

Harkness Heights



May 2022

Neighborhood Association Annual Meeting

The Harkness Heights Neighborhood Association (HHNA) annual meeting will be Thursday May 19th at 6 pm at Leavers Locavore on W 38th Ave between Bryant and Clay Streets in the upstairs meeting room. This is a great opportunity for us to get together and to hear neighborhood information.

The election of Officers will be held, with the positions of President and Vice President being open. If you are interested in being the President or Vice President or want to nominate someone, please contact the outgoing HHNA President Roberta Andersen at 720-244-0865 or roand4270@cs.con.

Volunteers Needed

Volunteer opportunities are available! please contact Roberta Andersen at 720-244-0865 or roand4270@cs.com if you are interested in volunteering.

HHNA President and Vice President

The HHNA would like to host a **Neighborhood Movie Night**. Volunteers are needed for this event.

Harkness Heights Delegate to the Inter-Neighborhood Cooperation (INC). INC is a group of approximately 100 Denver Registered Neighborhood Organizations who meet monthly via zoom to provide feedback and initiate resolutions that support development keeping neighborhoods in mind. Neighborhoods work better when they work together.

Safety & Security Chair. This person attends the Citizen Advisory Meetings on the 3rd Monday of every month at the District One Police station to stay informed on the police activities in our neighborhood. They also work with the Community Resource office and the Neighborhood Watch Program.

Membership Dues

As of April 19th, there were 66 paid HHNA memberships. This is only 17 percent of all members. Membership dues help support the summer picnic, holiday luminarias, and other projects and functions of the Association. The annual membership of \$15 per household can be mailed to the HHNA, dropped off with your Block Captain, or paid by PayPal or Zelle. Please contact the Membership Chair Suzy Barr at harknessheightsdenver@gmail.com or your Block Captain.

SAVE THE DATES!

Harkness Heights Neighborhood Association Annual Meeting | May 19th | 6:00 pm | Leavers Locavore, 2630 W 38th Ave

See writeup on the left for more information.

Berkeley Regis United Neighbors (BRUN) Annual Meeting | May 17th | 6:30 pm | Local 46, 4586 Tennyson St

Garden Tour (NEW EVENT!) | July 16th and 17th | TBD |
See writeup below for more information.

Annual Summer Picnic | Sun. August 28 | 3:00-6:00 pm

See writeup below for more information.

GARDEN TOUR

CALLING ALL FLOWER, VEGGIE, GARDEN, AND PLANT LOVERS!

Please join your neighbors for a weekend of sharing gardens, talking about plants, smelling the roses, watching the bees, and getting to know fellow neighbors who enjoy getting their hands dirty. We will be sharing gardens and information with our neighbors. If you want to get a garden going, this would be a great opportunity to learn!

The garden tour weekend will be July 16th and 17th. If you want to share your garden in the tour please respond Amber Kraska at 720-224-6559 or amber.kraska@gmail.com as soon as you can so I (Amber) can start to map a route. I'd like to have everyone walk around together rather than it be an open house style. For those who want to help out or have ideas, please reach out to me—the more brains the better for making it a success. If you are interested in doing the walk please email me, and I will put you on the list for updates as the planning progresses. I am looking forward to getting this off the ground!

Summer Picnic

The annual picnic on Sunday August 28th from 3 to 6 pm at the 4200 block of Knox Court will be here before we know it. Mark McDonald will be the Picnic Chair again this year. If you would like to volunteer or be a sponsor, please contact Mark at 303-808-5441 or mjmbriidge93@yahoo.com.

Street Sweeping

April—November is street sweeping time. On street sweeping days, please move your car so the street sweepers can get all the way to the curblin and so you don't get a ticket. The street sweeping schedule can be found on signs in each block or at <https://www.denvergov.org/Government/Agencies-Departments-Offices/Agencies-Departments-Offices-Directory/Department-of-Transportation-and-Infrastructure/Programs-Services/Street-Sweeping>.

Neighborhood Watch Meeting Recap

Many of our neighbors met with representatives from the Denver Police Department on March 23rd. Catherine Davis, our Neighborhood Watch Liaison, and Officer Michele Cooper, our Community Resource Officer, spoke on the importance of the Neighborhood Watch (NW) Program. Our NW has helped keep our crime rate relatively low, but more help is needed. The #1 deterrent of crime is porch lights or motion-sensor lights. To prevent porch pirates, see if there is a better way to hide packages on the porch, such as behind a big planter.

Smart 911. When you call 911 from a mobile phone, the operator only has your phone number and a general location. Signing up for Smart911 provides 911 and emergency responders with important information about you for use in an emergency. For details, see <https://www.denvergov.org/content/denvergov/en/department-of-safety/emergency-services/911-emergency-communications/smart911.html>.

If you are a victim of a crime, and want to report it on social media, please report the crime to the police first and then post on social media. The police can't see posts on social media outlets.

Your HHNA Block Captains

4200 Federal-W	<i>OPEN</i>
4100 Green-W	Shannon Miller & Eric Fitzgerald
4200 Green-W	Cindy Gaertner
4200 Green-E	Lisa Montagu
4100 Grove-W&E	Heather Tritten & Jason Youngstrom
4200 Grove-W&E	Neil Burris
4100 Hooker-W	Reed Weimer
4100 Hooker-E	Lisa Gustafson
4200 Hooker-W&E	Wendy Weigler
4100 Irving-W&E	André Turretini
4200 Irving-W&E	Mollie O'Brien & Rich Moore
4100 Julian-W&E	Joleen & Jeff Campbell
4200 Julian-W&E	Steve Taylor
4100 Knox-W&E	Katie Doyle
4200 Knox-W&E	Rebecca & Travis Caldwell
4100 King-W&E	Mary Ann Burroughs
4200 King-W	Peggy Lentz
4200 King-E	Jessica Schippits
4100 Lowell-E	Lisa Gelaude
4200 Lowell-E	<i>OPEN</i>
3000 W. 41st-S	Kristen Messer
3100 W. 41st-S	<i>OPEN</i>

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED for the *OPEN* blocks. Please contact Roberta Andersen at roand4270@cs.com or 720-244-0865 to volunteer.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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720-913-2000

Community Resource Officer, District 1 Police:
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