



GREENHAVEN NEWSLETTER

The Best Neighborhood in the Northland



Winter 2008

Upcoming Events:

2/14 Valentines Day

2/18 President's Day FLAGS

2/19-Tues. Neighborhood
Meeting @ 7:00 PM at NNI
office on Vivion Rd

3/1-Neighborhood Clean-Up

3/5-Bulk Item Pick-Up

3/13-Thurs. Neighborhood
Meeting @ 7 PM at NNI
Office on Vivion Rd

Greenhaven President, Jim Clayton, sent a letter requesting the cities assistance with helping the Northland clean-up from this year's ice storms.

In response to the letter and other community activists request, the city has agreed to offer limited assistance.

The following is from a press release from City Hall dated 1/29/08.

The City of Kansas City, Mo Public Works Department will be conducting a special **by appointment** brush collection during the

to assist residents with downed limbs that have accumulated from a series of recent winter storms.

Calls to schedule appointments will be accepted from Saturday 2/2/08 until Sunday 2/10/08. Once scheduled, the collections will run from 2/11-2/29/08.

Residents can schedule an appointment by calling the 3-1-1 Action Center Monday through Friday from 7 AM to 8 PM. And Saturday and Sunday from 8 AM—5 PM. Simply dial 311 on your land line telephone or call

For additional information about this special collection as well as regular trash, recycling and solid waste collection visit www.kcmo.org/trash or call the 3-1-1 Action Center (816) 513-1313 or 311.



Leaf & Brush Pick-UP

Greenhaven Membership Drive Starting March 2008

Greenhaven Neighborhood Association works hard at continuing to keep this one of the safest, cleanest, and most desirable neighborhoods in the Northland. We need all of our neighbors support in making this happen. Please consider joining our association for the first time or again this

year. For only \$10 per year, neighbors are welcome to participate in clean-sweep, short term use of yard equipment, and much, much more. Please contact Gene Hankins at 452-1738 or your area representative.

Greenhaven has a couple of new families that will call Greenhaven home.

Please make a special effort to make them feel even more welcome than they already do.

Pam Dierking
5228 Agnes
Joe Juarez &
Margaret Crocker
5217 N. Walrond

Robert & Cheryl
McAninch
5416 NE Circle Dr.

Welcome New Neighbors

Greenhaven Holiday Party—Awards

We had 35 Greenhaven residents and guests attend our last holiday party at the Church of the Good Shepard on December 18th. Everyone enjoyed some tasty snacks and delicious cookies.

Congratulations to our holiday lighting contest winners.

First Place:
The Schneiter's
5345 N. Walrond

Second Place:
Pam Dierking
5225 N. Walrond

Third Place:
The Smith's
3219 NE 54th Street

Many Thanks to Ryan & Eniola for planning a great party.

Also thank you for all who donated canned goods for the Kansas City Rescue Mission.

New Codes Enforcement Officer

Kansas City has expanded their northland codes enforcements department by adding an additional officer. The new officer assigned to the area that includes Greenhaven is officer Sherice Anderson. You are encouraged to contact her directly should you have any questions or concerns regarding codes at 513-9086 or sherice_anderson@kcmo.org.

Additionally, with the expansion of the department, each officer will be able to better manage their areas allowing for stricter codes enforcement.

Additionally, over the last year Greenhaven's board has been working with this department regarding the vacant houses that are not being maintained in our neighborhood. The most severe of cases has recently been turned over to the dangerous buildings division.

Rental Registration & Inspection Program

As a result of the passage of ordinance No. 071046 in October 2007, all owners of rental dwellings located in KCMO must register their properties with the city.

Registration may be done anytime during the month of January and there is no registration fee. However, failure to register a

rental dwelling before Feb. 1 will result in the issuance of an administrative citation fine of \$50. For each month (or portion thereof) that a rental dwelling is not registered, an additional \$50 fee will be assessed.

Beginning Jan. 1, online registration will be available at www.kcmo.org/neigh. Applications

also will be available on this site can be downloaded and submitted by mail or in person.

If you live in rental property, be sure to remind the property owner to register.

For more information about this program, contact the Neighborhood & Community Services Dept 816-513-9041



Honor Your Country in Only 30 Minutes



*"Every Heart Beats
True for the Red,
White & Blue.*

-George Cohan

The Flag Program that Greenhaven has something that our neighborhood is very proud of. It takes a crew of 10 each day to make it all happen.

The flags are raised in the morning on holidays and then lowered in the evening.

The feeling that someone gets when they see this is

overwhelming sense of pride.

This program is run by your neighbors, and they are needing you to participate.

To learn more about the program or to volunteer, please contact Dwight Sampson at 453-2368

Upcoming Flag Days:

February 18
President's Day