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LOGAN PARK NEIGHBORHOOD MEETING

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PICK UP SOME GREAT TIPS ON COLOR/PAINT AT OUR MAY 16TH MEETING

Hello, my name is Valerie Hill and I live on Jefferson Street here in Logan Park. I am a Color Consultant for Hirshfield's Inc. I help people choose color and put palettes together for their interiors and exteriors at the Rosedale Store. I have a background in color theory, fine arts and textiles, working at the Guthrie Theater and the Minnesota Opera for the past ten years. I worked for Black & Decker for five years and have extensively gutted and remodeled three homes with my own two hands. At one point in time I had eleven different quarts of paint on the back of my house trying to choose just the right color combination. It looked like a patchwork quilt for almost five years. I love creating sanctuary with color and I love living in Nordeast where there is such an artistic



sensibility and approach to life. I hope I can inspire our little corner of the city to showcase the beauty and history of our neighborhood by adding more color to our homes. Here's a few things I'll be talking about at your next meeting:

- How to make your home look its best
- Choosing the right color by focusing on fixed assets first
- Making your finish last with proper prep
- Step by step preparation and painting techniques
- Solutions for paint problems
- How to pair color with architecture
- Finding a Palette using the Five Color Cues
- How to Sample Color
- Historical Color Palettes
- Primers, Stains, Tools and Equipment.
- Where to start, what to paint first
- Hiring a professional

CHECK IT OUT!

SHAKESPEARE IN THE PARK

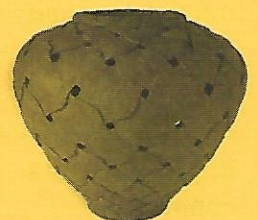


Mark your calendar for this summer's performance of Shakespeare in the Park on Saturday, June 17th at 7 p.m. at Logan. Your

NRP Arts and Culture program brings us the award winning troupe, Chameleon Theatre Circle's "The Tempest." This is classic theater made affordable for all. Bring your chairs, something to sip, and enjoy!

POTTERY CLASSES

If you like to get your hands dirty, to create something lovely, interesting, or practical, try the pottery class at Logan Park.... handbuild, use the wheel, fire and glaze, you can do it all. Call Renatta at 612-370-4927 or you can e-mail her at hunt1058@umn.edu



CLEAN SWEEP THANK YOU!

We would like to thank the volunteers who worked the Clean Sweep May 5th, especially to

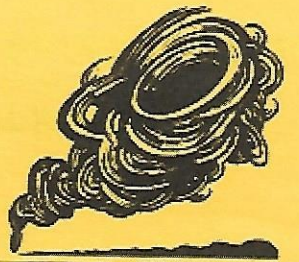


the non-board helping hands. We made short work of it. A HUGE thank you to the Jacobson Transfer folks for tire pick up, there were soooo many! And for the breakfast at Diamonds....Steve, Billy, and Bill, Sr, you guys are the greatest! Sorry if we left behind some of the items set out, but those will be picked up on recycling day.

ART-A-WHIRL

MAY 18-20

Logan Park Neighborhood is ground central for Art-a-Whirl, so make



sure you check it out....leave the car at home and walk just a few blocks for great local art, and music, too. There will be family activities at Logan Park on Saturday the 19th from 9-3. You could wander for hours in the massive Northrup King Building. The Thorp Building on Central goes w-a-a-a-y back, with lots of artists in there. And try out the new place....the Casket Arts Building, at 17th and Jefferson. Or check the map for individuals who have opened up their home studios for visitors. Be a part of the best art party of the year!

HEARTS & HAMMERS

If you are a senior citizen or are disabled, and meet certain income requirements, you could apply for HEARTS AND HAMMERS, TWIN CITIES to help you with exterior home repairs. Please call Mike Hutson at 952-922-2451 or go to www.heartsandhammers.org/ to apply before May 25th.



Our neighborhood is scheduled for the next round of Inspection Sweeps, so start ahead. We will try to post more sites and organizations who can help with getting your home in shape.

Logan Park Neighborhood Association Delivery Team Recognition Award



The LPNA Delivery Team award for May goes to the Casket Arts Building at 17th and Jefferson. It is exciting to continuously see changes and improvements, giving a wonderful old building new life.

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