

ENDERIS PARK

Neighborhood Association

Newsletter • Summer 2017

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Presidents Message & Membership Drive

Dear Enderis Park Neighbor,

We have been able to enjoy many unique opportunities and events within Enderis Park because of our strong, caring neighborhood, and our continued commitment to making this a great place to live, work, raise a family and just have fun.

I want to thank all of our active EPNA members who believe in Enderis Park through your memberships and most importantly, volunteering throughout the year supporting each of our events. It is a combination of time and money that makes our neighborhood such a great place. So from myself and on behalf of the EPNA Board – THANK YOU!

In the last few years, we have accomplished many improvements to the Enderis Park Neighborhood that could not have happened without you, our neighbors, being involved through membership dues and/or volunteering. Some of the improvements are:

- **New** Enderis Park Playground
- **New** and Improved EPNA Website!
- **Farmer's Market**
- Painting of the Utility box on 68th and Lisbon (Spring 2016) - Thank you Sandy Szymkowski !! Great job!
- The Banner Project – thank you to the neighbor sponsors
- Landscaping at the 68th Street and Center Monuments
- Second Volleyball court with leagues from the city playing throughout the week.
- **New/replaced** Soccer Goal nets being enjoyed by all families and children.
- Squirrel Park & Triangle park renewal – Continued Maintenance
- Burleigh Street replanting– Continued Maintenance
- Resurfacing of the Tennis Courts

Through your memberships and volunteer efforts the EPNA Board is able to sponsor/co-sponsor:

- Second Year of our EPNA Farmer's Market!
- Mulch Fest in January
- Easter Egg Hunt in Spring
- Bloom and Groom
- EPNA Rummage Sale
- Concerts on the Green series Celebrating our 50th Concert this year!!
- July 4th Celebration
- Halloween Decorating Contest
- Christmas Decorating Contest
- Welcome Packets for New Neighbor
- Just to name a few!

What you may not see are the volunteers (our neighbors) behind the scenes that keep us informed throughout the year and ensure Enderis Park keeps moving forward. Some of the key areas I would like to mention are:

- Neighborhood Block Watch – Crime and Safety
- ** Support of the new Volunteer Enderis Park Patrol researched and organized by Christine Czarnecki!
- BOZA – Milwaukee Zoning Board monitoring and action.
- Landlord Relations within Enderis Park.
- Working with our City Officials, MPS and Police regarding improvement opportunities and issues in and around

Enderis Park

1) July is the EPNA Board Open meeting in which we nominate and elect the board members for upcoming year. The meeting is Wednesday, July 26, 2017 at 6:30 PM at the field house. All neighbors are welcome to attend.

- a) If you would like to meet your EPNA Board members please attend! We would love to meet you too!
- b) If you own a business or would like to be a business liaison member of EPNA, please email me at epna.scottm@yahoo.com.
- c) If you would like to know more about volunteer opportunities – please attend or contact a board member to ask any questions you may have on how to volunteer.
- d) If you are interested in being on the board – please email myself at epna.scottm@yahoo.com. One requirement is that you must be an active member and current on your EPNA Membership dues.

2) **New in 2017:**

- a) **Our Memberships are going Annual! What does this mean? We will have an Annual Membership Drive every July, with membership dues becoming due in July of every year.**
- b) **Our Newsletter is now electronic. We are saving on printing costs and listening to you, our neighbors by providing the newsletter on our website. There are about 50 paper copies at Sentry for each quarterly newsletter.**
- c) **You can renew at any EPNA event, including the Farmers Market and the Concerts.**

3) Membership breakdown as of 06/15/2017:

- Active Resident Members: 272
- Total Addresses: 1500
- Percentage of EPNA Active Members: 18.7% (5.2% more than 2016)
- Percentage of EPNA Non-Active Members: 82% (5.2% less than 2016)

By now I hope you see what a special place in the city we have called Enderis Park. I would like to invite all our neighbors to become members of the Enderis Park Neighborhood Association so we can continue our success and build upon the foundation we already have built. A membership is as little as \$20 for an entire year!

As a Member, you receive:

- Discounts for certain events.
- Email notices to EPNA Members. (Must provide email address to receive)
- Being proud of living in Enderis Park and knowing you helped with your **Tax Deductible membership.**
- Walking or riding around the neighborhood and knowing you contributed to improvements and making the EPNA events become a reality.

Please take a moment to complete and mail the EPNA membership form, as a NEW member or renewing as an existing member and mail to:

EPNA
P. O. Box 100284
Milwaukee, WI 53210

The following pages list members that have renewed or become new members in the last year. This includes residents and business. If your renewal date has passed by - Please come back and renew! We miss you!

Thank you again for a wonderful Neighborhood to live, work and enjoy!

Scott McGroarty
EPNA Board President

Membership Renewal One Time a Year!!

ALL membership renewals are due in July. You no longer have to remember your original date of membership to renew. Please support our great neighborhood association by renewal with your minimal payment of \$20 for the year. Your dues support funding for many events and projects that keep our neighborhood a desirable place to live, work and play.

You may also renew your membership at our EPNA tent/table at various events throughout the year. No matter when you pay, you are good for the year.

Reminder – Newsletter is Paperless!

NEWSLETTERS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE WEB SITE UNDER LATEST NEWS. You can print a copy of the membership form until we create an online registration.

We will continue to distribute a newsletter in July with the Presidents Message and to remind you of membership dues. **All membership renewals will be due in JULY.**

For those who prefer a paper copy, please visit: 1) Sentry on Lisbon by the Courtesy Booth, 2) Little Free Libraries at 2866 Lefebber and 2986 69th or 2782 Hartung. Otherwise, EPNA members with an email address will receive an email copy and everyone can view the newsletter on our web site www.enderispark.org.

If you are elderly or disabled, the newsletter can be distributed to your home. Please contact Lori Sommervold at 445-8742.

Newsletters are available for review in the following time frames:

- Spring - first week in March - print Egg Hunt registration form and submit
- Summer - Mid May - print Rummage Sale flier and submit
- Fall - first week in October
- Winter - first week in December

As always, if you have any questions about EPNA events, you can call any Board Member or Kathy Grothe at 414-774-1898 or Lori Sommervold at 414-445-8742.

Thank You to Our Concert Sponsors

Our Concerts on the Green season is in full swing and we'd be remiss if we did not acknowledge the great sponsors who make it possible. Please visit these businesses and be sure to say thank you for supporting Concerts on the Green. And many THANKS TO Friends and neighbors like YOU.

With special thanks to Minutemen Press Wauwatosa.

Gold

- Sentry on 71st and Lisbon
- US Cellular
- Bunzel's Meat Market
- Anna Townes State Farm Agency

Silver - PNC Bank, Focus Credit Union, Play it Again Sports – Tosa, The Corner Pub, Wulf Hair

Bronze - Premier Eyes, Blamer's Auto Service, Burleigh Dental, Best Cleaners, Murphy Financial Services,, Jean Henning Re/Max Realty, Mother of Good Counsel Parish, Keith's Cleaners, Red Dot – Tosa, North Avenue Grill, Gurske Chiropractic, Nancy Brennan – Powers Realty Group

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Memberships and Renewal Date as of 06/15/2017

<u>Business</u>	<u>Renewal Date</u>
Animal Time Pet Service **	7/30/17
Cadys Kids Child Care, INC **	8/19/16
Cayen Systems, LLC	12/29/16
Fronk	7/26/17
Paragon Design Group, LLC	12/6/16
Pilgrim Child Development Ctr **	10/11/17
Salvatorian Sisters	12/6/16
Sentry On Lisbon	1/25/17

** New Member

*** New to Neighborhood Member