



— LOGAN LEDGER —

Next Meeting: October 21 2015 7 p.m. 690 13th Ave Logan Park



You can help decide what our Community Projects should be.

We have the funds for people with awesome ideas to make it happen. This is your chance to make a difference in your neighborhood. Please come to the October meeting to share your vision and energy!

20 Year improvements for Logan Park.

The park is reviewing and considering improvements. If you wished the park had (*fill in the blank*), now is the time to say so. This only happens every quarter century - what are you waiting for?

Come to the LPNA October 21s meeting to share your ideas and inspiration.



Join us for our second fundraiser at Indeed Brewing

On Wednesday October 14th from 3 pm to 11pm Indeed will donate their net proceeds to the Logan Park Neighborhood Association.

Last year we raised over 1,000 dollars.

More on the 'Indeed we Can' charitable initiative can be found at www.indeedbrewing.com.

Activities at Logan Park

Winter Sports Registration will begin on November 4th.

Register for Wrestling (ages 6-14) Basketball (ages 5-13) or Hockey (6-14)

Coaches are always needed. If you are interested in coaching, please contact Heidi at Logan Park 612-370-4927 or email at hmiller@minneapolisparks.org

Adult programs are going strong at Logan Park. If there is something you would like to see that we are not offering please let Heidi know. Register online for adult programs at www.minneapolisparks.org

Zumba is ongoing on Saturday mornings from 10-11am and continues to be free with a grant MPRB received.

Tai Chi & Qigong Session 2 November 10-December 22 6:30-7:30pm \$50

Vinyasa Yoga Session 2 October 27-December 8 5:15-6:15pm 50 per session or 8 drop in at the door

Pickleball will begin November 6th from 1-3pm. It is \$20 per session or \$4 drop in at the door. This sports is similar to badminton & tennis and ping pong, but pickleball is accessible to a wider range of players, particularly seniors. Everyone and all levels are welcome! Check it out <http://www.usapa.org/what-is-pickleball/>

Coming in January NIA Fitness. This class will be on Thursdays from 12:15-1:15pm Come during your lunch break, we will also offer childcare for the stay at home parent for an extra charge. Nia Fitness is energizing music and movements, done at your level of fitness. Dance moves from jazz to modern ,strength and agility practices with the martial arts of Taekwondo, Aikido and Tai Chi Sensory awareness and mindfulness training.

Tiny Tot Open Gym

The weather is changing...which means Logan's Tiny Tot Open Gym will be opening for families.

The Gym & Play room will be open on Fridays & Mondays from 10-Noon for \$3 per family.

This is a great way to burn off some extra energy & meet other families from Northeast.

Coffee and snacks are provided.

Pay at the door or purchase a punch card-8 punches for \$20.

Miss Adrienne & I are looking forward to seeing old friends and meeting new ones.

Please invite a friend.

2016 Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Essay Contest

The Minneapolis Commission on Civil Rights, the Minneapolis Department of Civil Rights, Minneapolis City Council, and the Minneapolis Mayor present the 2016 Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Essay Contest. This contest is open to all Minneapolis students in the 9th, 10th, and 11th grades.

The topic for this year's contest is: Dr. King's vision is alive and well through the work of current civil rights activists. What kind of impacts are these activists making on the current political and social landscape, and how do you see their work influencing the future? Provide and properly cite all direct quotes from at least two current leaders/activists in your essay, and give their contact information for verification purposes. You can use information gathering techniques such as interviews, reaching out to organizations/houses of worship doing civil rights work, attending community meetings, and much more. Essays may be from one to three pages in length and address the selected topic.

Completed entry forms with parent's signature must be attached to the back of the essay. All submissions are due by November 16th, 2015. Teachers can request a member of the Minneapolis Commission on Civil Rights to visit their classroom and to assist students with the essay topic. To request a visit, please contact the the department. Application packets can be found on the Minneapolis Commission on Civil Rights website http://www.minneapolismn.gov/civilrights/commission/civil-rights_commission_announcements

All contest winners will be notified in January, 2016. There will be three winners chosen from each grade level. The contest winners will receive a gift card to be awarded at a ceremony before the Minneapolis City Council in January 2016.

First Place \$ 300.00

Second Place \$ 200.00

Third Place \$ 100.00

There will be a reception after the award ceremony. Teachers, parents, educators and others are invited to attend. Students will have the opportunity to meet and take pictures with the Minneapolis Commission on Civil Rights members, Minneapolis City Council members and Mayor Hodges. Interviews may be requested by the media. The first place winners will have an opportunity to read a portion of their essay at the awards ceremony.

Completed Essays should be returned no later than Monday November 16th, 2015 to:

Minneapolis Department of Civil Rights

Attention: Christian Taylor, MCCR Liaison

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Logan Park Small Area Plan

LPNA is embarking on a Small Area Plan. We are working with The Cunningham Group on this process which will include Town Hall Meetings and Focus Groups to get neighborhood input.

A Steering Committee is forming and currently has space available. If you'd like to learn more about this process and how to get involved, please come to the Small Area Plan meeting on 10/21, 6pm at Logan Park. If you can't make that meeting, please email inquiries and ideas to loganparkna@aol.com.

You can check out more detailed info about the Small Area Plan on the Logan Park website:

<http://www.loganparkneighborhood.org/news-updates/small-area-plan/>

The first Town Hall meeting will be on November 18th at 7pm at Logan Park. Please come and share your vision for Logan Park.

Fall Street Sweeping Begins October 20

Minneapolis Public Works will begin the big task of curb-to-curb sweeping and leaf collection on streets throughout the city Tuesday, Oct. 20. During the four weeks of the comprehensive fall street sweep, crews will clean up about 1,100 miles of city streets. To make sure the sweepers can do the best job possible, temporary "No Parking" signs will be posted at least 24 hours in advance so streets will be clear of cars when they're swept. The first signs will be posted Monday, Oct. 19, and sweeping will begin the next day. Anyone who parks on the street will need to follow street sweeping parking rules or their cars may be ticketed and towed.

Own a piece of functional Logan Park art

During Art-a-Whirl this year LPNA sold Logan Park logo postal stamps. We have some stamps still available. Before the general meeting stamps will be on sale for \$1.00 each. Please pay by cash or check.

Senior Outreach & Caregiver Services

A program of Senior Community Services – Senior Outreach & Caregiver Services – provides support to friends, spouses, and other family members who help an older adult remain at home.

For more information or to request service, call 612-770-7005.

Lights of Logan Holiday Lighting Contest

Now is the time to put up your lights for our annual neighborhood holiday lighting contest.

Judging will take place Sunday December 13 starting at 5:30pm.

This year's theme "*Happy Holidays*"

The lighting contest has been a big part of the holiday season in Logan Park for the past several years.

Cash prizes are awarded for the winners.