Greenhaven Neighborhood Association

October 2008

UPCOMING GREENHAVEN EVENTS

October Events

- 10/11—Clean Sweep
- 10/18 ADOPT-A-HWY
- 10/21—7 PM Greenhaven Neighborhood Association Monthly Meeting @ NNI
- 10/25 ADOPT-A-HWY Rain Day
- 10/31 Halloween

November Events

- 11/04-Election Day
- 11/11—Veteran's Day— FLAGS
- 11/18—City Yard Waste Pick-up
- 11/20—7 PM Greenhaven Neighborhood Association Monthly Meeting @ NNI
- 11/27—Thanksgiving

Your Neighborhood Area Representative is:

Phone:

Please contact them regarding neighborhood association issues, comments, or concerns. They would be happy to assist you.

CLEAN SWEEP 10/11/08

Two dumpsters will be placed on the corner of 53rd Terrace and N. Walrond by 8:00 AM. One dumpster is for yard debris and the other is large items. Once the dumpsters are full, no more debris will be accepted.

Leaf & Brush Dumpster

- Only leaves and brush are acceptable.
- Yard debris can be in paper lawn refuse bags and / or cardboard boxes.

- NO PLASTIC BAGS
- Tree material can be up to 10" in diameter and the approximate length of the car.
- No Grass Clippings

Trash Dumpster

- These dumpster are for trash only.
- NO LEAVES, BRUSH, TIRES, HAZARDOUS WASTE, APPLI-ANCES, or BAGS OF TRASH are to be placed in the dumpsters.

Participation is limited to Greenhaven residents who have paid their 2008 Greenhaven Neighborhood Association Dues.

Please remember that this program is for many households, thus large quantities of debris will not be accepted.

Elderly and disabled neighbors should contact Richard at 454-8275 to request assistance transporting debris to the dumpsters.

Family Neighborhood Volunteer Activity

Get out your gloves and bring your happy selves to the neighborhood Adopt-A-Highway clean up.

WHERE: 5218 N. Walrond WHEN: Saturday, October 18 at 9:00 AM For extra energy, Coffee and Donuts will be served!

Questions Call Keely— 455-1129

Great opportunity for the young & young at heart. Bring your entire family. It is a great opportunity to teach your children about civic responsibility and community service as well as a great opportunity to connect with your neighbors.

With your help we can keep our Neighborhood looking great!

> Rain out Date: October 25th

Miscellaneous Neighborhood News

Way to go Salgado (5408 N. Indian) and Matsuoka (5321 N. Agnes) families for the wonderful improvements you are making to your homes!

It is a honor to have the Sayles family in the neighborhood. Their boys have provided our country with the ability to live with freedoms we all so much cherish through their military service. Stg. Patrick Sayles just received an Army commendation and

finished recruiter training.
And Coast Guard Boatswain Mate 2nd Class E5
Ryan Sayles just returned home. During his service he specialized in domestic anti-terrorism operations with the Coast Guard.
Please be sure welcome both the boys home and thank them for their service.

Congratulations to Alan Brady for joining the Greenhaven Board and for serving as the Streets and Traffic committee chair. Because of your efforts and other board members our roads are in great shape. The hole on 53rd street and Walrond and on 54th street east of Agnes are finally repaired.

Neighborhood membership is up to 68 homes out 100.

Be sure to talk to Marlie Murphy the next time you see her and ask her about her big trip to China!

Our Prayers are for the Potter's

On September 4, Kathy Potter's mother Freda "Fritz" Bush passed away in Des Moines.

Frieda was born on April 20, 1930 in Peoria, IL, to Mildred and Alfred Slagle. Her family moved to Rock Island, IL, where she later graduated from Saint Joseph High School in 1949, and married Daniel R. Bush in 1953. She was a long time member of Saint Peter's Church, now known as Our

Lady of the Americas Catholic Church, in Des Moines and held many volunteer positions there. She was particularly proud of her work with the lowa Lung Association, March of Dimes of lowa, Broadlawns Polk County Hospital, and Hospice of Central lowa.

She is preceded in death by her parents and son, Paul Bush. She is survived by her husband Daniel R. Bush, daughter **Kathy Bush Potter** of Kansas City,

and sons Daniel W. Bush of Waconia, MN, John Bush of Altoona, IA, Robert Bush of Ankeny, IA, Thomas Bush of Des Moines, IA, Christopher Bush of Kansas City, MO and brother William Slagle of Riviera, FL. She is also survived by twelve grandchildren and two greatgrandchildren.

Memorial contributions may be made to Our Lady of the

Americas Catholic Church.

Will you be there?

Greenhaven Neighborhood Board meetings are open to the public.

Reasons to attend:

 Ability to present questions and concerns related to Greenhaven and the surrounding community.

- 2. Learn what is happening in your neighborhood.
- Here the police report regarding the area in and around Greenhaven
- 4. Get to know your neighbors
- 5. Offer your talents and skills
- 6. Problem solve

- 7. Idea generation
- 8. Full understanding of the power of Greenhaven.

See you at the next meeting on 10/21 at 7 PM at the NNI Office located across Vivion Road next to Tires Plus.