

CANYON NORTH

A Great Place To Live



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The Canyon North Neighborhood Association Mission Statement

To unite as neighbors to preserve the safety, beauty and value of our homes, property and families.



This newsletter is also posted at: www.neighborhoodlink.com/okc/canyonnorth



Plan to attend!
Next CNNA Meeting
7 p.m. - Thursday
March 23, 2006
Church of the Servant
14343 N. MacArthur



Message from the President:

Seasons Greetings to Canyon North residents! The holidays are here in full force and with that comes all of the hustle and bustle of shopping and spending time with family. I hope everyone shares this joyous time with family and friends. The CNNA will be having our annual holiday events in December. You can read about the details in this newsletter.

We are looking forward to some new things for our neighborhood in the coming year. Our new traffic light going in at Rockwell and Talbot has passed its next phase and the contract for installation has been approved by the city. We hope to see construction begin by early spring 2006.

Our membership continues to grow as many of you renew your support of the CNNA. We have also had many new members join this year. If you are new to the neighborhood or have not renewed your membership yet, you can download a membership form at www.neighborhoodlink.com/okc/canyonnorth or contact me directly at 721-9457. The discounts you'll receive will come in handy during the holidays.

The CNNA Board of Directors welcomes your comments and suggestions so please feel free to call any board member. Their phone numbers are listed inside. I wish everyone a safe and happy holiday and a prosperous new year!

Becky Rickard, President



December 10 – 6:30 p.m.

Don't delay on this event - Decorate today!



CNNA Holiday Sleigh Ride

Mark your calendars for Friday, Dec. 9, 6:00-8:00 p.m., to bring your family and enjoy the fourth annual CNNA Holiday Sleigh Ride. D&D Carriages will be bringing their team of horses and big red sleigh to travel though Canyon North enjoying all of our beautiful holiday lights.

The rides will start at Becky Rickard's house at 10708 Bayberry Drive. In order to be guaranteed a space, we ask that you call Becky at 721-9457 to reserve the time that you and your family want to ride in the horse drawn sleigh. We have four rides planned with the first starting at 6:00 and running every 30 minutes. The sleigh holds approximately 20 people. If you leave a message, be sure to leave your name, phone number, the time slot you would like to attend and the number of people in your party. Becky will get back with you to confirm your reservation. Those people with reservations will be given priority.

There is no charge for anyone who wishes to take the ride around Canyon North. To keep warm, we'll have hot chocolate and goodies available in Becky's garage while waiting for the ride.

This is a very popular event so be sure to call right away to book your time slot. We'd like to suggest that anyone

having a party on the evening of the 9th to please ask their guests to park on one side of the street. Getting a large two horse drawn sleigh navigated through cars parked on either side of the street can be tricky!



Want To Advertise Your Business?

Business card ads are available in the newsletter for a rate of \$10 per month, per ad. If you wish to put your business card in the newsletter, please get your card to Becky Rickard by the 15th of the month. You can call Becky at 721-9457 to make arrangements to deliver your card. You must be a CNNA member to place an ad.

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Newsletter Delivery

anything Notice different about your newsletter this time? That's right it arrived in the mail. Special arrangements with Neighborhood Alliance allows neighborhoods to mail their newsletters at a low bulk mail rate. If our membership continues to grow, we will continue delivery via mail. It's certainly a more efficient way to deliver the newsletter and hope it will reach the attention of more Canyon North residents.

CNNA Holiday Lighting Contest

We are having our holiday lighting contest again this year. The judging will start at 6:30 p.m. on Sat., Dec. 10th. Be sure to have your lights on as the judges go around picking the winners. Having the most lights isn't the sole basis for winning this coveted award. Other aspects such as creativity, themes and originality are considered, so have fun with your decorations. We will have first through third place awards and an honorable mention for each of our six sections. Top prize will include a \$100 gift certificate to Home Depot and certificates for turkeys from our new CREST Grocery at Rockwell and Hefner. We want to encourage CN residents to participate in this very rewarding and competitive event.



This is the biggest CNNA event of the year, so don't miss out on your chance to win the major award this year. *Remember, you must be a CNNA member in order to be eligible for the judging.*

CNNA Kids Holiday Coloring Contest



Here's a new event for our holiday activities. We're having a kid's coloring contest in 3 age groups the night of our sleigh ride, Dec. 9. Age groups are: 4 yrs & under; 5-7 yrs; 8-11 yrs. To download a copy of the artwork, you'll need a computer in go to our Website at

www.neighborhoodlink.com/okc/canyonnorth. Click on the link that's labeled "Kid's Holiday Coloring Contest", print it off, let your child get creative, then bring it to the Holiday Sleigh Ride at 10708 Bayberry Dr. We will display the artwork during the sleigh ride. Winners will be contacted and first place awards will be given in each age category the next day, Dec. 10th. If you are unable to download a copy of the artwork, please contact Ana

Johnson at 773-5229 or Becky Rickard at 721-9457. If this event is a popular one, we will repeat it next year.

Back Yard Burgers Silver Spade Award



The final 2004-05 Back Yard Burgers Silver Spade Award was presented in September.

September Winner Cia Colvin & Nicole Parks 6816 Elk Canyon Rd.

Cia and Nicole have been working diligently on their home and their yard certainly reflected this in September. There were flowers everywhere and some very entertaining yard ornaments that included a great little garden gnome! Congratulations!

To see photos of all the Silver Spade yards from this year, please visit the Canyon North Website at www.neighborhoodlink.com/okc/canyonnorth. Start preparing your yard now to be ready when this award starts again next April. Remember you must be a CNNA member in order to be eligible to win the Back Yard Burgers Silver Spade Award.

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Happy Holiday Puzzle Fun

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DASHER	GINGERBREAD	RUDOLPH	

Disaster Preparedness

Plan to attend our CNNA meeting on March 23, 7:00 p.m. at Church of the Servant on MacArthur. We will have a special guest from the American Red Cross give a very enlightening presentation on disaster planning. With the spring storms that are sure to come we want all Canyon North residents to be fully prepared to handle any situation. More details will be in our Feb/Mar newsletter.

CNNA Membership

If you have not renewed your membership or joined the CNNA for the first time there is still plenty of time to do so. There are great benefits to everyone who becomes a member of the CNNA. When you join the CNNA you will receive discounts at the following local merchants: the Home Depot on NW Hwy, Kwik Kar Lube and Tune on MacArthur, Red Carpet Car Wash on Hefner, Sonic Drive-In on Rockwell, Back Yard Burgers, American Self Storage on Hefner, All Night Auto on MacArthur,

Tammy's Pet Salon and Rockwell Pet Clinic. Being a member of the CNNA is a win-win for all of us and with these discounts, you will easily get the cost of your \$25 membership fee back.

Please remember that as a CNNA member, you not only receive these discounts but you also are eligible to win some great prizes in our holiday lighting contest and the Silver Spade Award given during the spring and summer months. Check our web site for more info on these events. www.neighborhoodlink.com/okc/canyonnorth.

Our membership year started October 1, 2005 and runs through September 31, 2006. Please help us keep Canyon North a GREAT PLACE TO LIVE, we need your support!



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