

President's Message - Join Us for a Better Beechmont

Happy New Year to All! As we look to a new year, I'd like to welcome three new board members: Rich Galvin, Jeff Miller and Melissa Starck-Bean who have graciously stepped up to the plate in the service of the neighborhood. I'd also like to welcome back two recent additions to the board; Laura Speedie and Lynn Ball. We are happy to have them join with us in keeping Beechmont a great place to live. We look forward to the new and creative energy and ideas they will bring.

I would like to ask each member of the association to consider ways you can give back or serve the neighborhood. We have several fund-raisers, social, and community building events where we could use your help. We have landscaping and repair needs at the gazebo, if you are handy or like outside work. We routinely cover graffiti on the expressway sound barriers and around the neighborhood.

Think about joining a block watch or starting one. Maybe you could consider signing up for our "Keep Beechmont Beautiful" program which involves picking up litter in your block of the neighborhood. Call Linda Guss at 368-0261 to help.

We all have family and busy schedules. We're not asking for lots of time. If you could volunteer an hour or so a few times a year we'd greatly appreciate it! It makes the work of the keeping a great neighborhood easier and we all benefit. Let's make a new year resolution to keep Beechmont strong by being involved.

Please call me at 368-3179 or e-mail me at R_STARCK@MSN.COM if you can help.

~ President Bob Starck

Graffiti ... Not a Pretty Sight : Help Us Stop it .

As you can see, we have had an increase in the amount of Graffiti in our neighborhood and in the city, this is not a welcome sight and we all need to help put a stop to this. If you see any of this being done, please call the Police dispatch line at 574- 7111 and report it.

We try to cover this up as soon as possible. If you would like to help us, let Bob Starck know at 368-3179 and he can give you a call the next time we go out to cover this up. Wear old clothes and help us roll over Graffiti.

If you see this in the neighborhood you can also report it to Metrocall at 311 and ask that they get it cleaned up. The more people that call, the quicker we can get action from the city. Let's all act to take our neighborhood back.

~Gary Guss



Christmas on the Corner ... Santa Comes to Town



BNA - Make Us Your New Year's Resolution

If you're reading this newsletter, chances are that you're already a member of the Beechmont Neighborhood Association. Good for you!

- You already know that being a member of BNA entitles you to receive six copies of The Bugler each year.

- You know that our board meets monthly—the third Monday of every month at 7:00 p.m. at the Beechmont Community Center—and that you are welcome to attend to voice a concern, ask a question, or just to get a better feel of what's going on in the neighborhood.

- You know that BNA is an active advocate for Beechmont, organizing litter collection campaigns, maintaining dialogue with the Louisville Metro Police Department, covering graffiti, and a broad range of other activities.

- You know that BNA organizes events each year: the Mini Marathon Breakfast, the Festival of Flowers, the Finish Line Festival, and Christmas on the Corner.

- And you know that BNA brought you the Beechmont Open Air Market all summer.

We hope you know all of these things and that you are actively involved in many of them. We can use you as a volunteer at events or to help with beautification of the neighborhood. If you are already on our e-mail distribution list, you know that we send updates on items of interest for Beechmont throughout the year. If you are not on our e-mail list and would like to be, e-mail Gary Guss at gussg@bellsouth.net, and we'll add your address to the database.

As we begin 2007 and think of what we'd like to accomplish in the new year, consider making a resolution to get more involved in the Beechmont Neighborhood Association. Whether it's spending a few hours at an event, attending a board meeting, or simply passing this newsletter on to another neighbor and inviting them to join, your involvement will make a difference. Happy New Year! Let's make 2007 BNA's strongest year yet!

~ Julie Brackett

Pass on The Bugler to a neighbor and ask them to join BNA!

It's an easy way to support your neighborhood!

Festival of Flowers - Need Planning Help !

The festival of flowers committee is seeking volunteers to be involved to plan this year's festival. This is a large undertaking for BNA every year and every year we try to make it better and better. If you have an interest in gardening, please help by contacting Laura Hosbach, the committee chair. This group will meet monthly for the next few months and probably more as we get closer in time to the event. We need to line up sponsors, pick out plants and speakers and if possible plan a tour of Beechmont's gardens. If you have an interest please call Laura at 361-4952.

Beechmont Community Center - Fun for All

Beechmont Community Center

205 West Wellington Avenue

Louisville, KY 40214

502/361-5484

Terry Wooden, Manager

terry.wooden@louisvilleky.gov

Resources: Cardiovascular Room, Computer Lab, Game Room, Gym, Teen Room, Video Room

Weight and Cardio Workout Room

Hours

Mon-Thurs: 9:30a.m. - 8:30p.m.

Friday: 9:30a.m. - 6:30p.m.

Saturday: 9:30a.m. - 1:30p.m.

Fee \$10.00 per month

Organizations

Table Tennis Club

Mon: 4-8:30p.m. \$1/month

Tae Kwon Do Classes

Tue, Thurs: 6-7p.m. \$20/month

Body Pump (aerobics) includes weight room

Tue, Thurs: 6-7 p.m. \$20/month

Women's Weight Training

Mon, Wed, Fri: 5:45-6:45p.m. \$10/month

Yoga includes weight room

Tue, Thurs: 7-8p.m. \$20/month

Teen Weight Training

Mon, Wed, Fri: 3:30-5p.m. \$5/month

Speed Training

Mon, Wed: 7:30-8:30p.m. \$10/month

Scrabble Club

Mon, Wed: 7:30-8:30p.m. \$10/month

Senior Fitness Class

Mon, Wed, Fri: 9:15-10:30a.m. \$5/month

Hours

Mon - Thurs

9a.m. - 9p.m.

Friday

9a.m. - 7p.m.

Saturday

9a.m. - 2p.m.

Come visit the Beechmont Community Center, in the heart of a diverse neighborhood in South Louisville. Look for other new and exciting programs such as Book Club, Walking, and more. Bring your family and friends to share in the fun!



Linda Doane
Photography

www.DoanePhoto.com
502-648-6254

High School Seniors-Pets-Families-Weddings-Maternity-Infants



O. D. White & Sons
Funeral Home

2727 South Third Street
Louisville, KY 40208
(502) 637-4474
(502) 635-1154 Fax

OWEN D. WHITE
Funeral Director/Manager
MELVIN L. WHITE
Funeral Director
VALERIA C. WHITE
Funeral Director



LINDA DOYLE
REALTOR®
(502) 361-9441 BUSINESS
(502) 366-8683 FAX
(502) 262-4543 CELL
linda.doyle@coldwellbanker.com



FOREMOST, REALTORS®
3113 South Third Street
Louisville, KY 40214

Each Office is Independently
Owned And Operated

WWE
Wrestling
20' Screen • Theater Sound
MBS Catholic Church • Pioneer Hall
\$5 Admission / Beer & Hot Wings
Each Month 8 PM / Doors Open 6PM
For Info Call Mike @ 363-5558

Michael W. Taliaferro
Investment Representative

310 West Woodlawn Avenue
Between Southern Pkwy & 3rd St
Louisville, KY 40214
Bus. 502-367-4836 Fax 877-222-8532
www.edwardjones.com

MAKING SENSE OF INVESTING

Edward Jones®



Girard's Hardware

5101 S Third Street
Louisville, KY 40214

368. 3760

GENERAL HARDWARE
LAWN & GARDEN SUPPLIES



AUTO PARTS

PAT MCDANIEL
Sales

ADVANCE AUTO PARTS
4101 Taylor Boulevard
Louisville, KY 40215
(502) 361-8828
E-MAIL: pmcdaniel@advanceauto.com



Lawn Cure, Inc.



635-0035

Fertilization
Insect & Weed Control

2745 New High St.
Louisville, KY 40209

Please Support Our Loyal Advertisers



At The Iroquois Library ...

Adult Programs

English Conversation Club

Every Saturday, 3 p.m.

Volunteer to help those from other countries who need to practice English conversation.

Bilingual Cafe

Every Saturday, 3 p.m.

An opportunity for native Spanish speakers and students of Spanish to practice both languages together. This is not for beginner Spanish speakers but for those who are already conversant.

Sit n' Stitch

Monday, January 8, 10:30 a.m.

Novice and experienced welcome. Bring your knitting, quilting and needlework.

The Art of Aromatherapy

Wednesday, January 10, 6:30 p.m.

Learn about the history and use of essential oils.

Martin Luther King Jr. and the Louisville Civil Rights Movement

Wednesday, January 17, 6:30 p.m.

The Civil War in Kentucky

– An African-American View

Tuesday, February 6, 6:30 p.m.

Dr. Blaine Hudson, University of Louisville, explores the Civil War as seen by African-Americans in Kentucky.

Cultural Showcase: Korea

Saturday, January 20, 1 p.m.

Celebrate the tastes and sounds of Korea with Hyunjoon Cline.

Cultural Showcase: India

Saturday, February 17, 1 p.m.

Celebrate the dance and music of India.

Using Feng Shui to Enhance Your Life

Wednesday, February 21, 6:30 p.m.

Barbara Hancock, a Feng Shui practitioner, will show you how to maximize the positive and minimize the negative aspects of your life using this ancient Chinese/Asian science.

Africa Film Festival

Saturday, February 3, 10, 24, 1 p.m.

View and discuss these powerful films dealing with problems faced by those in Africa.

February 3 - State of Denial

February 10 - On Our Watch

February 24 - Lost Boys of Sudan

Small Business Savvy - LFPL Resources at Your Fingertips

Wednesday, January 31, 6 p.m.

Small Business Savvy- Metro Revenue Commission Occupational Taxes

Wednesday, February 7, 6:30 p.m.

The Metro Revenue Commission (formerly the Sinking Fund) will explain their connection to small businesses, resident and non-resident tax rates, and who must complete the registration form and why.

Space is limited; sign up is required.

Young Adult Programs

Make a Journal for the New Year

Monday, January 8, 3:30 p.m.

Anime in the Afternoon

Thursday, January 11, 4 p.m.

Thursday, February 8, 4 p.m.

Film and munchies provided.

Ages 13-18.

From Blues to Hip Hop

- The Big Read Event

Monday, February 12, 4 p.m.

Take a look and listen to the roots of Hip Hop in our celebration of Black History Month.

Ages 12-19.

Children's Programs

Seasonal Stories and Crafts

Saturday, January 13, 10:30 a.m.

String-Climbing Critters Craft

Tuesday, January 23, 4 p.m.

Ages 6-12.

Hidden in Plain View

- The Big Read Event

Thursday, February 15, 6:30 p.m.

Learn how slaves sent messages with quilts.

Sweet Temptations

Tuesday, February 13, 4pm.

A Valentine's Day craft with sweets.

Ages 5 and up.

Computer Classes

Computer Basics

Wednesday, January 3, 10:30 a.m.

Monday, February 5, 10:30 a.m.

Windows Basics

Friday, January 5, 10:30 a.m.

Thursday, February 8, 10:30 a.m.

Internet Basics

Wednesday, January 10, 2 p.m.

Wednesday, February 14, 2 p.m.

Introduction to Microsoft Word

Thursday, January 18, 10:30 a.m.

Tuesday, February 20, 10:30 a.m.

Special Classes

Publish Yourself with

Microsoft Publisher

Tuesday, January 9 - Fliers

Tuesday, January 16 - Business Cards

Tuesday, January 23 - Greeting Cards

Tuesday, January 30 - Banners

Introduction to Microsoft Power

Friday, January 26, 10:30 a.m.

Thursday, February 22, 10:30 a.m.

Foreign Language Classes

Computación Básica

El sábado, el 6 de enero, 11 de la mañana

Esta clase está diseñada para estudiantes que tienen muy poco o ningún conocimiento de computación.

Practicar Computación

El sábado, el 17 de febrero, 11 de la mañana

Computación de nivel medio

El sábado, el 13 de enero, 11 de la mañana

El sábado, el 10 de febrero, 11 de la mañana

Esta clase provee a los estudiantes con conocimientos de nivel medio de Microsoft Excel y Microsoft Word.

Vietnamese Computer Class

Saturday, January 27, 11 a.m.

Saturday, February 24, 11 a.m.

Book Discussion

A Walk in the Woods:

Rediscovering the Appalachian Trail by Bill Bryson.

Tuesday, January 9, 2 p.m.

Their Eyes Were Watching God

by Zora Neale Hurston.

Tuesday, February 13, 2 p.m.

Friends Meeting

Tuesday, January 16, 6 p.m.

Tuesday, February 20, 6 p.m.

Library Story times

Preschool Story time

Every Wednesday, 10:15 a.m.

Toddler Story time

Every Wednesday, 11:15 a.m.

Mother Goose Time

For walkers up to age 2.

Tuesday, February 6, 10:15 a.m.

Saturday, February 24, 10:30 a.m.

Family Story time

Every Thursday, 6:30 p.m.



Headache? Back or Neck Pain?

Louisville Chiropractic Arts

Treatment for Neck & Back Pain • Sciatica • Headache

Nicolai L. Hansen, D.C.

Chiropractic that avoids unnecessary twisting and popping.

Works well with arthritic and osteoporotic conditions.

Proficiency rated by Activator Methods www.activator.com

Most Insurance accepted.

502-367-1495

Munnelley

FUNERAL HOME

4327 Taylor Boulevard

(502) 368-3396

Louisville, KY 40215

Part of the Community, Not a National Chain



BENNETT'S LAWN SERVICE

Reasonable Rates
Mowing Trimming Etc.
Call Mark @ 773-7976

Free Estimates

Insured

Senior Discount

Thornberry Delicatessen

"Famous for our pies since 1954"

Wedding Cakes
Homebaked Ham



5103 S 3rd Street
367.8394

SWAG'S

SPORT SHOES
Since 1980

Monday – Friday 10-8

Saturday 10-6 • Sunday 1-4

SWAG HARTEL

(502) 368-2443 • FAX (502) 361-3381

www.swagssportshoes.com

7415 Old 3rd St. Road
Auburndale Shopping Center
Louisville, KY 40214

Wentworth Apartments

4610 Southern Pkwy. Louisville, KY 40214

**\$100 off first
month's rent
with Senior
Discount**

Call 267-9192 please leave a message

New private Elevator for Seniors

**Christian owned
and managed**

**This is a quiet
living community**



Please visit our web site at: www.ViewMore.info

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY STATE SENATE



Perry B. Clark
37th District

5716 New Cut Road
Louisville, KY 40214

perryclark37@bellsouth.net

Capitol Annex
Frankfort, Kentucky 40601
(502) 564-8100 Ext 715
perry.clark@lrc.ky.gov



L&N

FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

Where You've Got Options! SM

www.LNFCU.com

Board Meeting 3rd Monday of Each Month



KENWOOD MONTESSORI SCHOOL

-  *Fostering Independence*
-  *Modeling Social Skills*
-  *Building Self Esteem*

**Preschool and
Kindergarten**



**4102 Southern Pkwy
367-7515**

Bethany Lutheran Church

Southern Parkway at Evelyn Ave
Worship time - 10:00 Sunday morning

Welcome!

bethanylutheran.net
bethanylutheran@bellsouth.net



**Parking Lot
Sweeping**

**Pressure
Washing**



**Exterior
Maintenance**

Raymers Sweeping Service

(502) 445-9400

(502) 640-0668

New Years Quotations

Youth is when you're allowed to stay up late on New Year's Eve. Middle age is when you're forced to. ~Bill Vaughn

Be always at war with your vices, at peace with your neighbors, and let each new year find you a better man. ~Benjamin Franklin

New Year's Day is every man's birthday.
~Charles Lamb

Cheers to a new year and another chance for us to get it right. ~Oprah Winfrey

For last year's words belong to last year's language
And next year's words await another voice.
And to make an end is to make a beginning.
~T.S. Eliot, "Little Gidding"

Good resolutions are simply checks that men draw on a bank where they have no account. ~Oscar Wilde

One resolution I have made, and try always to keep, is this: To rise above the little things.
~John Burroughs

A happy New Year! Grant that I
May bring no tear to any eye
When this New Year in time shall end
Let it be said I've played the friend,
Have lived and loved and labored here,
And made of it a happy year.
~Edgar Guest

**Place Your Ad Here : Call: 523-8796 &
Be Seen By 450 of your Neighbors**

Beechmont Community Center 7:00 PM





Beechmont

Neighborhood Association

www.beechmont.org

PO Box 14332

Louisville, KY

40214

Presorted Standard

U.S. Postage

PAID

Louisville, KY

Permit №. 1828

BNA Board Members ... At your service

We are here to help you and we would also like your help.

Feel free to contact us with questions or comments, as well as to find out how you can get involved.

Bob Starck - President - 368-3179

Debbie Thompson - Treasurer - 366-4614

Gary Guss - Bugler Editor - 523-8796

Jeff Miller - 368-7043

Elizabeth Meisburg - 363-6981

Richard Galvin - 368-0796

Melissa Starck-Bean - 572-5042

Brian Kolb - Vice President - 367-7558

Lyne Ball - 363- 2097

Julie Brackett - Membership - 361-4722

Laura Speedie - Business

Jim Woodward - 361-4866

Rick Pickerill -Farmer's Market - 367-2652

Beechmont Neighborhood Association Membership Application (please print clearly)

Name(s) _____

Address _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

_____ Family Membership (\$7.50)

_____ Business Membership (\$25)

Mail to: BNA PO Box 14332 Louisville, KY 40214

☐ I would like to serve on a committee concerning:

☐ I would like to volunteer for events. Please contact me

☐ I would like to serve on the Board of Directors

I am interested in helping with:

☐ Beautification ☐ Publicity ☐ Events

☐ Public Affairs