

## MacArthur Heights Neighborhood Association Board

March 18<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 pm at MacArthur Elementary

### Board Member Attendance:

\_X\_ David Hintz, Pres.      \_X\_ Mark Vickman - Treas.      \_Tim Gilbert - VP  
\_X\_ Sam Bartels      \_Debbie Vickman      \_X\_ Megan Fierst  
\_X\_ Cheryl Williams - Sec      \_Warren Schultz      \_Jenna Johnson  
\_X\_ Julie O'Connell      \_Julie Jansch

Other attendees: Brian Fierst, Mary Hintz, Elaine Quick, Jean Pokorny, Tammy Deppe

1. Greetings – David Hintz
2. Approval of minutes: January meeting minutes approved unanimously
3. Treasurer Report: \$ 1251.53 in bank, \$ 8.10 in petty cash.
4. Committee Reports
  - **Social:** Megan Fierst, Mary Hintz, Brian Fierst
    - i. **Concert in the Park – date will be June 27. Mark Vickman will contact Alderman Danzinger, the Parks Dept about setup, and get the popcorn machine & materials. Drinks are TBD.**
    - ii. **MacArthur Heights Neighborhood 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Rummage sale will be July 17th: 8am until 4pm, July 18th: 8-?. Megan will do a map of participants again, the deadline for that will be July 8. Key information will be published in newsletter.**
  - **Land Issues:** Julie O'Connell, Mark & Debbie Vickman, Warren & Julie Schultz
    - i. **Beaver Dam Cleanup - April 18 (raindate April 25) 8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Julie O'Connell will send Mark Vickman contact information, and what individuals did last year. Mark will coordinate.**
      1. **Pam Freeman – Map, posters for school distribution, pickers, truck for bags.**
      2. **Dawn Vandenheuvel – Sanimax has volunteered to donate treats and bring volunteers. Last year they also provided trash bags & pickers, so we could ask if they can do this again as well.**
      3. **James Anderson from Parks & Rec also provided garbage bags and arranged buckets (needed picked p on Mather street)**
      4. **Julie will make sign inserts again – Cheryl will bring over the markers/materials.**
      5. **Our neighborhood realtor signs are stored at the Hintz' and Mark's (right?)**
  - **Public Safety:** Tim Gilbert, Sam Bartels. No report.
  - **Media:** Julie Jansch, Cheryl Williams, Sam Bartels
    - i. **Newsletter distribution April 6 week.** Cheryl will send out a sign up sheet for distributing. We will not worry about more ads, but just do a half page newsletter announcing key events : Beaver Dam Cleanup, Concert in the Park, Neighborhood Rummage sale.
5. Old Business
  - **Fundraising** –David Hintz  
Our Neighborhood's contribution to Neighborhood Leadership Council: \$250, no deadline. Some fundraising ideas:
    - Raffle – We will do a 50/50 Raffle w/ possibly more prizes. Drawing will be held in Nov. We will get enough tickets to use for next year w/ a Nov drawing as well. Sam Bartels will handle this.
    - Brat Fry – Warren will bring available dates.
    - Social for kids at MacArthur elementary – we missed this but Tammy will continue to help us find opportunities.
    - Bike Event with John Muir – Dave Hintz is the contact for this, if it continues to develop as an opportunity.

- **Other topics**

- April 7 – Mayoral and County Exec vote, plus NWTC Bond approval. Goal: 30% turnout.
- Colburn Pool Fundraiser April 18 6:30 pm at Riverside Ballroom, Tickets: Chris Wery at 490-9282.
- Fall Neighbors Helping Neighbors – table this until fall. Will need someone to help organize it.

6. New Business

7. Next Meeting:

**ANNUAL MEETING**

**May 20, 6:30 p.m.**

**MacArthur Elementary School**

New Board members will be elected

How to improve your neighborhood – Asset Based Community Development in 15 minutes  
(presented by Noel Halverson of NeighborWorks)

The July meeting will be at Gallaghers Pizza, 2655 West Mason at 6:30 p.m. We're buying!

**2015 Events:**

**April 18 (raindate 25<sup>th</sup>):** Beaver Dam Cleanup, meet at the East Entrance off of 9<sup>th</sup> street .

**May 20:** MacArthur Heights Annual Meeting

**June 27:** Concert in the Park

**July 15:** Neighborhood Association meeting at Gallagher's Pizza at 6:30pm – We buy!

**July 17 & 18:** MacArthur Heights Neighborhood 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Rummage Sale