

NETHERWOOD PARK

NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

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Miracerros Addition ♦ Indian Plaza ♦ Netherwood Park

newsletter

Winter 2012-13

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***The Officers and Board Members of NPNA
Wish all our Neighbors a Safe and Happy Holiday Season!!!***

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

Our *Balloon Blast Breakfast* on October 13th featured fine weather, breakfast burritos, and pleasant conversations among neighbors. Thank you to everyone who attended.

PNM installed a small solar panel in Netherwood Park to regulate the valves that control the sprinkler system. Arnold Cohen joined the NPNA board at our November 13th meeting. Mr. Cohen was active in the Huning-Highlands Neighborhood Association

NPNA Website Report- Tony Prosser, NPNA Board Member and Webmaster 232-3856

The new NPNA website should be ready sometime in January. The website address will remain the same: www.netherwoodpark.org

Many neighbors are interested in receiving e-mail alerts from the NPNA Board about events and activities in our neighborhood. Please include your email address on the membership form when you pay your annual membership dues. Your-mail address will be secure.

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

The August 31, 2012 balance was \$1801.17. Fourteen new and returning members submitted their dues-thank you. These dues payments totaled \$140.00. The balance on November 8, 2012 now stands at \$1941.17

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 _____

Using the chart below, you can see that the overall NPNA crime incidents are decreasing; this in spite of the increase we are seeing in the property theft category. This information is taken from the website crimeview.cabq.gov

Netherwood Park

	<u>All year 2011</u>	<u>Jan-Nov 11 '11</u>	<u>Jan-Nov 11 '12</u>
Burglary:	63	56	27
Auto Theft:	10	9	5
Property Theft:	<u>9</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>16</u>
Total Incidents:	82	73	48

For the latest crime report, visit the CrimeView Community website at crimeview.cabq.gov. For help using the CrimeView site, click on "Help" in the upper right corner of the site.

Vandals have once again damaged the "Mutt Mitt" stations that were installed this summer by AMAFCA. Please contact any board member if you have any information about these incidents.

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

The rapid growth of Albuquerque in the 1950's was beyond the limited resources of city government. Edward Schell offered to pay for the paving of Princeton Avenue if the City would pay him back at a later date. The City accepted land at the corner of Morrow and Princeton for a city park in 1951 but left the land sitting idle. The City turned down an offer in 1956 to sell the park to developers for the proposed Albuquerque Tennis Club. The City estimated the cost to landscape the park at \$40,000 in 1962. A group of forty neighbors met with the City in August, 1962. They agreed to make regular donations to a fund for the park. The City Parks Board hailed this effort and revised its cost estimate to \$20,000. The final plan was approved that October. Netherwood neighbors donated over \$2,000 in cash and services and the landscaping project began several months later.

**Join up: Join in your NPNA- a monthly list of volunteer opportunities
Peter Burton 255-4377 and Barbara Hanrahan, 254-8716 NPNA Board Members.**

The NPNA Board is asking for ideas for new social events. We plan to continue the 4th of July party and the Balloon Blast in 2013. Contact any board member.

NPNA Classifieds

Violin Lessons. 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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