

Keswick-Stornaway Area Neighborhood Association

Neighborly News May 2020

Quarterly Neighborhood Meeting

Due to the Covid-19 Virus, we will not have a Quarterly Meeting of the Neighborhood Association this month. We hope to continue with our next meeting in August where we will be voting on Officers, Board Members, and the update on the Bylaws.

Looking for Step Up Leaders

In August, our Association will be having an election for Officers and Board Members. The Election will be held during the August Quarterly Meeting. The nominations committee, chaired by Shawn Stukenborg, is currently looking for neighbors who want to make a positive contribution to our neighborhood. For your information, we will be sending out the nominations via email prior to the August meeting, but in the meantime, If you want to help serve your neighborhood, please reach out to Shaw at shawn.stukenborg@gmail.com.



Calendar of Upcoming Events Key Communication

Due to the Pandemic, some of our regular Neighborhood activities may have to be postponed or modified. We all need to stay flexible in the current environment. To keep everyone informed, your Board has implemented several modes of communication:

- Email: Please let us know if you want to have your email added to our list.
- > Newsletter: Published four times a year.
- Nextdoor and our KSANA Webpage (KSANA.org)

Thanks to Micah Haddad and Mark White for keeping our communications current and relevant. We will keep you posted as to events and key activities.

Make a difference! Get involved with your Neighborhood Association!!!

City & County News

Transportation Plans - Your Input is Needed

TDOT is in the process of updating the Statewide Active Transportation Plan to further TDOT's mission to provide a safe and reliable transportation system for people, goods and services. Over the last several years, the state has made progress to provide infrastructure for people walking, bicycling and using public transportation (such as through the creation of the TDOT Multimodal Access Grant, adoption of the 2015 Multimodal Accommodation Policy and the most recent developments of the Multimodal Project Scoping Manual and Multimodal Design Guidelines). Please share your input and complete the survey by Thursday, May 21st

 SATP Survey: <u>https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/SATP-Stakeholders</u>

2020 Census is Underway - Respond Online

The 2020 Decennial U.S. Census is currently underway, and you can respond online now! We hope that all our neighbors will complete the census!

In addition to determining our community's political representation, being fully counted will help Memphis get our fair share of federal grants and other resources. This includes federal spending on transportation and infrastructure.

Crime & Safety

Neighborhood Watch Meetings have been temporally canceled and we will let you know when they are re-instated.

KSANA will be adding another unit to our portfolio of SkyCop cameras and has submitted a proposal to the Memphis Area Neighborhood Watch for a grant. This grant will provide us with an additional \$2500 to help in the procurement and installation of another camera in our neighborhood.

KSANA Neighborly News

- Happy Birthday to the "Mayor of Stornaway", Henry Blanks. We will not say how old Henry is, but he has been to more than a few county fairs. Thanks Henry!!! for all you do for our neighborhood.
- Our Condolences to the family and friends of Marie Peek who recently passed. Marie and husband Herb were longtime neighbors and members of our Association. Herb and Marie were instrumental in getting the Balmoral Church for our Neighborhood Meetings. They will be greatly missed.
- Congratulations to the 2020 College and High School graduates!
- Be considerate and PLEASE pick up after your animals. Nothing worse than stepping in a special deposit when you are mowing the lawn.

Have something for the Keswick Stornaway Newsletter? We're published 4 times a year and would love to include your news, questions or comments. You can email them to: ksana.contact@gmail.com or patsym50@att.net

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If you would like to serve on or work with the board on a project (or two), please contact any Board Member or Officer.

KSANA Email Address: KSANA.contact @gmail.com

KSANA Web site: KSANA.org

Important Numbers

SeniorBSafe hotline: 274-7477

To Report a crime – 545-COPS (2677)

Ridgeway Precinct - 636-4500

Adrianna Hill (Neighborhood Watch) - 636-4539

Mayor's Action Center - 576-6500 or 311 (Call MAC to report code violations)

Storm Drain Problem - 357-0100

Pothole Problem - 528-2911

To report littering motorists, get the vehicle's license number and call Clean-Up! - 52 CLEAN (2-5326)

To report unleashed dogs - 363-1416

To report owners who fail to pick up after their pets -576-6721

For Spanish-speaking officer - 598-4184

MGU (Multi-Agency Gang Unit- 222-GANG (4264)

City & County News Cont.....

Parks' Master Plan: You may not be aware, but right now our City of Memphis Parks Division is in the process of conducting a master plan to improve our parks system. Luckily, we were able to have most of our inperson neighborhood meetings earlier this year.

The City is now conducting an online survey to collect information about how you want to engage with your parks in the future. Please help us by sharing the online survey with your families, friends, your coworkers, and your customers here



service is suspended with the exception of yard waste

All household waste must be placed in a cart for collection. If you are in need of an additional garbage cart, one can may be leased for \$10 per month. Call 311 to obtain a cart.

any COVID-19 contaminated waste should be double bagged



Enjoy the spring and summer and keep an eye out for the neighborhood!