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Windsor Park Library Updates and Events

Events and Book Club

Apr 4, 7pm: Independent Lens - National Bird Apr 5, 12, 19, 26, 6pm: Pajama Storytime Apr 6, 13, 20, 27:15am: All Ages Storytime Apr 11, 4pm: Lego Lab

Apr 11, 7pm: Windsor Park Book Club - Americanah by Chimananda Ngozi Adichi **Apr 12, 3:30pm:** Million Mile Month 2017

Apr 25, 4pm: Crafternoon

May 2, 6pm: An evening with Council Member

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May 6, 2pm: Saturday Family Movie, "Sing"

May 9, 4pm: Lego Lab

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The Windsor Park Neighborhood Plan Contact Team (WPNPCT)

A representative group of neighborhood stakeholders charged as stewards of the Neighborhood Plan, to uphold the implementation of the Plan's vision, goals and recommendations, and to review & vote on all proposed amendments to the Plan.

All can attend the Meetings - 2nd Monday of each month at the Windsor Park Library (subject to change)

at 6:30 p.m.

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Our Strategies for 2017

By Meghan Dougherty, WPNA President

Windsor Park Neighborhood Association Meeting

Saturday, Apr 8th at 10am.

Memorial United Methodist Church 6100 Berkman Dr.

We serve LOCAL Fair Trade coffee from Trianon Roasting Co.!

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Submissions to the newsletter are due by the 15th of each month.

Email them to: newsletter@ windsorpark.info In January, a group of 19 committee chairs and WPNA leaders met at Hope Lutheran Church to hammer out a strategy for 2017. We challenged ourselves to confront things we needed to improve and envisioned how we want to interact with our community in 2017. In preparation for this discussion, I sent out a survey to the neighborhood in December and received over 250 responses from both members and non-members of the WPNA. We poured over the information you provided carefully and thoughtfully. After much discussion and reflection, we crafted three statements that define our key strategies for 2017:

- 1. Improve communication within the neighborhood to communicate our purpose
- 2. Empower our purpose through committee work

3. Better represent and engage with ALL of Windsor Park

The following describes the rationale behind each strategy and the steps we've taken so far this year to accomplish these:

1. Improve communication within the neighborhood to communicate our purpose

We realize that we might not be reaching as many people as we'd like, and that many people don't understand what we do. Some might feel the leadership of the WPNA has its own agenda, which might make it appear detached from the concerns of many neighbors. Therefore, we have decided to identify the key concerns and interests of our community, and focus our meetings on these concerns. We also plan to use the newsletter each month to enhance the meeting topics, including articles on the chosen theme that will help to educate our neighborhood about important issues. Our newsletter editor will be looking into ways to change the formatting and design of the newsletter to make it more reader friendly, and we will be revisiting our newsletter routes to ensure we truly are delivering the newsletter to every corner of our neighborhood. We've expanded our online presence to Facebook Groups, which is more collaborative and allows for more open discussion among neighbors. We are also making it a priority to get the minutes from each meeting out in a timely manner by posting them to our website as well as other social media. We also created the position of a social media chair who is helping us keep everything updated.

2. Empower our purpose through committee work

Most of the work we do happens through our committees, but it appeared from the survey responses that many people don't know what our committees do (or maybe that they even exist?). We are trying to advertise our committee's work more broadly through the newsletter and online. In addition, committee chairs will be making an effort to post meeting times and agendas in advance on our listsery, Nextdoor, and Facebook, so [Continued on page 2]

WPNA April 8, 2017- meeting special focus: immigration and homelessness

[Continued from page 1] community members know what's being discussed. We plan to use our fundraising knowhow to partner with businesses and the City of Austin to get funding for a variety of projects we have in the works, including beautification and safety along the Berkman corridor. We're also creating some new committees, including our most recent - Planning and Revitalization - in order to have a targeted approach to things our neighbors would like to see us do, such as encouraging business development in the heart of our community and creating more social opportunities.

3. Better represent and engage with ALL of Windsor Park

We live in a very diverse community, yet the people who attend our meetings do not always reflect the diversity of our neighborhood. We worry that we skew towards representing homeowners, when in reality we want to be a voice for every resident of Windsor Park, whether renter or owner, whether living in an apartment or a house. We plan to organize more social events that might attract a more diverse crowd. We hope to engage with our lesser-served neighbors through schools and churches, and also find ways to communicate to people who might not be connected to our social media. We're also going to work more on new-member development.

We hope you will help us achieve our goals in 2017. If you see that we're not engaging with a certain group, or could do more, please let us know. If you feel our meetings are not addressing important areas of concern, feel free to contact us with some different ideas. And please consider joining one or more committees to help shape our initiatives in ways you think will help WPNA serve the larger neighborhood.





Immigration Rights and Resources

Jeanette Swenson

With the increased Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) activity in Austin, here are two resources to consult on rights and activities of immigrants. At the April 8 WPNA meeting, an immigration attorney will speak as we all struggle with the questions surrounding immigrant rights. What do we need to know?

Have "Know Your Rights" (from United We Dream) available to use or share with your friends and neighbors.

- American Civil Liberties Union: https://www.aclu.org/issues/immigrants-rights
- United We Dream: http://unitedwedream.org/thank-deportation-defense-card-handy-phone/

See page 6 for helpful tips on immigrant rights in several languages





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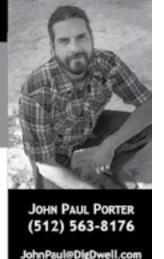
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April 2017 Mueller Update

Rick Krivoniak

KUTX Live is returning the spring concert series to Mueller's Lake Park. The free, monthly music events start at 7PM, with food trucks and kid activities happening a bit earlier. A kid-friendly act kicks off the evening, followed by rock n' roll for adult spectators. Blankets or stadium cushions are okay, but no chairs, glass containers or alcohol are permitted in the park.

- March 31: 7PM The Hey Lolly Band; 7:45PM Calliope Musicals
- April 7: 7PM The Que Pastas; 7:45PM Leopold and His Fiction
- May 12: 7PM Yes Ma'am Brass Band; 7:45PM TBD

See the KUTX Facebook page or kutx.org/live-events/free-family-concerts-at-mueller for more information.

The street level retail spaces in the newly-opened Alamo Drafthouse building will soon be filled. As previously reported, the creators of the Market District's Xian Sushi & Noodle will be opening Bao'd Up, serving a classic Chinese steamed bun dish that is filled with meat and vegetables. Colleen's Kitchen, by Mueller residents Ashley Fric and husband Sean, will be a southern-inspired, full-service restaurant catering to families by day and the entertainment/ foodie scene by night. Two other recently announced businesses plan to open by summer. Barre3 is a fitness studio that delivers a low-impact workout using a program designed by doctors, physical therapists and anatomy specialists, and owner Emily Ballenger will be teaching pop-up and community free classes before the opening. Orangetheory Fitness will offer 60-minute, group personal training and interval fitness, led by skilled and qualified coaches. Cofounder and area developer Terry Blachek found the very active Mueller community an ideal location to showcase their fitness model.

In the nearby "Diamond Building," the opening of BD Riley's Irish Pub & Restaurant and JT Youngblood's Texas Chicken were delayed a bit as City of Austin inspectors were busy with SXSW. Both hope to open in April. Lick Honest Ice Creams also hopes to open by April 15. Local owners Chad Palmatier & Anthony Sobotik were recently featured on "American Doers," a PEOPLE Magazine web series. View the episode at americandoers.people.com

The E. 51st Street Mobility Project (aka "the Vision Plan) was scheduled to be in the design phase early this year, but construction remains contingent on funding. More information and a recent project update can be seen at austintexas.gov/department/e-51st-street-mobility-project

As of this writing, two vacancies remain on the RMMAPIAC (Mueller Commission), but two other vacancies have recently been filled. Council Member Flannigan has appointed Cherrywood resident Jonathan Schwartz, who also happened to be project architect for the Alamo Drafthouse. Mayor Pro Tem Kathie Tovo has appointed Mueller resident and real-estate agent Kathy Sokolic. If you have an interest in serving on any City board or commission, visit www.austintexas.gov/department/ boards-and-commissions. The RMMAPIAC will next meet at 6PM, Tuesday, April 11, 2017 at Parque Zaragoza Recreation Center, 2608 Gonzales Street. Visit https://austintexas.gov/





Brandi & Nathan Wyman, Realtors Windsor Park Residents



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rmmapiac to see RMMAPIAC agendas, minutes and other documents. Address Mueller questions and comments to bc-rick. krivoniak@austintexas.gov

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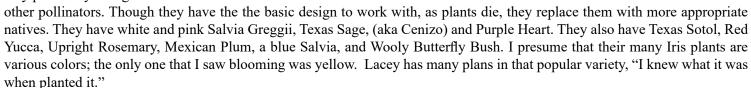
April 2017 Yard of the Month

Sara Jane Lee

Our April winners are Lacey and Shannon McCormick of 1500 Northridge Drive. They have lived in Windsor Park since September, 2001 and in their house since May 2007. They began working on their yard then.

Their house is on the corner of Northridge and Belfast with flower beds in the front and on the side. The basic design was there when the McCormicks moved in, but Lacey designed the small bed on the Belfast side of the house. In the front yard they inherited two Red Oaks, a Pecan tree, and some Crape Myrtles. The last have beautiful trunks.

Since Lacey works at the Lady Bird National Wildlife Center, they plant only drought tolerant natives that welcome bees and



As you might assume, Lacey recommends using native plants. They do hire someone to do the mowing and weeding. This way she and Shannon do not have to spend hours working in the yard. Instead they get to watch their two children play in the grassy areas. She also recommends checking out the National Wildlife Federation's Certified Wildlife Habitat program.

The McCormicks will receive a \$50.00 gift certificate from our sponsor, Shoal Creek Nursery

Pictures of the Yard of the Month are displayed on our website, <u>www.Windsorpark.info</u> as well as on our Facebook page. Check them out.

Do you like a certain yard, or yards, in the neighborhood? You can nominate more than one. Tell us. We cannot visit every yard in the neighborhood every month. We may not have seen your great yard. Don't be humble. We love to get nominations. To nominate a yard or yards, e-mail us at yom@windsorpark.info, call 928-0681 or write WPNA YOMC, PO Box 16183, Austin, Texas 78761

Parks Committee Revival

Jeanette Swenson, Parks Committee Chair

There are many one-time or ongoing opportunities for Windsor Park residents to promote and support our neighborhood parks. According to Council Member Greg Casar, District 4 has the highest number of children under ten, but it also has the smallest amount of developed parkland. Programs to develop parks in underserved urban neighborhoods improve quality of life and safety. See "The Difference A Park Can Make", https://www.nytimes.com/2017/03/12/arts/design/chicago-philadelphia-parks-rahm-emanuel.html?

In addition to Bartholomew District Park, we have two other potential pocket park sites to develop. Friends of Tannehill Branch Creek has adopted the Creek along Broadmoor Drive and is developing a section opposite Promise Land into a pocket park with the help of Keep Austin Beautiful. Several years ago, Parks & Recreation purchased a 1.9 acre plot at 1906 Patton Lane, but no maintenance or development plans appear to be in progress. As a neighborhood, we could begin to care for the area, officially Earl J. Pomerlau Pocket Park; think about facilities we would like on Patton Lane; and encourage Parks and Recreation to develop the park. Potentially, we could apply for development grants from Austin Parks Foundation.

At Bartholomew Park, we can raise funds to provide shade for the third play structure. The \$20,500 bid from USA-Shade needs to be re-worked. The design for the third playscape is more expensive than estimated and will not provide adequate shade. There will be a proposal with 2 options at the April 8 WPNA meeting to revise the project. [Continued on page 5]



Meet Your Neighbor: AARON SACCO

Martin Luecke

Our neighbor on Broadmoor since 2005, Aaron is a freelance graphic artist/illustrator/animator who came to Austin to work on a cutting-edge Richard Linklater movie called "A Scanner Darkly". Starring Keanu Reeves, Robert Downey Jr., Woody Harrelson, Winona Ryder and based on a novel by Philip K. Dick, "Scanner" set a new bar in Hollywood for how to make a movie based on a dystopian future world. It was ground breaking stuff.

Back in 2005, I happened to park next to the house in Cherrywood where "Scanner" was being produced and saw a beehive of activity which included Aaron. "That house never stopped moving." Aaron said working in that house in a regular Austin neighborhood made him wonder what magic was happening in every house in Austin. "There was a lot of entrepreneur spirit here."



Back in those days Aaron and friends rented a house just a couple blocks from where he lives now. Aaron loved Windsor Park from the very beginning, using Bartholomew Park and "our little library" regularly. These days Aaron works out of his house and various coffee shops in the area. "It's nice I don't have to fight traffic." Go ahead, rub it in Aaron.

Go to his website: aaronsacco.com to see a laundry list of work, from movies to television commercials to magazine covers. He had a series of Charles Schwab commercials that lots of people saw. And he is currently working on art for various children's books for Oxford University Press, as well as doing illustrations for Pepsi, Bud Light and Frito Lay ads.



His biggest project recently was the 2016 documentary film "Tower", recently aired on PBS, about the 1966 shooting at the UT Tower that gripped the nation. Aaron was the lead animator on the project and worked for a year and a half to help create 40 minutes of animation for the feature length film. The world premier was at last year's SXSW film festival. Much of his work was animating the re-enactment of that fateful day, telling survivor's stories. One of those survivors, James Love, was at the screening and told Aaron that "he was so into the film that he forgot he was watching animation. That is the best compliment I ever received." This came from one of the heroes of that terrible day, a guy who risked his life to pull a wounded pregnant women off the main mall directly in the line of fire. Quite a story for a guy who sits in coffee shops making art. I think we can all be a little jealous! Please send me suggestions: mwluecke@hotmail.com or call 512.536.0465

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Free Community Easter Egg Hunt!

Saturday, April 15 from 11AM-1PM Come search for eggs, bounce on the bounce house, and enjoy fun and family with your neighbors!

Burgers, hot dogs, drinks & chips will be served

Hope Lutheran Church Lawn, 6414 N Hampton Drive hopelutheranaustin.org

[CM Houston, continued from page 5] The District #1 Council Office will be hosting our quarterly Town Hall meeting on Saturday, April 29th from 10 am - 12 pm at the Hope Lutheran Church, 6414 N Hampton Dr., Austin, TX 78723. There will be presentations from the Code Department regarding the new process for the registration and inspection of boarding homes, and Austin Police Department, Region III Commander, district representation to meet the neighborhood, discuss and address areas of concerns.

Please call the District #1 office for information, assistance or to be added to the district email list: 512-978-2101.

Bertha Sadler Means YWLA

Mrs. Garcia, Parent Support Specialist

Upcoming Events

- Saturday, April 1, 7 and 15th, 9am 11am ESL, SSL and Basic Computer Classes
- Tuesday, April 4, 11:30 12:30 Coffee with the Principal
- Tuesday April 11, 5:30 7pm Parent Night, PTA Meeting Session
- Thursday April 20, 6pm 7pm Salsa Night
- Friday April 28, 5:30pm 7:30pm Family Fun Night (Movie Night)
- Friday April 1- May 4 (Mondays and Wednesdays), 10am, 2pm and 4pm Online Registration Workshops at Bertha Sadler Means

ESL (English as a Second Language), SSL (Spanish as a Second Language) and basic computer classes are being provided at the school, every Saturday from 9am to 11am please come and join our sessions which will go on until mid-April.

We are having online registration workshops on our campus for our parents whom have not registered their students for the 2017 – 2018 school year. If you don't have access to a computer, we can help you set up your Parent Cloud account to register your student. We will be here all Mondays and Wednesdays doing workshops at 10am, 2pm and at 4pm through May 24. Please feel free to come and join us any of those times to register your students and set up your accounts.

If you would like more information or have any questions, please contact Mrs. Garcia, Parent Support Specialist at 512-841-5788.

Reagan Early College High School

Julia Remington, LCSW, Bilingual Social Services Specialist

April brings one of Reagan's favorite family friendly events, **The Unity Walk and Reagan Festival**. This year we are partnering with Child Inc., who will bring their Kid's Fest to campus. There will be food, face painting, rock climbing, arts and crafts, a rap performance, child entertainers, and more! Please join us on **April 29** for this great event. The walk will depart from Webb Middle School at 9am. The Festival will start at Reagan ECHS at 10am.

Other important dates:

- April 11- 930am to 1030am- Principal's Coffee
- April 14 -Student Holiday, No Classes
- April 19 -5:30pm to 8:00pm NACAC National College Fair at the Palmer Events Center
- April 29 The Unity Walk and Reagan Festival

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[Parks, Continued from page 4] Currently, WPNA has \$3,680 in the Shade fund. I am proud that Windsor Park residents and WPNA raised more than \$12,500 (more than one-third of the money) to make two playscapes safer. I hope that we can cover the second set of swings and/or part of the larger playscape.

There are many opportunities to volunteer & work with your neighbors at Bartholomew Park:

- Bartholomew Park Stewards who spend time in the park picking up trash, watering and maintaining the landscaping in the splash pad area will meet regularly for a couple of hours a week.
- Thanks to a Beautification Committee grant from Austin Parks Foundation, we will installing new landscaping & refreshing the existing landscaping on April 15, with April 29 as a back-up.
- Austin Parks Foundation organizes four city-wide volunteer opportunities every year: upcoming is National Trails Day, June; National Public Lands Day, September; and It's My Park Day, 1st Sat. in November.
- The Learning Trail needs to be re-painted (again). This project has been rained out twice, but I hope it can be completed soon. Materials are on site. Contact me if you'd like to get a crew together and spend 2-3 hours painting.

Thank you all for your contributions to make our neighborhood a more beautiful urban space. If you like to be involved in planning, maintaining and improving our parks, please contact me. Jeanette Swenson, 512-627-1295 or jeanetteswenson@yahoo.com

Update from CM Casar

February Homelessness Forum

Thanks to all who were able to attend our February Homelessness Forum! For more than one year, several District 4 neighbors, service providers, and other community partners have worked as a coalition to develop proactive solutions and approaches to address homelessness in our area. In February, this coalition presented their work to invite more of our neighbors to get involved and contribute to this effort. We had a great meeting thanks to our hardworking District 4 neighborhood leaders, the Austin Office of Innovation, Lanier High School, Ending Community Homelessness Coalition (ECHO), and our District 4 appointee to the Commission on Veterans Molly Mae Potter.

There is still more work to do, and our office will continue to be a partner to the D4 Homelessness Initiative to ensure our neighbors experiencing homelessness can find lasting stability and security. If you're interested in getting involved with the D4 Homelessness Initiative, please email shmcclure@gmail.com.

Join me at the Windsor Park Library on May 2

On Tuesday, May 2nd from 6pm to 7:30pm I'll be at the Windsor Park Library to discuss previous, current and ongoing initiatives to address housing affordability by the City, the City Council and my office. I hope to see you there!

In-District Office Hours

My next set of Office Hours will be held on Friday, April 21. If you would like to set up an appointment, please email <u>District4@</u> <u>austintexas.gov</u> or call my office at <u>512-978-2104</u>.

Update from CM Houston

District #1 Neighbors, I am currently attempting to find policy solutions to support and assist individuals in our city who call the streets and greenspaces of Austin home. There are many non-profits whose purpose and mission is to provide short term and long term assistance. However, there continues to be many individuals who live here who need assistance securing some of the basic services access to health care, counseling and medication for individuals with a behavioral health diagnosis or a substance use diagnosis, housing assistance or something as ordinary as a place to clean up.

Mayor Pro Tem Tovo has been working closely with Austin Police Department and the members of collation of agencies that assist individuals who are without homes. She was instrumental in getting funding for the Homelessness Outreach Street Team (HOST) program. I have been working with the Texas Department of Transportation and Austin Resource Recovery to allow receptacles to be placed on the right a way of the Transportation Department so that individuals can 'police the area' reducing the amount of trash and litter. Mayor Pro Tem and I are both committed to finding ways for individuals who live in Austin, our seniors, individuals with children and tourist alike to have public facilities for everyone to use. [Continued on page 10]

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WHAT TO DO IF ICE COMES TO YOUR DOOR



DO NOT OPEN DOORS

ICE cannot come in without a signed warrant by a criminal court judge. They can only come in if you let them.



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ICE can use anything you say against you in your immigration case so claim your right

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Next WPNA Meeting Focus and Upcoming National Week of the Young Child **Meetings & Events**

Immigration enforcement and homelessness will be our two key topics for April's Neighborhood Meeting, April 11, 2017. Our guests will be Chito Vela and Councilmember Greg Casar. Chito Vela is a neighbor and an immigration attorney and can help us better understand how some of the recent immigration enforcement is affecting our community. CM Casar has been active on both of these issues and will inform us about how the City of Austin is handling these concerns.

Call for volunteers:

- new transportation committee chair
- webmaster for the WPNA site
- volunteers for the Neighborhood Party on April 8 (sign up at https://www.volunteersignup. org/9HTX7)

Upcoming Meetings and Events:

Schools Committee Meeting

• April 5, 7-8:30 pm, Contact chair for location (schools@windsorpark.info)

Windsor Park Neighborhood Association meeting

• April 8, 10-12, Memorial United Methodist Church on Berkman

Windsor Park's 1st Annual Neighborhood Block Party!

• April 8, 1-5 pm, Windsor Village (across from the care is accreditation through NAEYC. library)

Contact Team Meeting

• April 10, 6 pm, Windsor Park Library

Commander's Forum with APD (learn about crime and safety)

• April 11, 6-8:30 pm, Virginia Brown Rec Center, 7500 Blessing Ave

Safety Committee Meeting

• April 13, 6:30 pm, Windsor Park Library

Beautification Committee Meeting

• April 20 at 6 pm, Cement Loop (Windsor Village)

WPNA Executive Committee Meeting

• April 24, 7 pm, Windsor Park Library

Austin Neighborhood Council

• April 26, 7 pm, Austin Energy Building 721 Barton Springs Road

Revitalization and Economic Development Committee

• April 27, 6:30 pm, Windsor Park Library

Affordable Housing in Austin, with CM Greg Casar

• May 2, 6-7:30 pm, Windsor Park Library

Star Wars Event at the Library

• May 5, 6-9 pm, Windsor Park Library

April 24-29, 2017

Gloria Neunaber

The Week of the Young ChildTM has been an annual celebration since 1971 and is sponsored by the National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC) to celebrate early learning, young children, their teachers

Quality early childhood education is one of the best investments we can make for our children's future. Research shows that children attending high quality early childhood programs are more likely to develop the language, pre-mathematics and social skills they need to succeed in school.

According to the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services, there are 3 licensed Extend a Care programs, one licensed child care home and 9 licensed child care centers within Windsor Park boundaries. Those 13 agencies have a capacity of serving 945 young children! There are various standards of care. Texas DFPS assures that licensed centers follow minimum standards for children. Texas Rising Star is a quality rating and improvement system for Texas early childhood programs. Programs that participate in TRS meet higher quality standards than many other child care programs. Additionally, the national highest standard of

Mt. Sinai Christian Academy and Trinity Child Development Center are both nationally accredited and 4 star Rising Providers. Promise Land Preschool is a 2 star Rising Star Program. More information about quality can be found at http://families.naeyc.org/

Many agencies serving young children throughout the country will be celebrating Music Monday, Tasty Tuesday, Work Together Wednesday, Artsy Thursday, and Family

The Austin Association for the Education of Young Children will hold the closing celebration event for the Week of the Young Child on Saturday, April 29th.

All Austin families are invited to bring a picnic to Ella Wooten Park in Mueller from 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm. Free activities include games, face painting, and clown activities Come out and have a fun time and help celebrate young children!

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WPNA Resolution for Sidewalks

WHEREAS Windsor Park has a significant number of modest to low income households, retirees, people with disabilities, and senior citizens;

WHEREAS Windsor Park has a significant number of individuals interested in alternate modes of transportation and pedestrian and bike mobility access;

WHEREAS Windsor Park has a significant number of families with young children needing strollers, pre-school, and school -aged children all needing sidewalks for safety;

WHEREAS Windsor Park unique isolation makes improved access to neighborhoods to our north, south, east, and west a necessity;

WHEREAS sidewalks provide for economic growth of small local businesses;

WHEREAS sidewalks create community and bring together, in no special way other than walking, people and groups of differing economic, social and ethnic backgrounds;

WHEREAS sidewalks provide access to a healthy lifestyle;

WHEREAS the Windsor Park Neighborhood Association has conducted 2 neighborhood surveys and a neighborhood workshop to determine the sidewalk needs and priorities based on the COA sidewalk priority criteria and the neighborhood goals of diversity, community and mobility;

WHEREAS the Windsor Park Neighborhood Association identified the following streets as having the highest need for sidewalks:

west of Berkman Dr: Access road on the south side of 290, Broadmoor Dr, Corona Dr, Northridge Dr, Ridgemont Dr, 52nd St., Belfast Dr, and the north side of Briarcliff Dr;

east of Berkman Dr: Sweeney Ln, Waterbrook Dr, Delwood Dr, Shady Brook Ln, Linda Ln, Mira Loma Ln/Dorchester Dr, Patton Ln, the north side of Wheless Ln, and Coventry Ln;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Windsor Park Neighborhood Association

- 1. supports sidewalks because of the mobility, economic, social, health and community benefits that studies have repeatedly shown them to provide,
- 2. urges the City of Austin to build sidewalks on the streets chosen and named in our workshop and surveys, with the highest level of prioritization to the following streets:
 - Belfast Dr
 - Corona Dr
 - Broadmoor Dr
 - along the 290 East access road
 - the north side of Briarcliff between Cameron and Berkman
- 3. urges the City of Austin to use the Safe Routes to School program to prioritize streets that serve our children walking to schools, specifically by building sidewalks on Sweeney Ln and the north side of Wheless Ln.

NEWSLETTER DELIVERERS NEEDED!

WE RECENTLY PERFORMED A ROUTE AUDIT AND HAVE IDENTIFIED AN AREA OF WINDOR PARK WHERE WE DON'T HAVE ANY CURRENT DELIVERERS.

IF YOU LIVE IN THE AREA BOUNDED BY MANOR, WHELESS & NORTHEAST (INCLUDING THE STREETS OF FRIENDSWOOD, VERNON, ADALEE, JACK COOK, ARNOLD & EMORY)

PLEASE CONTACT **NEWSLETTER (a) WINDSORPARK.INFO**IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN DELIVERING NEWSLETTERS TO YOUR NEIGHBORS.