



## SCPNA SPECIAL EDITION - AUGUST 2007

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Dear Neighbors,

On the next three pages you'll learn about three up-coming social events happening here where we live.

- The Garden Tour on Friday August 10 offers an opportunity to gather informally at a few hosting residences.
- The Festival of the Arts on Saturday August 11 is in its seventh year. In addition to the opportunity of attending, several volunteers will be needed to spell one another at a tent representing our neighborhood association. Please let an SCPNA officer know if you could be available for such an assignment.
- The Halloween Event on Colfax, planned for Saturday October 27, is designed with both children and adults in mind. In addition to the opportunity of attending, the planning committee could use volunteer help to think through and carry out the many details imagined for that afternoon and evening.

Also, if you are not a paid-up 2007 member of your neighborhood association (symbolic \$5 per household), it is always a good time to do so. Mail or hand-deliver your payment (to SCPNA) and membership information (household residents list, street address, phone number, e-mail address) to: Rob Hunsley, SCPNA Treasurer, 1601 Harrison Street, Denver 80206.

So, whether it's in attending the events, volunteering towards their success, or joining the association, we invite you to reach back.

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**SECOND ANNUAL\***  
**NEIGHBORHOOD GARDEN TOUR**

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 10, 6PM TO 8PM

**An opportunity for neighbors to interact in friendly environments!**

Stroll between these participating host sites at your leisure:

**1658 Saint Paul Street**

The Home of Patricia Knox and Edee Hares

Experience back yard ambiance

Accessible off the alley or from the street

**1685 Steele Street/3132 East 17th Avenue**

The Home of Elton Arms Condominium residents

Experience imaginative use of an inner-city back yard area

Catch a glimpse of J & O Slotta's First-Floor Unit

Help celebrate the seventieth year of a fine living complex

**1663 Steele Street**

The Home of Montview Manor residents

Experience a patio complete with fountain and goldfish pond

Stroll through the functional First Floor Common Area

Interact with our wonderful elder neighbors

**These Sites Await Our Presence;  
Come And Inter-mingle!**

*\*Another set of tours may be held early fall, pending host sites.*

# **CITY PARK FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS**

## **THE ART AND SOUL OF OUR COMMUNITY**

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**SATURDAY, AUGUST 11, 10AM TO 6PM**  
**THE CITY PARK ESPLANADE AT EAST HIGH SCHOOL**

The City Park Neighborhood is proud to announce the 7th Annual City Park Festival of the Arts.

### **100 Local Artists , 20 Non-Profit Organizations**

An outstanding representation of Denver's most talented and respected Fine Artists will be displaying right next to first time exhibitors and earnest craftspeople. An incredible display of local talent at prices you will never find in galleries or shops. We hope to rival even the most respected national shows with the quality and content of our locally produced artwork. We are cooperating with artists from Sankofa, Chac, Sante Fe District, the Tennyson District, Abend and Art Students League to bring you unsurpassed locally produced artwork of all disciplines and medias.

First and foremost, we offer an opportunity to see and buy work from some of our community's best artists. No imports, no manufactured items, just real locally produced Fine Art and crafts at once-a-year prices.

### **Three Stages!**

As is our tradition, we offer the widest range of entertainment available featuring some of Denver's finest entertainers. A thrilling spectacular of music, dance, martial arts, poetry slams and performance in a breathtaking day of non-stop wow. We don't stop to take a breath.

From Rock and Roll to Salsa, from Hip Hop to Swing, the City Park Festival of the Arts 2007 will offer an unforgettable range of local talent including several "Best of Westword" winners. Our 30 sets include:

**Denver Municipal Jazz Quartet • Confluence • Human Beams • Cocktail Revolution • UmConscious  
Coyote Poets of the Universe • Victoria Woodworth and the Heros • Goat Magnet • ESP  
Rail Road Street Jazz West • David Booker • Gracie Batt and Blue Inc • Raging Grannies  
Johnny Romero • Ratha and Arts Street Alumni • Eulanda's Kids • Deena's Dance group  
Barb Test & the Columbine State Poets • Day Acoli • Capoeira by Salma**

In addition to scheduled performances, there will be some open mic time for poets, small ensembles, soloists and dance groups on the "Wilma Community Stage".

### **The Children's Area**

This year we are again delighted to offer our younger neighbors of all ages a truly rare and wondrous experience!

Our Children's area, sponsored by the Children's Hospital, will offer an exceptionally educational and engaging non-stop interactive adventure. We will have chalk drawing, mask making and educational interactive booths designed to excite the imagination and encourage exploration. Of course, we will also have walk around entertainment, face painting and balloon sculpture.

### **Great Food**

Who can deny that the City Park Festival offers the best food for the best price in East Denver? Enjoy meals from Bastien's, M&D's, Manny's Bar-b-que and Debbie's Come and Get it. Always at 'family friendly' prices.

**For more information, please call 720-205-6506  
or visit our website at [www.cityparkfestival.org](http://www.cityparkfestival.org)**

# **FIRST ANNUAL HALLOWEEN ON COLFAX**

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**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27  
1PM TO 4PM (FOR KIDS)  
7PM TO 12AM (FOR ADULTS)**

**A unique Colfax event providing specials at many storefronts, bars,  
and restaurants, trick-or-treating, costume party and more...**

**Organizers:** Bluebird Beat (Pat Novak and Don Novak), SCPNA (Jim Slotta), SCP residents  
(Dawn DeAno and Michelle Reichmuth)

**Ideas for the events include:**

**Trick-or-Treating (1-4PM)**

Trick-or-Treating , transportation along Colfax, Pumpkins for sale, Decorating Pumpkins, Face Painting, Music,  
Hot apple cider, Stilt Walkers, Fortune Tellers

**Evening Adult Themed Event (7PM-12AM)**

Colfax costume party, Bars and restaurants will offer Halloween specials, Establishments will be decorated for  
the event, Colfax cards will be available and offer specials for the night

**What we need:** your suggestions, ideas, contacts for bands and farms (to provide pumpkins and  
corn stalks/hay bales), your time, your support financially

**If you are interested or have any suggestions or questions please contact:**

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**Thanks in advance for being a part of this first annual Halloween on Colfax event. We look  
forward to hearing from you during the planning stages as well as the day of the event!**

**For more information please visit  
[www.bluebirdbeat.com](http://www.bluebirdbeat.com)**

