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1. Old North Names New Officers, Board Members

Old North Knoxville has elected Jill Tennant Anderson to serve as the organization's president. She succeeds the late Andie Ray, who died last December.

Other newly elected officers are Rebecca Ridner, vice president; Joy Guilford, treasurer; and Donna Spencer, secretary. Spencer has been serving as interim president since Andie Ray's passing.

ONK's full board includes:

Class of 2019: Chloie Airoldi-Watters, Jill Tennant Anderson, Rebecca McCurdy, Diana Ray and Lauren Rider.

Class of 2018: Beth Booker, Pete Creel, Kim Davis, Joy Guilford and Susie Laise Smith. Class of 2017: Dodi Payne, Marcus Phelps, James Pierce, Rebecca Ridner and Donna Spencer.

The years indicate when the terms expire. ONK board members each serve a threeyear term, and one third of the terms expire each year. This approach ensures continuity in the organization.

Old North is located in two areas: the triangle formed by East Woodland Avenue, Broadway and North Central, as well as the area east of Broadway that includes Grainger Avenue, Leonard Place and Overton Place.

2. Westwood Elects Officers

Julia Whipple is the new president of Westwood Homeowners Association following elections held last month. Other officers are Dave Stewart, vice president; Doug Lawyer, treasurer; and Kellye Tapp, secretary.

Those who were named as area representatives within the neighborhood are Lizzy Pucket, Scott Bishop, Audrey Tolar, Doug Lawyer, Robert Sklenar, Ashley Glander,

Heather Weidekamp, Cindy Poland, Peter Blackwell, Ken Cassell, Stacy Smith, and Haven Wertz.

Westwood is bounded by I-40/75 on the north, Sutherland Avenue on the south, Northshore Drive on the west and Highland Memorial Cemetery on the east.

3. Fourth & Gill to Offer Advice on Event Planning

If your neighborhood organization wants to stage a neighborhood event, but you are not quite sure how to pull it off, you are in luck.

The Historic Fourth & Gill Neighborhood Organization will offer a workshop on event planning from 10 a.m. until noon on Saturday, April 9, at the Birdhouse Neighborhood Center, 800 North Fourth Avenue. Save the date. See next week's issue for more details.

4. City Council to Ponder Food Trucks at Workshop Thursday

Knoxville City Council is holding a workshop at 5:30 p.m. this coming Thursday, March 24, to hear a presentation from the City Administration regarding the proposed ordinance regulating "mobile food vendors," otherwise known as food trucks.

The meeting will take place in the Large Assembly Room of the City County Building at 400 Main Street.

Administration officials will explain the <u>two-year pilot program</u> to permit and work with mobile food vendors in preparation for developing the ordinance. They will then explain the details of the proposed ordinance and related topics. See <u>this page</u> for a copy of the proposed ordinance, answers to frequently asked questions, responses to comments received about the proposal, and other documents.

The ordinance currently is scheduled for first reading at the next regular City Council meeting at 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 29.

One hot topic among neighborhood groups has been the setback requirement for food trucks that are parked in areas adjacent to residential zones. As currently proposed, "mobile food units must operate at least one hundred (100) feet from the boundary of any residentially zoned property, regardless of the use on the residentially zoned property, as measured in a straight line."

In an early version of the ordinance, this distance was 50 feet. Citing concerns about smokers, the <u>Neighborhood Advisory Council</u> asked that this distance be increased to 200 feet, but after hearing from NAC, the neighborhood group Community Forum and others, the Administration compromised at 100 feet. Now some food truck vendors and owners of businesses are asking for the original 50 feet.

5. Date Changed for Citizen Preparedness Workshop

The "Citizen Preparedness Workshop" that was announced in last week's newsletter has been moved to Wednesday, April 20, at the O'Connor Senior Center, 611 Winona Street. Seats are still available for this event.

The time (6 - 8:30 p.m.) and speakers are unchanged. To reserve your seat, please fill out the form on <u>this web page</u>. Those without Internet access can RSVP by calling Rebecca McIver at 215-3456.

Speakers and topics will be:

- *** Sergeant Sammy Shaffer of the Knoxville Police Department will provide insight and advice on how to respond in active shooter situations and to acts of terrorism.
- *** Colin Ickes of the Knoxville-Knox County Emergency Management Agency (KEMA) will discuss community preparedness for and response to natural and manmade disasters.
- *** Rebecca McIver of the Office of Neighborhoods will outline how your city neighborhood can participate in the Neighborhood Emergency Preparedness Program.

6. Emergency Response Classes Offered This Spring

If you think you might possibly ever be in an emergency situation someday, and if you would like to have some clue about how to respond effectively, here are two opportunities that are tailor-made for you. Both are offered free of charge.

First, the National Weather Service is offering a Weather Spotter training class at 6 p.m. Monday, April 4, at Rural Metro headquarters, 10410 Gallows Point Drive in West Knox County. Point of contact is Anthony Cavallucci at Anthony.Cavallucci@noaa.gov, but advance registration is not required.

Second, the Knoxville-Knox County Emergency Management Agency (KEMA) is offering its highly regarded Citizen Emergency Response Team (CERT) training this spring. The seven consecutive Thursday evening classes begin on April 7 and run through May 19, with a final disaster simulation on Saturday morning, May 21. The classes start at 6 p.m. and last until 8:30 or 9 p.m.

Topics include: Disaster Preparedness, Fire Safety, Medical Operations, Light Search & Rescue, CERT Organization, Disaster Psychology, and Terrorism. To register, contact Colin Ickes at cickes@knoxvilletn.gov or 215-1166. Seating is limited.

As noted in the 300-page manual that each recipient receives, "CERT is a critical program in the effort to engage everyone in America in making their communities safer, more prepared, and more resilient when incidents occur."

7. City Offices Closed Friday

City of Knoxville offices will be closed Friday, March 25, for the Good Friday holiday, but Waste Connections will run its regular residential garbage and recycling routes that day.

Downtown trash and recycling will run on regular schedule throughout the Easter weekend, city recycling centers will be open for recycling use, and the Goodwill attendant will be available for household goods donations until 1 p.m. Friday.

The City's Solid Waste Management Facility, 1033 Elm Street, will be closed both Friday and Saturday.

8. City Offers Sports for People with Disabilities

The City of Knoxville's Parks and Recreation Department this spring is offering pickleball, bowling and power soccer for people with disabilities.

- *** A pickleball tournament and skills challenge competition will be held for individuals of varying disabilities on Friday, April 15, at West Hills Park. Registration deadline is March 31. There is a \$5 participation fee.
- *** In partnership with the Tennessee Association of Blind Athletes, the City provides bowling for seeing-impaired individuals at Fountain Lanes, 3315 North Broadway, from 6-8 p.m. every Tuesday through April 26. The cost is \$3 for two games and shoe rental.
- *** For individuals who use a power wheelchair, Power Soccer is available for free from 6-8 p.m. on Mondays through April 25 at Brickey-McCloud Elementary School, 1810 Dry Gap Pike.

Please register for these events by contacting Daniel Alexander at 865-687-6321 or dalexander@knoxvilletn.gov. For more detail, see the brochures for these three events on the Web-page-of-the-City's Disability Services Office. Look for the links in the gray box.

9. Don't Flush Your Unwanted Medicines

Old and unused medicines can be harmful to you and the environment, and for this reason the City and County work hard to collect these medicines to keep them out of the hands of children and well away from the water supply.

On Saturday, April 23, from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m., take your unused medicines, prescriptions and old mercury thermometers to the West Town Mall parking lot just off Morrell Road.

The Knoxville Police Department will properly dispose of the medications, and City of Knoxville and Knox County Solid Waste Offices will exchange your mercury thermometers for mercury-free thermometers. Empty prescription bottles and other medicine containers will be recycled by the event coordinators.

If you miss this event, you can drop off your old medicines at the Knoxville Police Department Safety Building at 800 Howard Baker Jr. Avenue. For more, see the Medicine Collection website or contact City Solid Waste Manager Rachel Butzler at rbutzler@knoxvilletn.gov or 215-2872. County residents can contact Zach Johnson at 215-5871 or Zachary.johnson@knoxcounty.org.

10. Mediation Center Offers Help with Animal Disputes, Other Conflicts

The Community Mediation Center (CMC) --- which already provides mediation services on issues like noise, parking, land use, boundary disagreements and other neighbor-versus-neighbor conflicts --- now provides assistance in disputes involving animals.

CMC can offer the new service as a result of a partnership with the UT College of Veterinary Medicine. Some of the students in the vet school's social work program have been trained by CMC as volunteer mediators.

While preferring to mediate disputes before they end up in court, CMC can serve individuals who are already in litigation over an animal ordinance violation or disagreement. Disputes between veterinarians and clients are within CMC's scope as well.

CMC can also assist in landlord-tenant disputes, and the nonprofit continues to mediate family and divorce disputes using a sliding scale fee rate, based on ability to pay. The dispute does not have to be in court, but both sides need to agree to use mediation.

"We need people to understand that we cannot make the other party mediate, so it helps if the neighborhood association would refer cases where both sides would like to mediate, or there is a strong interest and people need an intake before deciding to try mediation," noted Jackie Kittrell, CMC's executive director.

CMC is available to speak to neighborhood groups about the mediation process. Call CMC at 865-594-1879 or email Jackie Kittrell at iackie.kittrell@gmail.com.

11. What's Up Underground in Downtown?

Downtown Knoxville's residents, workers and visitors are all very well aware of the ongoing disruption to pedestrian and vehicular traffic by a massive ditch digging project throughout the downtown core.

So what's going on?

The Knoxville Utilities Board (KUB) and its contractor, Garney Construction, are engaged in the "Downtown Century II Utilities Project."

Downtown in recent years has experienced sustained growth and redevelopment, with the addition of many new residents and businesses. This was occurring on top of aging utility infrastructure. Downtown is, after all, the city's oldest neighborhood.

Enter KUB. The three-phase project began in 2014, with the final phase expected to be completed in the spring of 2017. To help citizens anticipate and navigate current and

upcoming street closures, KUB is maintaining a weekly blog to share information about progress milestones, traffic impacts, and area traffic flow maps.

Visit the blog at http://downtowncentury2project.blogspot.com/, where you can sign up to receive notifications when the blog is updated.

12. Neighborhood and Government Calendar

Include your neighborhood-related event or meeting in this space. Call 215-4382.

Visit http://knoxvilletn.gov/calendar for a complete list of meetings of various city boards and commissions.

If you are a person with a disability who requires an accommodation in order to attend a City of Knoxville public meeting, please contact Stephanie Brewer Cook at scook@knoxvilletn.gov or 215-2034 no less than 72 hours prior to the meeting you wish to attend. For an English interpreter, contact David Massey at 215-3232 or dmassey @knoxvilletn.gov.

Tuesday, March 22 --- 6 p.m.

Inskip Community Association / Asociación Comunidad Inskip (ACI)

(Fourth Tuesdays) Inskip Baptist Church, 4810 Rowan Rd Betty Jo Mahan, 679-2748

Wednesday, March 23 --- 9 a.m.

Infill Housing Design Review Committee (Fourth Wednesdays) Re: infill housing in central city neighborhoods with IH-1 overlay http://www.knoxmpc.org/zoning/infill.htm
Jeff Archer, 215-3821, ieff.archer@knoxmpc.org

Wednesday, March 23 --- 9 a.m.

Transportation Planning Organization (TPO) Executive Committee (Fourth Wednesdays, Jan.-Oct., and Third Wednesdays, Nov.-Dec.) Small Assembly Room, City County Building Agenda: http://www.knoxtrans.org/meetings/execagen.htm Dori Caron, 215-2694, dori.caron@knoxmpc.org

Wednesday, March 23 --- 5 p.m.

Knox County Board of Education— Mid-month Work Session (Usually held on the Monday before the regular meeting and third Mondays, except holidays or holiday weeks.)
First Floor Board Room, Andrew Johnson Building, 912 South Gay St. For agenda, work sessions, and other items:
Visit http://knoxschools.org. Click on "Board of Education."

Thursday, March 24 --- 9 a.m.

Special Events Community Meeting (Fourth Thursdays, January-October) "Meet with city services that may assist in planning your event." Civic Coliseum Ballroom, Third Floor Free Parking available at Civic Coliseum Parking Garage Office of Special Events, 215-4248

Thursday, March 24 --- 5:30 p.m. Knoxville City Council Workshop Topic: Proposed Food Truck Ordinance Large Assembly Room, City County Building

Saturday, March 26 --- 9 a.m. until last person is heard

"Coffee with the Councilman"

(Usually the Last Saturday of Each Quarter)

First District City Council Member Nick Pavlis

Bring your concerns or stop by to chat; open to all city residents.

Roundup Restaurant, 3643 Sevierville Pike

Nick Pavlis, 851-6671

Monday, March 28 --- 11:30 a.m.

Central Business Improvement District (CBID) Board Meeting

Knoxville Chamber, 17 Market Square

http://www.downtownknoxville.org/about/cbid-meetings/

Michele Hummel, 246-2654, mhummel@downtownknoxville.org

Monday, March 28 --- 5 p.m.

Broadway Corridor Task Force (Fourth Mondays except December)

Focusing on enhancements to the corridor south of I-640

KCDC, 901 North Broadway

Lauren Rider, 964-3905, laurenellent@yahoo.com

Monday, March 28 --- 5 p.m. (zoning matters heard beginning at 7 p.m.)

Knox County Commission

(Fourth Mondays, January-October. Third Mondays, November-December)

www.knoxcounty.org/commission

Agenda: Click on "Information" and then "Commission Agendas"

Public Forum held at start & end of meeting

Monday, March 28 --- 6 p.m.

Burlington Residents Association

Burlington Branch Library, 4614 Asheville Highway

Kimberley Fowler, 524-7094, ccfp@comcast.net

Monday, March 28 --- 7- 8:30 p.m.

South Woodlawn Neighborhood Association

Bi-Monthly Meeting (Fourth Mondays, odd months, except holidays)

Woodlawn Christian Church, 4339 Woodlawn Pike

Shelley Conklin, 686-6789

Tuesday, March 29 --- 6:30 p.m.

Chilhowee Park Neighborhood Association (Last Tuesdays)

Chilhowee Park Office, 3301 Magnolia at Beaman Street

Enter park at Beaman & E. Fifth Ave. Park at picnic shelter.

Take sidewalk to upper entrance of the Chilhowee Park office.

Paul Ruff, 696-6584

Tuesday, March 29 --- 7 p.m.

City Council (every other Tuesday)

Main Assembly Room, City County Building

http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/citycouncil

Agenda: http://knoxvillecitytn.igm2.com

Wednesday, March 30 --- 3 p.m.

Energy Efficiency Teaching Workshop

Learn how to help others with energy savings and energy efficiency.

CAC, 2247 Western Avenue

Office of Sustainability, City of Knoxville

Brian Blackmon, bblackmon@knoxvilletn.gov, 215-2065.

Thursday, March 31 --- 3:30 p.m.

Better Building Board

(Last Thursday, January-October. First Thursday, December)

Small Assembly Room, City-County Building

http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/government/boards commissions/better building board/

Cheri Hollifield, 215-2119, chollifield@knoxvilletn.gov

Friday, April 1 --- 9:30 a.m.

Public Officer Hearing – Neighborhood Codes Enforcement

(Usually held on the Friday following Better Building Board meetings)

The PO considers action on violations of city's building codes.

Small Assembly Room, City County Building

http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/government/boards_commissions/better_building_board/

Cheri Hollifield, 215-2119, chollifield@knoxvilletn.gov

Friday, April 1 --- 8 a.m.-3 p.m.

Fair Housing Conference: "Building a Vision of Equality: One Day at a Time"

The Foundry, 747 World's Fair Park Drive

\$65 fee includes continental breakfast and lunch; scholarships available

Dress: Casual + walking shoes for 1.5-hour walking tour

Details and registration at http://echoknoxville.com

Equality Coalition for Housing Opportunities (ECHO)

Jennifer Bell, 403-1234, jbell@kcdc.org or Thomas Boehm, 974-1723, tboehm@utk.edu

Monday, April 4 --- 1 p.m.

East Knoxville Community Meeting (First Mondays)

Burlington Branch Library, 4614 Asheville Highway

Michael Covington, 274-7958, mdcov@hotmail.com

Monday, April 4 --- 4 p.m.

Love Towers Fellowship Association (First Mondays except holidays)

Love Towers Community Room; 1171 Armstrong St.

Bill Jackson, 221-4402

Monday, April 4 --- 5 p.m.

Knox County Board of Education—Work Session

(Usually held on the Monday before the regular meeting and

third Mondays, except holidays or holiday weeks.)

First Floor Board Room, Andrew Johnson Building, 912 South Gay St.

For agenda, work sessions, and other items:

Visit http://knoxschools.org. Click on "Board of Education."

Monday, April 4 --- 6 p.m.

Holston Meadows Neighborhood Watch

Milton Roberts Recreation Center, 5900 Asheville Hwy

Beverly Adkins, 523-6343 or Vivian Williams, 385-7074

Monday, April 4 --- 6:30 p.m.

Parkridge Community Organization (First Mondays except holidays)

Cansler YMCA, 616 Jessamine St.

David Anderson, (803) 259-6289, dander19@utk.edu

Monday, April 4 --- 6:30 - 8 p.m.

Wesley Neighbors Community Association

(First Mondays, even-numbered months)

West Knoxville Branch Library, 100 Golf Club Rd.

John Heins, 297-7045

Monday, April 4 --- 7 p.m.

Oakwood Lincoln Park Neighborhood Association (First Mondays)

Community Club House, 916 Shamrock Ave. at Henegar St.

Bill Hutton, 773-5228, s wlhutton@yahoo.com

Tuesday, April 5 --- 4:30 p.m.

Dandridge Avenue Neighborhood Watch (First Tuesdays)

Beck Cultural Exchange Center, 1927 Dandridge Ave.

Lawrence Washington, 524-4498

Tuesday, April 5 --- 6 p.m.

Mechanicsville Community Association (First Tuesdays)

Fairview Recreation Center, 1628 Dora St.

Charles Wright, 637-1802

Wednesday, April 6 --- Breakfast - 7:30 a.m. Meeting - 8 a.m.

East Towne Area Business & Professional Association (First Wednesdays)

Neighborhood Residents and Leaders encouraged to attend

New Harvest Park Community Building

Chair, Justin Sterling, JSterling@simon.com

Wednesday, April 6 --- 5 p.m.

Knox County Board of Education – Regular Session (First Wednesdays)

First Floor Board Room, Andrew Johnson Building, 912 South Gay St.

For agenda, work sessions, and other items:

Visit http://knoxschools.org. Click on "Board of Education."

Thursday, April 7 --- 6 p.m.

Knoxville SOUP (First Thursday of each Quarter)

Proposals due by the Thursday before (March 31)

Dara's Garden, 2637 Maryville Pike, \$5 at the Door

Adam Fritts, 579-5677 or SOUP@SoKnoxAlliance.org

Friday, April 8 --- 7:45 a.m. and 8 a.m.

North Knoxville Business & Professional Association (Second Fridays)

Breakfast at 7:45 am, Meeting at 8 a.m.

Open to North Knoxville Residents, Neighborhood Groups, Business Owners

Meeting location varies. Check Website for location. http://northknoxvillebpa.org/

Becky Dodson, becky.dodson@hma.com, 545-6750.

Friday, April 8 --- 6 p.m.

Beaumont Community Organization (Second Fridays)

Community Room, Solid Waste Transfer Station, 1033 Elm St.

Natasha Murphy, 936-0139

Saturday, April 9 --- 10 a.m.-Noon

Event Planning Workshop

The Birdhouse Neighborhood Center, 800 North Fourth Avenue

Historic Fourth & Gill Neighborhood Organization

Laurie Meschke, 865-964-8368, llmeschke@gmail.com

Sunday, April 10 --- 2 p.m.

Historic Sutherland Heights Neighborhood Association

(Second Sundays, even-numbered months)

Marble City Baptist Church, 2740 Sutherland Avenue

John Yates, 588-8883, john.a.yates1950@gmail.com

Monday, April 11 --- 1:30 p.m.

Montgomery Village Residents Association (Second Mondays)

4600 Joe Lewis Rd. #175

Ronnie Thompson, 583-9221

Monday, April 11 --- 3 p.m.

Northgate Resident Association (Second Mondays)

Social Hall, 4301 Whittle Springs Rd.

David Wildsmith, 219-0417

Monday, April 11 --- 5-6 p.m.

Cold Springs Neighborhood Watch (Second Mondays)

Michael Meadowview Neighborhood Watch (Second Mondays)

CAC East Neighborhood Center, 4200 Asheville Hwy.

Michael Meadowview: Marian Bailey, 525-5625

Cold Springs: Terrell Patrick, 525-4833

Monday, April 11 --- 5:30 p.m.

Public Hearing: Draft Annual Action Plan

See www.knoxvilletn.gov/development

City of Knoxville, Community Development Department

O'Connor Senior Center, 611 Winona Street

Linda Rust, 215-2120, lrust@knoxvilletn.gov

Monday, April 11 --- 6 p.m.

Fountain City Town Hall Board Meeting (Second Mondays)

Board Meetings: 6 p.m. Monthly

General Membership Meetings: 7 p.m., February, April, September, November

Church of the Good Shepherd, 5337 Jacksboro Pike

Jamie Rowe, 688-9525, ombroligo@aol.com

Monday, April 11 --- 6 p.m.

Lyons View Community Club (Second Mondays)

Lyons View Community Center, 114 Sprankle Ave.

Mary Brewster, 454-2390

Monday, April 11 --- 6 p.m.

Vestal Community Organization (Second Mondays)

South Knoxville Community Center, 522 Old Maryville Pike

Katherine Russell, 566-1198

Monday, April 11 --- 6:30 p.m.

Community Potluck

Historic Fourth & Gill Neighborhood Organization (Second Mondays)

Central United Methodist Church, 210 Third Ave.

Liz Upchurch, 898-1809, <u>lizupchurch1@gmail.com</u>

Monday, April 11 --- 6:30 p.m.

Historic Old North Knoxville (Second Mondays)

St. James Episcopal Church, Parish Hall, 1101 N. Broadway Donna Spencer, donnspen@gmail.com, 304-673-9697

Monday, April 11 --- 7 p.m.

Belle Morris Community Action Group (Second Mondays)

City View Baptist Church, 2311 Fine Ave.

http://www.neighborhoodlink.com/Belle Morris

Rick Wilen, 524-5008

Tuesday, April 12 --- 11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

MPC Agenda Review (Second Tuesdays)

Small Assembly Room, City County Building

http://www.knoxmpc.org

Tuesday, April 12 --- 4-5 p.m.

City of Knoxville Greenways Commission

(Second Tuesdays, even-numbered months)

Outdoor Knoxville Adventure Center, 900 Volunteer Landing

http://knoxvilletn.gov/government/boards commissions/greenways commission/

Lori Goerlich, Parks & Recreation Dept., 215-2807

Tuesday, April 12 --- 6 p.m.

Brown Avenue Neighborhood Watch (Second Tuesdays)

Hoitt Ave. Baptist Church, 2121 Hoitt Ave.

Jimmy Ramsey, 637-0243

Tuesday, April 12 --- 7 p.m.

City Council (every other Tuesday)

Main Assembly Room, City County Building

http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/citycouncil

Agenda: http://knoxvillecitytn.igm2.com

Wednesday, April 13 --- 11:30 a.m.

Community Forum (Second Wednesdays)

Bearden Branch Library, 100 Golf Club Road

Sue Mauer, 690-0269

Wednesday, April 13 --- 4:30 p.m.

Neighborhood Advisory Council, City of Knoxville

(Second Wednesdays except December)

Cansler YMCA, 616 Jessamine St.

http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/neighborhoods

David Massey, 215-3232

Thursday, April 14 --- 9 a.m.- 2 p.m.

Soil Health Workshop for Gardeners and Small Farmers

Knoxville Botanical Garden and Arboretum, 2743 Wimpole Ave.

Sponsors: Tenn. State University, Cooperative Extension Services, and the U.S.

Department of Agriculture's Natural Resources Conservation Services

RSVP to 865-523-3338, extension 3, by Friday, April 1

Thursday, April 14 --- 1:30 p.m.

Metropolitan Planning Commission (Second Thursdays)

Large Assembly Room, City County Building

http://www.knoxmpc.org

Agenda: http://agenda.knoxmpc.org

Thursday, April 14 --- 6 p.m.

Lonsdale Homes Resident Association (Second Thursdays)

Community Building, 1956 Goins Dr.

Phyllis Patrick, 323-7224

Thursday, April 14 --- 7-8 p.m.

Colonial Village Neighborhood Association

(Second Thursdays except December and January)

South Knoxville Church of God, 5623 Magazine Road

Terry Caruthers, 579-5702, t_caruthers@hotmail.com

Saturday, April 16 --- 10 a.m.

South Haven Neighborhood Association (Third Saturdays)

Hillcrest United Methodist Church, 1615 Price Ave.

Linda Rust, 679-9924, rstyldy1965@yahoo.com

Saturday, April 16 --- 1 p.m.

Boright Area Neighborhood Watch (Quarterly)

3004 Boright Drive

Lola Alapo, 525-1520, BorightGroup@gmail.com

Monday, April 18 --- 6:30 p.m.

Historic Fourth & Gill Neighborhood Organization

Board Meeting (Third Mondays except January)

"Birdhouse"/Fourth & Gill Center, 800 North Fourth Avenue

Liz Upchurch, 898-1809, <u>lizupchurch1@gmail.com</u>

Monday, April 18 --- 7 p.m.

Alice Bell Spring Hill Neighborhood Association

(Third Mondays except June, July, December)

All are welcome to attend.

New Harvest Park, 4775 New Harvest Lane

Ronnie Collins, 637-9630

Tuesday, April 19 --- 6 p.m.

Annual Bike Ride with Elected Officials

Bike Walk Knoxville

http://www.bwknox.org/

Tuesday, April 19 --- 7 p.m.

Edgewood Park Neighborhood Association (Third Tuesdays, except December)

Larry Cox Senior Center, 3109 Ocoee Trail
Peter Pallesen, 200-8311, http://edgewoodpark.us/

Wednesday, April 20 --- 12 Noon

Eastport/Lee Williams Neighborhood Watch (Third Wednesdays)

Lee Williams Senior Center, 2240 Martin Luther King Jr. Ave.

Sylvia Cook, 206-3433, sylviacook5901@comcast.net

Wednesday, April 20 --- 6 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

Citizen Preparedness Workshop

Topics: active shooter, terrorism, natural and manmade disasters

Knoxville Police Dept., Knoxville-Knox County Emergency Management Agency, and

Office of Neighborhoods

O'Connor Senior Center, 611 Winona St.

RSVP at this link or Rebecca McIver at 215-3456

Wednesday, April 20 --- 6:30 p.m.

Lindbergh Forest Neighborhood Association (Third Wednesdays)

Graystone Presbyterian Church, 139 Woodlawn Pike

Kelley DeLuca, 660-4728, kelleydeluca@gmail.com

Thursday, April 21--- Breakfast - 7:30 a.m. Meeting - 8 a.m.

East Knoxville Business & Professional Association (Third Thursdays)

Open to Neighborhood Residents and Leaders

Meeting location varies

Doug Minter, Dminter@knoxvillechamber.com, Knoxville Chamber, 637-4550

http://www.eastknox.org/

Thursday, April 21 --- 8:30 a.m.

Historic Zoning Commission (Third Thursdays)

http://knoxvilletn.gov/government/boards commissions/historic zoning commission/

Kaye Graybeal, 215-3795, kaye.graybeal@knoxmpc.org

Thursday, April 21 --- 12 noon

KUB Board of Commissioners (Third Thursdays, except July)

Historic Miller's Building, 445 S. Gay St.

See www.kub.org. Click on "About Us" at top of the page.

Thursday, April 21 --- 4 p.m.

City Board of Zoning Appeals (Third Thursdays)

Small Assembly Room, City County Building

Pre-Agenda Meeting: 3 p.m. in Room 511

http://knoxvilletn.gov/government/boards commissions/board of zoning appeals/

Thursday, April 21 --- 4:30 p.m.

Pond Gap Area Neighborhood Association (Third Thursdays)

Coop Café, 3701 Sutherland Ave.

David Williams, dawill64@yahoo.com

Thursday, April 21 --- 4:30 p.m.

RiverHill Gateway Neighborhood Association (Third Thursdays)

Outdoor Knoxville, 900 Volunteer Landing

Kaye Bultemeier, 504-940-8952, kayebultemeier@gmail.com

Thursday, April 21 --- 7 p.m.

Old Sevier Community Group

(Third Thursdays, January-November)

South Knoxville Elementary School Library, 801 Sevier Avenue

Gary Deitsch, 573-7355, garyedeitsch@bellsouth.net

Saturday, April 23 --- 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

Old and Unwanted Medicines Collection Event

- ** Drop off unused medicines and prescriptions.
- ** Turn in mercury thermometer to receive mercury-free thermometer.

West Town Mall Parking Lot

Alternate Drop-off: KPD Safety Building, 800 Howard Baker Jr. Avenue

City of Knoxville and Knox County Solid Waste Offices

Rachel Butzler, 215-2872, rbutzler@knoxvilletn.gov

Thursday, April 28 --- 6 p.m.

PARC - Police Advisory & Review Committee

Small Assembly Room, City County Building, 400 Main Street

PARC Office, 215-3869 or lchambers@knoxvilletn.gov

Saturday, May 7 --- 11 a.m.-7 p.m.

Vestival – South Knoxville's Arts and Heritage Festival

Candoro Arts and Heritage Center, 4450 Candora Avenue

Mother's Day Brunch, children's activities, food, music, history & more.

www.CandoroMarble.org, 640-5700

Monday, May 9 --- 7 p.m.

Lake Forest Neighborhood Association

Lake Forest Presbyterian Church, Lower Level, 714 Lake Forest Drive Molly Gilbert, 209-1820 or mollygilbert@yahoo.com

Monday, May 11 --- 7 p.m.

Town Hall East

(Second Mondays in September, November, January, March and May) Fellowship Hall, Eastminster Presbyterian Church, 409 Asheville Highway Eston Williams, 406-5412

Sunday, May 15 --- 1-6 p.m.

"Open Streets" Event

http://openstreetsknoxville.com/

North Central Avenue

Bike Walk Knoxville

Linda Gray, 388-0368, openstreetsknoxville@gmail.com

Tuesday, May 17 --- 6 p.m.

Delrose Drive Neighborhood Watch

(Third Tuesdays in January, March, May, July, September and November)

Riverview Baptist Church, 3618 Delrose Dr.

Corina and John Buffalow, 523-0102

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