

CHAUMIERE NEWS

- **Next neighborhood meeting - March 3rd 7:00 p.m.**
Location: Chaumiere Place Apartments—4140 N Walrond
Speaker: City Councilperson Deb Hermann
- **KC, MO Budget Meeting—Saturday, March 7th 10:00 a.m.-noon**
Location: Northland Neighborhoods, Inc.—3015 NE Vivion Rd.
- **Game Night! - Friday, March 20th 6:30-8:30 p.m.**
Location: Chaumiere Place Apartments—4140 N Walrond
- **Pancake breakfast - Saturday, March 21st 7:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.**
Location: Chaumiere Place Apartments—4140 N Walrond
- **Briarcliff-Winnwood "Open House" - 6:00 p.m. - ?**
Location: Golden Oaks Ed. Center - 3100 NE 46th St.
- **Neighborhood Trash Dumpster—Saturday, April 25th 8:00 - noon**
Location: Immanuel Presbyterian Church - 3800 NE Parvin Rd.

March
2009

Check us out at
www.chaumiereneighborhood.org

Mail to:

P.O. Box 12358

NKC, MO 64116

IMPORTANT NUMBERS

Chaumiere

Beautification

committee 453-4175

Tool library 454-3002

2008 President:

Dan Hemry 288-9290

Codes Officer 513-9086

Utilities

KCP&L 471-5275

MGE 756-5252

Water 513-0123

Time Warner Cable 358-8833

NNI 454-2000

Police contacts

Police 413-3400

(non-emergency)

Officer Marcus Smith 413-3440

(conflict resolution & security)

Officer Matthew Gardner

719-8152

matthew.gardner@kcpd.org



Chaumiere Pancake Breakfast

Please join us at our first pancake breakfast! This will be a great time to meet neighbors you haven't been introduced to yet, spend time with the ones that you already know, plus add a little money to the association budget.

The breakfast will be held at the Chaumiere Place Apts (4140 N Walrond) on Saturday, March 21st from 7:00-10:00 a.m. Tickets will be \$5 each. Door prizes will be given out *at least* once per hour.

Although tickets will be available at the door, we'd like to sell as many tickets as possible in advance in order to make out our shopping list. To purchase tickets in advance, please call 413-0557 or 673-1107.



Briarcliff-Winnwood Area Plan

Come to the open house on Apr. 2nd to hear the highlights of the plan and have an opportunity to ask questions and give feedback. (See location & time at top of page.)

A copy of the plan should appear on the NNI website (www.nni.org) the week of the meeting.

**Call the Action
Center at
"3-1-1" for
bulky item pick
up!**

Do you need some help with some minor projects around the house?

Northland Neighborhoods, Inc. (NNI) will have high school aged kids who are able to help this summer. The kids will be arriving mid-June and will be in Kansas City for eight weeks. NNI has helped to administer this great program previously; it's called "Youth Works".

Previous projects they've worked on include exterior painting, yard work, and other small projects around the home.

For more information, please call Janet Shaffer at NNI (454-2000).

Mark your calendars

(More info in future newsletters)

A.B.O.P.T.

May 2nd

8:00 a.m. - noon

NNI Goes for It

May 16th

Neighborhood garage sale

June 13th

Ice cream social

July 19th

Recycling Changes

Kansas City, MO has made some changes to what materials are ok to put out for curbside recycling. The Kansas City Star published an article in late January with changes which was distributed at our February meeting; however, their article was incorrect! They may have since published a retraction. Here is a list of acceptable and unacceptable items according to the city's website:

Recycle these items in your bin:

- Aluminum cans and other metal cans.
- Plastic bottles with a neck that are designated as #1 or #2 on bottom (examples: water & soda bottles, milk jugs, detergent bottles)
- Plastic containers designated as #3 through #7 on bottom (examples: yogurt and margarine tubs)
- Office paper, junk mail, newspapers, phone books, catalogs, magazines.
- Cardboard (both thick corrugated and thin, cereal box-type)

Don't put these in your bin:

- Pizza delivery boxes
- Glass
- Plastic bags
- Styrofoam
- Motor oil bottles & other automotive product bottles
- Egg cartons
- Paper towels, tissues or napkins, plates or cups
- Waxed containers (examples: milk cartons or juice boxes)
- Gift wrap
- Shredded paper
- KC Recycles will not accept plastic containers used for commercial or medical purposes, household hazardous materials, medicine and pills.

Beautification Award

4206 N Kansas



Project:

New doors, windows, & siding.

Beautification winners must come to the meeting or send a representative to accept their prize of a \$50 gift card. If you are unable to come to a meeting or send a representative within two months, please call 413-0557.

Local Services

Avon	Tammi Gardner	453-9712
Computer Repair	Norman Jett	217-3984
Counselor(licensed prof.)	Alex McEntire	719-1572
Daycare	Amanda Liberty	686-3302
Drywall work	JCG Drywall	682-0347
Electrician	Todd Thomas	453-9712
Flooring	Steve Wolverton	853-4648
Hair & nails	Paula Fulkerson	452-3161
Handyman	Clayton Cawthon	446-6313
Lawn mowing	Aaron Pine	454-4108
Mary Kay Cosmetics	Renee Malone	359-8587
Plumbing	Rick McGuire	453-2640
Real estate	Yvonne Herrick	777-5427
Real estate	Christine Anderson	217-6028
Snow blowing	Daniel Trevino	682-0347
Tutoring (K-7)	Erin Kinghorn	455-4183
Violin Lessons	Amber Clark	913-909-3251

If you provide a service, live in the neighborhood, and would like to have your name & phone number published in the newsletter at no charge, please email me at yvonneherrick@remax.net or call 453-6104.

McGuire Drain Cleaning and Plumbing

\$75.00 drain cleaning

Business hours are Monday-Friday
9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

24 hr service is available

"We Clean Your Drains..."

Not Your Wallet"

Rick McGuire

816-453-2640

Be sure to patronize your community partners! Outback Steakhouse is a great community partner and sponsored our 2007 & 2008 Neighborhood Dinners. They've got great food and are very close to home!

City Housing Funds

The city has funds available for housing, but many at City Hall do not perceive the needs north of the river. One example is the funds set aside to deal with foreclosures. Kansas City received federal funds to tackle the foreclosure issues in our city. In some areas of the city, foreclosed homes will be purchased, rehabbed, and re-sold. However, there is currently no plan to spend any of those dollars north of the river!

In the Chaumiere neighborhood alone, there are five foreclosed homes currently on the market & ten that have sold since January 2008. When the entire Kansas City north area is examined, there are currently 139 foreclosed homes on the market and 423 that have sold since January 2008.

If you'd like to contact City Hall to remind them that we have housing needs north of the river, write:

The City Council Office

(Attention each council person)

City Hall, 22nd Floor

Kansas City, MO 64106

The Mayor's Office

City Hall, 29th Floor

Kansas City, MO 64106

Or, to email: mayor@kcmo.org, terri_wolfe@kcmo.org, jackie_burton@kcmo.org, lisa_minardi@kcmo.org, traci_gleason@kcmo.org, melba_curls@kcmo.org, Kimberly_randolph@kcmo.org, jim_giles@kcmo.org, susan_borge@kcmo.org, gina_boucher@kcmo.org, schylon_clayton@kcmo.org, dyanne_bean@kcmo.org, ariane_coleman@kcmo.org

Live Like Your Life Depends On It!

Nobody wants to have a chronic health problem, but most of us will experience a chronic illness during our lifetime. Live Like Your Life Depends on It is a 6-week course on chronic illness and how to live life fully.

The course focuses on pain management, nutrition, exercise, medication usage, stress management, assessing health information, and working with your doctor.

This class will meet for on Thursdays from 9:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m. for six weeks from Mar. 12-Apr. 16 at NNI; each session will end with a light lunch. The class is free, but pre-registration is required; call 454-2000 to register.

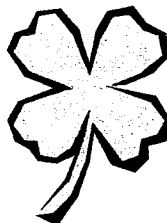
Word Search Answer Key

from Feb. newsletter

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*Luck of the Irish to
you!*

Happy St. Patrick's Day.



Scholarships Available for Low-Income Residents

(from "News from City Hall" email)

For the second year, the City of Kansas City, MO Youth Advocacy Office, a division of the City Manager's office, will help administer a scholarship grant program funded by The Port Authority of Kansas City, MO and area casino gaming operators.

The scholarships will serve city residents living in households that have a total annual income of 80% or less of the median income of city households. Scholarship applicants must be 17-25 years old, pursuing educational opportunities at an accredited or certified college, university or vocational/technical school and have a high school diploma or GED equivalent.

Scholarship applications, along with a high school transcript or GED certificate, a 300-word essay, a letter of recommendation from a teacher, counselor, employer, or clergy member and the most recent IRA tax forms of all members of the household are due by May 1. Scholarship applications are available at www.kcmo.org/youth or at the Youth Advocacy Office on the 25th floor of City Hall, 414 E. 12th St.

The scholarships will provide a minimum of \$1,000 per academic year and can be used for tuition, books, room and board, and activity fees. Scholarships are renewable if recipients remain full-time students, stay in good academic standing with the institution they are attending and continue to live in a household that has a total annual income of 80% or less of median income of the city, defined as:

People per household	Income to qualify
1	< \$29,416
2	< \$37,713
3	< \$46,010
4	< \$59,209
5	< \$70,146
6	< \$79,197
7	< \$89,380