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newsletter

Fall 2012

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Balloon Bash Breakfast

Saturday October 13th from 7:00-9:00AM!!!!

Who knows-we may see a hot air balloon land in the park Be there!
West Side of the Park corner of Murrow and Schell

From the Desk of David Brody, NPNA President 265-5591

Our annual 4th of July Bike Parade and Social was lots of fun for everyone. My thanks to the APD bike patrol officers, the firefighters, and to all the volunteers.

The entire NPNA Board welcomed our newest board member, Barbara Hanrahan, at our August meeting.

I had a pleasant surprise last week when I discovered workers from the Parks and Recreation Department near the entrance to the Urban Forest on Lafayette. They were installing a park bench that was donated by the Sanchez Family. The NPNA Board extends their thanks to the Sanchez Family for this gift.

Treasurer's Report-Bill Marietta, NPNA Treasurer 254-1587

The starting balance was \$1797.37 on June 1, 2012. We collected \$200 in dues and a gift of \$100 from Topanga Productions. There were no expenses. The balance on June 30, 2012 was \$2097.37 We collected \$30 in dues in July. Paper for the May and June newsletters came to \$48.10. Expenses for the 4th of July came to \$283.12 for the band, balloons and donuts. The balance on July 31, 2012 was \$1801.17. There was no activity in August of any kind. The August 31, 2012 balance was \$1801.17. To join NPNA or renew your membership, please fill out the form below and send it to me at 1726 Notre Dame NE.

Name _____ Renewal ____ (\$10) New ____ (\$10)

Address _____ Email Address _____

Crime Prevention -Alon Cater, NPNA Board Member 265-4675 and Tony Prosser, NPNA Board Member and Webmaster 232-3856

Look for the signs that say " Slow Down Albuquerque" along Indian School Road. These signs are the latest attempt to remind drivers on that street to obey speed limits.

Go to CrimeMapping.com to read about recent criminal activities in our neighborhood.

Block captains are urged to schedule neighborhood watch meetings.

Netherwood Yesterdays – John Vittal, NPNA Board Member- 266-0882

Sometime in late 1949 Edward Schell, dean of the Wheaton College Academy in Wheaton, Illinois received a letter telling him that his land in Netherwood Park would soon be annexed. This annexation was passed by the City Council on January 24, 1950, and added 3300 acres of what we know today as the mid-northeast heights under the rule of the city government. The *Albuquerque Journal* reported on its front page the next day that there were only 15-20 residences in this vast area. Mr. Schell retired from Wheaton and moved to Albuquerque that summer. Mr. Schell was the nephew and only heir of Ada Cutler Netherwood and a man used to getting things done his way. He drew up a restrictive covenant that proclaims that "no lot or part of a lot in Netherwood Park...(can be used)for the sale of intoxicating liquor, a slaughter house, junk yard, night club, skating rink, poolhall, or drive-in theatre". He insisted that the other five property owners in Netherwood Park sign this document. Edward Schell made certain that he would play a key role in the future of our neighborhood

**Join up: Join in your NPNA- a monthly list of volunteer opportunities
Peter Burton 255-4377 and Cliff McNary 266-0796, NPNA Board Members.**

The annual NPNA Garage Sale has been postponed until next spring.

Check our website www.netherwoodpark.org for latest news about our book club

NPNA welcomes new members. Please fill out the form on the front page.

NPNA Classifieds

Albuquerque Baroque Players concert at Fellowship Christian Reformed Church 4800 Indian School NE, Saturday October 20th at 7:30 PM

Reliable Handyman. References. Plumbing, electric, drywall. Call Rudy. 506-3370

Violin Lessons. Available as music teacher or companion to elderly. Call Carol. 268-0906.

Home Renovations, designed and supervised by Blythe Camenson. I pay attention to every detail. Call 450-7448.

Need a caring pet sitter? Call Virginia 241-9930

.Join the Tennis Club of Albuquerque. First 30 days free. \$200 activates membership, including swimming, tennis, social events. Call 262-1691.

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