

Keswick-Stornaway Neighborhood Association

Neighborly News Winter 2015

BBQ/Spaghetti Dinner Meeting

(Catered by Leonard's BBQ)

Thursday, November 19th 6:30 PM

Join us for our Quarterly Meeting at Balmoral Baptist Church @ the corner of Kirby Parkway and Stout Rd.

We will honor our local

Police Officers & Firefighters

**Dinner prices are: \$4.00 for adults, \$2.00 children and a max of \$10.00 for families.

* To ensure we have enough food for everyone please make your reservation no later than Wednesday, November 18th to 758-0510 or patsym50@att.net.

Meeting time has been changed to 6:30 PM

Calendar of Upcoming Events

November 19th – BBQ Dinner Meeting November 26th – Happy Thanksgiving December 5th – Fall Neighborhood Clean Up December 25th – Warm Holiday Wishes January 1st – Happy New Year January 18th – Martin Luther King Day January 25th - Neighborhood Watch Meeting (6:30 pm Ridgeway Police Station – 3849 Ridgeway) February 14th – Celebrate with your loved ones February 18th – Ouarterly Meeting

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

What is "Neighborhood Clean-Up?"

Twice a year, KSANA holds a "Neighborhood Clean-Up" in the Spring and Fall. Did you ever wonder what this event is? It's simple—a group of us from the neighborhood meet at the Balmoral Baptist Church at 9 am, bringing rakes, brooms, work gloves and plastic bags. We drive to different streets and get out and mainly clean debris from around street drains, so that stormwater won't back up due to leaves and garbage. We also pick up any trash we see, and go along the beautiful woods on McVay and pick up all trash along that wooded stretch.

Why not plan to join us for the next Clean-Up on **Sat. Dec. 5** at 9 am? We usually are through in about 2 hours, and then we go have breakfast together somewhere. It's a great way to get some mild exercise AND meet your neighbors, and even more people just make it more fun. If you can't come, just be sure to pick up around your own house, and keep our neighborhood shining.

Ann Meier

Ridgeway Police Station News

There will be no Neighborhood Watch Meeting in the months of November and December. The next Watch meeting will be January 25th at 6:30pm at the Ridgeway Station (3849 Ridgeway).

If you notice graffiti or other suspicious activities, you can call 222-GANG (4264) to discuss with the unit. For a Spanish-speaking officer, call 598-4184. All callers' anonymity is protected.

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Trunk Sale/Flea Market A Success!!!

Our first Trunk Sale Flea Market on Oct. 3 went great, and we definitely want to do it again next fall! We had about 30 sellers set up on tables in the Balmoral Baptist Church parking lot, most from our neighborhood and some from Greentrees, Vinings, etc. Even though the weather was cool, it didn't rain, and we had a good steady stream of customers from 8:00 am to about 2:30 pm, buying everything from china to movies to clothes to furniture to you-name-it. There was a variety!

The space and table rentals raised about \$225.00 to benefit the KSANA Security Patrol, and the Balmoral Baptist Church had a table and got some good exposure too. All the sellers seemed to have a fun day, and I think next year we'll have even more sellers sign up. Look for this new event again next fall, and plan to sell your own items! Ann Meier

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 patsym50@att.net or qptsr@bellsouth.net

Important Numbers

SeniorBSafe hotline: 274-7477

To Report a crime – 545-COPS (2677)

Ridgeway Precinct - 636-4500

Officer Kharyssa Pve (Neighborhood Watch) - 636-4539

Mayor's Action Center - 576-6500 or 311

(Call MAC to report code violations)

Security One – 346-7746

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)

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Birthday Wishes:

Happy 75th Birthday to Dorthy Francis!
 Dorthy served as Association President for our first five years.

Thoughts and Prayers:

 Please keep Gene Trouy, Al Woodard and Bob Dickson in your prayers as they deal with health concerns.

Welcome Home:

• Jeff and Rebecca Fik's daughter Brittney and her son Emerson will be living with them while Brittney's husband is deployed. We wish him a safe deployment! Brittney will be teaching special education at Cordova Elementary and Emerson will attend Lord of Life School.

Remember that parking on the grass/lawn is a code violation. Please don't do it!

A warm welcome to all of our new neighbors! We hope to see you at our Quarterly Meetings and special events.