

SUMMER ISSUE 2018 | THE OFFICIAL PUBLICATION OF THE RICHMOND NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION | RICHMONDPDX.ORG RNA MEETS THE 2ND MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH AT WAVERLY HEIGHTS CHURCH | 3300 SE WOODWARD ST | 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Disaster Preparation for Pets

By Richmond Ready

Your family disaster plan should include your pets. If it is not safe for you to shelter in place, it is not safe for your pets either. If you must leave, know that Red Cross shelters only take service animals, not your pets. Do some advance research on hotels that accept pets.

You will need a plan and emergency kit specifically for your pets. Keep your pets' emergency kit with the family kit. Put essential medical information for your pets with the emergency kit. Include your veterinarian's name and contact information. Also include other essentials like food, water, bowls, litter and box, and poop bags. Consider treats, favorite toys, and bedding as well. Add appropriate items for other pets such as rabbits, birds, guinea pigs.

If your pets are on medication, have a 2-week supply in the emergency kit. A current photo of you and your pet can be used to document that this is your pet in case you are separated.

Your pets should have collars and tags with upto-date contact information. Have a harness or leash for your every cat or dog in the family. It is strongly advised that you microchip your pet. You will need a pet carrier for each pet. Familiarize your pet with the carrier before an emergency.

More information about preparing your pets for disasters can be found at:

dovelewis.org/medical-services/emergencypreparedness/

cdc.gov/features/petsanddisasters/index. html

redcross.org/get-help/how-to-prepare-foremergencies/pet-disaster-preparedness

Friday, August 10: Free Movie in Sewallcrest Park

Kubo and the Two Strings

By Allen Field

Kubo and the Two Strings will be shown for free in Sewallcrest Park, SE Market and 32nd Ave, on Friday, August 10. The movie is part of Portland Parks & Recreation Movies in the Park program and presented by the Richmond Neighborhood Association, Sunnyside Neighborhood Association, and Hosford-Abernethy Neighborhood District.

The pre-movie band starts at 6:30 PM: Chata Addy & Susuma — Afro-reggae and funky highlife dance music — and there will be food carts. The film begins at dusk (approximately 8:30), but get there early – this is a popular event. The full free movie and concert schedule by Portland Parks & Rec is at *portlandoregon.gov/parks/69554*.



WEBSITE

Visit your official Richmond Neighborhood Association website for a copy of this newsletter and much more at *richmondpdx.org*

Hawthorne, Division, 26th & Clinton Graffiti & Litter CleanUp

By Allen Field

On June 16, approximately 100 orange-vested volunteers fanned out from Central Christian Church on SE Cesar Chavez Blvd. and walked to Hawthorne Blvd. and Division St. to pick up litter, cigarette butts, and sharps, and to clean off graffiti from utility poles and boxes, from SE 29th Ave. to 52nd Ave. A team of volunteers also picked up litter and cigarette butts and cleaned off graffiti at 26th and Clinton.

In two hours, volunteers picked up 99 bags of litter, approximately 15 to 20 pounds of cigarette butts, and 8 sharps, and cleaned graffiti off of utility poles and boxes, and some buildings which had given prior permission to clean off graffiti, for example, the former Artichoke Music building. The volunteers dropped off bags at predesignated locations on Hawthorne, Division and Clinton, and Metro's RID (Regional Illegal Dump) truck collected the bags later in the day. Team Leaders also reported graffiti to the PDX Reporter website for later cleaning. Volunteers were treated to delicious food provided by Pepinos Mexican Grill and Aprisa Mexican Cuisine and many prizes donated by local businesses were raffled off.

Similar events occurred simultaneously in the Lents, Foster-Powell, Mt. Scott-Arleta, and Brentwood-Darlington neighborhoods, focusing on SE 82nd Ave and nearby streets. Metro reports that over 1,000 lbs of litter were collected in this event.

The event started as a project of the Richmond

Neighborhood Association's Tag Busters (graffiti removal team). But, through a partnership with KINK FM radio, Metro, the City of Portland Graffiti Abatement office, and SOLVE, the event grew into a five-neighborhood event under the KINK FM banner: Paint the Town Green. For the Hawthorne/ Division/26th & Clinton event, the RNA partnered with the Sunnyside and Hosford Abernethy (HAND) neighborhood associations and with SE Uplift.

This was the RNA's first Litter and Graffiti CleanUp event. We hope to include more neighborhoods next year and enlarge it to include Belmont, Stark, more of Clinton, and maybe Powell.

Special thanks to: New Seasons Market, Fred Meyer, Pepino's Mexican Grill, Aprisa Mexican Cuisine, Imperfect Produce, Grand Central Bakery, Petit Provence and Starbucks Hawthorne & 38th, Starbucks Safeway on Hawthorne for providing food, drink and snacks for the volunteers; to Ruby Jewel for providing the ice cream sandwich prizes for the cigarette-butt collecting contest; to Graffiti Removal Services for the graffiti-removal training; and to the following businesses for donating raffle prizes: Mink, Imelda's, Kids at Heart, Pizza Oasis, Portland Bicycle Emporium, Marino's, Rudy's Barbershop, Townshend's Teas, Stella Taco, KaTi Thai, For Paws, Hawthorne Gardens, Eb & Bean, Saint Honoré Bakery, KINK FM, Presents of Mind, Collage, Xico, Roosevelt's Terrariums, and Fyberworks Boutique.



A family doing their part in helping the community.



Collected bags of litter.



Bags of cigarettes that were collected.

Richmond Neighborhood Spring Clean-up, May 19

By Jonathan King

This year's cleanup witnessed a near record turnout, plus plant sales and dumpster incomes were at or near all-time highs! And, as usual, we had a couple dozen volunteers most of whom have helped us year after year after year! We would also like to thank those who stayed late to clean up after the CleanUp.

Although our reimbursement is still being processed, it appears that 2018 was a also record year for net income. And this is good news because our annual CleanUp remains the major source of income for our neighborhood association.

Again, thanks to all who participated!

Go for a walk, 4 times a year.

Volunteer as a neighbor newsletter deliverer. Contact Jonathan King at king.jonathan.b@gmail.com



Cleaning the stickers off of signposts on Hawthorne Blvd.

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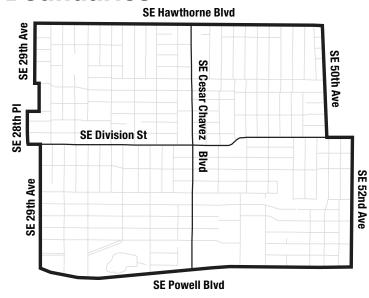
Neighbors may read about crime prevention techniques + advice and/or contact us directly at: **portlandoregon.gov/oni/28395**

Let all your neighbors know about your business.

Place an ad in the Richmond Neighborhood News. Reach 5,600 homes and businesses.

Contact Jonathan King at king.jonathan.b@gmail.com

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Transient Camp Outreach Car

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Portland Public Safety Resource Numbers portlandoregon.gov/oni/article/320566

CALENDAR

Richmond

Division/Clinton Street Fair and Parade

Saturday, July 21, 2018, 10:00 am–5:00 pm All along Division and Clinton Streets.

Summer Movie at Sewallcrest Park

Friday, August 10, 2018, ~8:00 pm–10:00 pm Pre-movie band starts at 6:30pm Food carts available.

August RNA Meeting

Monday, August 13, 2018, 7:00–9:00 pm Waverly Heights Church (basement) 3300 SE Woodward Street

Hawthorne Street Fair

Sunday, August 26, 2018, 11:00 AM-6:00 PM Hawthorne Blvd, from 12th to 55th

RNA Board

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