his time to the project. We are not in that same position today. Personally, I still must make a living and must rely on our dedicated office staff to pick up many of these other duties. Our staff has been responsible for the registrations, decorations, program booklets, individualized conference badges, most of the itinerary development, a portion of the tours, logistics and the bookkeeping of the 2017 RNNC conference. Hours and hours of minute by minute planning has gone into the upcoming Evansville conference. These extra duties represent a much, much bigger role than what we took on in 2003.

For example, in the 2017 conference, we are planning to host up to 400 paid participants with over 100 neighbor/city volunteers and 66 Speakers. In total, we are tracking nearly 600 people for this 2 ½ day conference. Managing ticket purchases and speaker requests is a tall order and simply take a lot of man hours. I would speculate that by the time the conference arrives, UNOE will have spent around 1000 hours of labor on preparation for the conference. Our UNOE office staff has done a lion's share of the preparatory work for this conference, and a shout out to them is much deserved. I am claiming but a minor role in the whole ensemble.

The RNNC represents a staple mark in Evansville and UNOE's history. It is important for our neighborhoods and the City of Evansville to show up with their best foot forward. I am taking off work and volunteering for all 3 days. I hope that we all do our best to represent our great city at this multi-city conference.

If you have not heard from UNOE or the DMD about volunteering for the RNNC, then it is not too late! To learn what positions are left to fill and volunteer call Kolbi at 812-436-7808, email volunteer@rnnc2017.com or sign up online at www.rnnc2017.com/volunteers.

In conjunction with DMD, UNOE are jointly hosting a Volunteer Rally on September the 28th at the C.K. Newsome Center. During our September UNOE General meeting The RNNC Volunteer Rally is for ALL volunteers. We will be discussing the upcoming conference in more detail and we will be orientating all volunteers.

This Volunteer Rally is a must attend event for all conference volunteers. Between the DMD and UNOE, we have a game plan put together and we need our neighborhoods to show up and be accounted for! Be sure to mark your calendar because it is game on! If you have signed up to volunteer and cannot attend, then please let us know as soon as possible! Please call the office or email volunteer@rnnc2017.com.

Just to let you know, in October, there will be no newsletter, just a calendar of events due to the RNNC conference.

Be sure to check out our RNNC progress at www.rnnc2017.com.

God Bless,

Brent Jackson

Safety in Places of Public Assembly



Before You Enter: Take a good look. Does the building appear to be in a condition that makes you feel comfortable? Is the main entrance wide and does it open outward to allow easy exit? Is the outside area clear of materials stored against the building or blocking exits?

Have a communication plan. Let a relative or friend know where you are in case of emergency and you are separated from family or friends.

Plan a meeting place. Pick a meeting place outside to meet family or friends with whom you are attending the function. If there is an emergency, be sure to meet them there.

When You Enter:

Take a good look. Locate all available exits immediately. Be prepared to use your closest exit. You may not be able to use the main exit.

Check for clear exit paths. Make sure aisles are wide enough and not obstructed by chairs or furniture and the exit door is not blocked or chained.

Do you feel safe? Does the building appear to be overcrowded? Are there fire sources present such as candles burning, cigarettes or cigars burning, pyrotechnics, or other heat sources that may make you feel unsafe? If you do not feel safe in, leave immediately.

React immediately. If an alarm sounds, you see smoke or fire, or some other unusual disturbance stay calm and immediately exit the building in an orderly fashion.

Get out, stay out! Once you have escaped, stay out. Under no circumstances should you ever go back into a burning building. Let trained firefighters conduct rescue operations.

Every day, millions of people wake up, go to work or school, and take part in social events. Every so often the unexpected happens: an earthquake, a fire, a chemical spill, an act of terrorism or some other disaster. Each disaster can have lasting effects — people may be seriously injured or killed, and devastating and costly property damage can occur. People entering any public assembly building need to be prepared in case of an emergency.

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*Thank
you*



UNITED NEIGHBORHOODS OF EVANSVILLE WOULD LIKE TO THANK JERRY STECKLER FROM THE EVANSVILLE FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR HIS SERVICE AS LIAISON TO THE UNOE BOARD AND HIS CONTRIBUTION OF THE MANY ARTICLES HE SENT IN FOR THE NEWSLETTER. YOUR TIME WAS VERY MUCH APPRECIATED! GOOD LUCK WITH YOUR FUTURE ENDEAVORS.

WE WOULD ALSO LIKE TO WELCOME MIKE DORAN AS OUR NEW EFD LIAISON!



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**FREE
EVENT**
FOR THE PUBLIC

**MUSIC
& FOOD**
4-6 PM

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1

Visit us on Facebook @lincolnshireporchfest or email lincolnshireporchfest@gmail.com

The Greater Lincolnshire Neighborhood Association is sponsoring its first Front Porch Festival on Sunday, Oct. 1, 2017, 4 p.m.-6 p.m.

The event is free and open to the public. We were inspired by the FPF held in the Evansville Haynie's Corner area, as well as others around the country. Those attending will be able to walk through the neighborhood with strollers, lawn chairs, etc., stopping at different houses to enjoy live music of a variety of genres. This is a family friendly event, so bust out the coolers and bring the kids.

Musicians will be playing in the entryways of homes along College Highway and Willow, between St. Benedict Cathedral and Bosse High School. Some of the musicians include the Boat Monkeys, a group of local musicians who have won the Evansville Courier and Press Readers' Choice Platinum Award for best local band for five years; Maria Roate, a Christian singer/songwriter, originally from Evansville, now living outside Nashville, who in 2017 released a 6-song debut album; Michael Gray of the After Hours jazz band; Jennifer and Jeremy Korba of St. Benedict Cathedral; the University of Evansville Faculty Brass Quintet and the Memorial High School Jazz Band

Food will be available for sale. Chris Mills, a Lincolnshire resident, will have his Flying Pigs Barbecue food truck up and running, serving Memphis style BBQ. Jeanne's Gelato, located at the corner of Lincoln and Weinbach, will be serving up sweet cold treats. In addition, St. Benedict Cathedral will be selling their renowned chicken and dumplings.

Maps designating homes with musicians, and the names of the performers, will be available.

There will be plenty of street parking for those attending. The only streets that will be blocked are in the area known as "the little triangle": Willow at Lincoln; Bayard Park at College Highway and Bayard Park at the intersection of Willow and Southeastern. This is the area designated for the food vendors. In addition, there will be a Power Yoga class on the "little triangle" at 3 p.m.

Please like and share the Lincolnshire Front Porch Festival Facebook event page @lincolnshireporchfest. Please send any questions or comments to lincolnshireporchfest@gmail.com

In the event of rain, the event will be cancelled.

Tox-Away Day

September 16th, 9 am-1 pm
Civic Center Parking Lot

Items Accepted:

Motor oil & filters, oil-based paints, thinners & solvents, auto batteries & fluids, gasoline, anti-freeze, household batteries, pesticides herbicides, household cleaners, glues, adhesives, thermometers, mercury, aerosol cans, photographic chemicals, pool chemicals, fluorescent bulbs, and pharmaceuticals.

Items **NOT** Accepted:

Commercial or infectious waste, industrial waste, smoke detectors, explosives, ammunition, radioactive waste, pressurized containers, fire extinguishers, gas cylinders, appliances, electronics, tires, latex paint**

**Latex paint can be disposed of in the regular trash once it is in solid form (you can add kitty litter or sawdust to speed up the drying process.)

Electronics Day

C&I Electronics, 1700 N. Lafayette
Sept. 21st & 22nd, 10 am-4 pm
Sept. 23rd, 8 am-Noon

Items Accepted:

Computers, monitors, laptops, hard drives, modems, fax/scanners, printers, DVRs/ DVDs, iPods and MP3s.

Fees: CRT monitors: \$10 each

TVs: \$20 each

Projection TVs: \$40 each

Items **NOT** accepted:

Copy machines,
microwaves, appliances



Vanderburgh County residents only –No businesses please.

Neighborhood Celebration Day

*Fun Activities
& Prizes
for Children!*

Sat., Sept. 16
9:00am - 1:00pm
EVPL West Branch Lawn

*Bring the
family for
a fun day!*

Many neighborhoods will have interactive activities & information about their Neighborhoods Associations



FARMERS' MARKET
FOOD VENDORS
LIVE MUSIC
LOCAL ART
HOMEMADE GOODS
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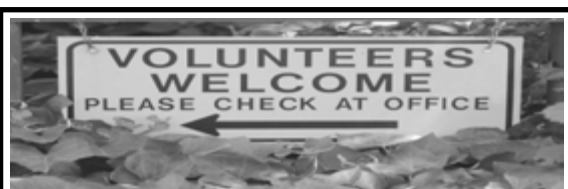


General Announcements

Coffee with a Cop



**Tues., Sept. 19th
7:00—9:00 am
Donut Bank
St. Joe Avenue**



**CALL JANICE OR KAT AT THE UNOE
OFFICE IF YOU CAN HELP OUT.
812-428-4243.**

Mayor's Traveling City Hall Program



**Wednesday, September 27
5:30-7:00pm
Washington Square Mall**

**Don't Forget to
take Pictures of your
Neighborhood
Association's activities
for the powerpoint
presentation at the
Banquet!**



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SPiRiT FEST 2017

Join us for a day of fun and activities to
benefit the SPiRiT MEDICAL FUND!



**Saturday September 23, 2017
11AM to 3PM**

Next to the Evansville Animal Care and Control Shelter
815 Uhlhorn St.
(between Fulton & First Ave south of Diamond Ave)
As always, leashed pets are welcomed!

Scheduled Events and Activities to include:

Animal Educational Experience

Evansville Fire Department
Vanderburgh County Sheriff DARE
Pony & Horse Rides
Microchip Clinic
Silent Auction

Evansville Police Department
Celebrity Dunk Tank
Pet Photos
Dog Nail Trimming
Music

**Food & Drinks, Picnic with your Pets
PLUS MUCH MORE!**

HOSTED BY:



(E) Find us on Facebook Evansville Animal Care & Control (official)

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free DENTISTRY DAY

Giving Back to Our Community One Smile at a Time

**Friday, September 22nd
Starting at 7:00am**

**One Free Cleaning or Extraction per patient.
(Limited to the first 150 patients).**

Patients accepted on a first-come first-served basis.

Evansville Family Dentistry

Jeffrey Lowery, DMD | Lauren Stone, DMD | Scott M. Peifer, DDS | John A. Reid, DMD
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Neighborhood Associations working together to preserve, enhance and promote the Evansville and area neighborhoods.

DATES TO REMEMBER !

- **Recycle Day** — Saturday, September 9th, old Walmart West, 4551 University Drive. More information, call Solid Waste Management at 812-436-7800.
- **South Sector Meeting**—Thursday, Sept. 14th, 6:00pm at CPU Office, 401 E. Columbia St.
- **Recycle Day** — Saturday, Sept. 16th, 4-H Center More information, call 812-436-7800.
- **East Sector Meeting**—Thursday, Sept. 19th, 6:00pm at the CPU Office, 401 E. Columbia St.
- **UNOE Board Meeting**—Wednesday, Sept. 20th, 4:00pm, Third Floor Conference Room, Hulman Bldg.
- **West Sector Meeting** —Sept. 21st, 6:00pm at the CPU Office, 401 E. Columbia St.
- **Recycle Day** — Saturday, Sept. 23rd, Evansville Day School. More information, call Solid Waste Management at 812-436-7800.
- **UNOE GENERAL MEETING**—Thurs., Sept. 28th, 6:30pm, CK Newsome Center

RNNC Volunteer Rally

**Come learn what it's all about, have some snacks
and meet your fellow volunteers!**
