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# Annual Meeting: Wednesday, May 15th 2019 at 7pm at 690 13th Ave Logan Park Childcare Provided

# Agenda: LPNA Board Elections, Annual Report, Raingarden lottery, Bylaws vote, Face Me Por Favor Street Art Team

The Logan Park Neighborhood Association's annual meeting is Wednesday, May 15th at 7pm. Join us to participate in board elections, vote on our new bylaws, and hear about a street art team interested in doing mural work in our area.

Upcoming Meetings and Events:

- Clean Sweep May 11th 9am
- Broadway Street Taskforce Open house May 14th 5:30pm @ Able Brewery
- LPNA Annual Meeting, May 15th · 7pm @ Logan Park

### LPNA Announces New Bylaws Draft

The Logan Park Neighborhood Association has re-drafted the bylaws with the help of a legal team provided by the City of Minneapolis. These bylaws will be presented to the Logan Park Neighborhood for approval at the annual meeting on May 15th, 2019.

Major changes include:

- Term Limits: Director term limits are 6 years per term then a one year break is required. No limit on number of terms. Officer term limits are 4 years, a one year break is required.
- Grievance policy: New grievance policy included
- Board directors: Minimum number is 9, Maximum is 11

The new bylaws can be found our website, loganparkneighborhood.org.

### **Broadway St Task Force Open House**

The Broadway St. Taskforce has been working with Hennepin County and the City of Minneapolis to make Broadway Street safer. If you have any ideas or input on how to improve Broadway, please attend.

Tuesday, May 14th, 5:30pm-7:30pm Able Seedhouse + Brewing 1121 Quincy Street Northeast

To stay up to date on the project visit https://www.hennepin.us/broadwaystreet.

# Logan Park Neighborhood Association

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# **Board of Directors**

Board Members Jeff Klein: Co-Chair Jeff Pilacinski: Co-Chair Pat Vogel: Treasurer Paula Allan Steve Liston Larry Kutzler Pat Mavity Ben Durrant Jon Eldridge Alex Bliss

### Logan Park History Project

The Logan Park History Project seeks to engage history buffs and curious neighbors to create "Logan Park Neighborhood: The Living Museum". Our goal is to create a visual timeline history of the neighborhood with a multi media outreach.

If interested in working in this project, please email loganparkna@aol.com

# Logan Park Home Loans

The Logan Park Neighborhood Association has made Neighborhood Revitalization Program (NRP) funds available to provide low interest and emergency loans to homeowners in the Logan Park neighborhood.

We also offer reduced cost Home Energy Audits.

Please call 612-335-5884 or visit www.mncee.org for complete details.

# LPNA Seeks Fundraising Committee Members

LPNA is looking for dedicated individuals to help manage our annual Indeed Fundraising Event. The fundraising committee would help promote the event, organize the bingo component, and seek prize donations.

If interested, please contact loganparkna@aol.com.

# Join the LPNA Public Relations Committee!

Written by Board Member and Public Relations Committee Founder, Larry Kutzler:

I have lived in the Logan Park neighborhood since 1986 when we bought our house and raised our two children. In those days, most of my neighbors were 30+ years older than me. 33 years later, the neighborhood has changed and now I find myself as one of the 'older' folks surrounded by all younger families. I remember in those early days how friendly and open the older folks were to us newcomers. They were always amazed that my wife was the one who used the snow blower to clear our sidewalks and the first question they asked me was how I did I do it? How did I get my wife to do the snow blowing? All I said was, "she grew up on a farm in North Dakota". This wonderful interaction and teasing with our neighbors is what I remember about a Northeast that was neighborly and friendly.

I write about this because in the midst of all the changes we are seeing in our neighborhood, I don't want to see us change the way we relate to one another. That is why the Logan Park Neighborhood Association is trying to improve the quality of how we live together in our neighborhood. The only way we are going to keep a sense of community in the Logan Park Neighborhood is to get neighbors to talk together about ideas, concerns, and improvements that we can accomplish together.

That is why we have formed a new Public Relations Committee that will provide some valuable input into how we can make Logan Park the best neighborhood in the city. I know that may be ambitious, but nothing is impossible if neighbors want to get involved and see what we can do together. If you would like to be part of a group that dialogues with other neighbors, I would be more than happy to facilitate this gathering. If you have an interest, please email me at <u>larrykutzler@gmail.com</u> and I will organize a meeting date this summer. I'm looking forward to seeing what we can accomplish together!



# Animal Care and Control low-cost pet vaccinations

Minneapolis residents can bring in their pets for low-cost vaccinations on May 19. The City will offer rabies vaccine, feline distemper vaccine, canine distemper vaccine, and microchipping for \$10 each or \$25 for all three. You can use cash, check or a credit card.

2-5 p.m. Sunday, Sunday, May 19 Minneapolis Animal Care and Control Shelter, 212 17th Ave. N.

All dogs must be on a leash, and all cats must be in a carrier. Must have a valid ID and/or proof of Minneapolis residency to participate. For more details, check out the City's Animal Care and Control

#### **LPNA Priorities Plan Updates**

The Logan Park Neighborhood Association approved the LPNA Priorities Plan at the March 20th, 2019 general meeting. You can view the plan on our website, loganparkneighborhood.org. The next step is to form an Implementation Committee to start turning these ideas into finished projects.

Join our Implementation Committee!

Email loganparkna@aol.com if interested.

### **18th Ave NE Reconstruction Updates**

The 18th Ave NE (Monroe St NE to Johnson St NE) reconstruction project was completed last fall, however a few punch list/repair items remain. Park Construction expects to begin work on these items in early May and it's estimated to be complete within a few weeks.

18th Ave NE will not be closed during this work, however, there may be impacts to traffic and parking. There will be road work signage and Park Construction is going to be using flaggers around the area they are working.

Minneapolis Park Board will also begin planting trees along the corridor in the next few weeks as well.

18th Ave NE is scheduled to get the final sealcoat this July.

If you have any questions or concerns about this improvement project, please call Beverly Warmka, at 612-673-3762. You can also contact the Chief Field Inspector on the Project, John Benjamin at 651-443-1096

### Minneapolis Asthma Program

Is your child missing school because of asthma? The Minneapolis Asthma Program can help. Families with a child with asthma can get a home visit by a healthy homes specialist who can identify sources of asthma triggers in a home. Many homes have asthma triggers that can be reduced by using a HEPA air cleaner to remove pollen, mold spores and pet dander.

The healthy homes program offers the HEPA air cleaner, allergenic pillow and mattress covers and more products free to families.

Help your children to stay in school and reduce their asthma triggers. Request a visit by calling or texting Eliza Schell at 612-685-8512 or emailing her at eliza.schell@minneapolismn.gov. This program is run by the Minneapolis Health Department and is brand new in 2019.

# NEMAA PRESENTS THE 24TH ANNUAL ART -A-WHIRL®

Art-A-Whirl® is the largest open studio tour in the country, happening annually throughout Northeast Minneapolis the third weekend of May. View artwork of nearly 800 artists in every medium at more than 60 locations, including studio buildings, art galleries, homes, storefronts, and local businesses. The artists' open studio tours may include demonstrations, mini workshops, installations, and special exhibitions. Studio tours offer a great opportunity to ask questions, discuss techniques, experience art first-hand, and purchase unique artwork directly from the artists who make our community so vibrant!

This event is free and open to the public.

2019 Dates and Hours:

Friday, May 17th – 5:00-10:00 p.m. Saturday, May 18th – Noon-8:00 p.m. Sunday, May 19th – Noon-5:00 p.m.

https://nemaa.org/art-a-whirl/

# Living with Your Pet in Minneapolis

Nearly 40 percent of Minneapolis residents are pet owners (dogs and cats). Pet owners, and their neighbors, that cooperate and comply with the following recommendations that are outlined in City Ordinance will mean a happier pet-owning experience for them and the community at large!

### • Keep your pet contained.

Whether that be in a fenced yard, on a tether of appropriate length in your yard or on a leash when out walking, pets must be contained. It is the best way to help your pet avoid many dangers running-at-large can pose for them as well as prevent them from becoming a nuisance to others.

• Pick up after your pets.

Let's face it, poop happens! Owners of animals are responsible for removal and sanitary disposal of feces both on their personal property and in public space. Keeping yards and publicly shared spaces free of feces reduces the chance of disease transmission and makes use more enjoyable and safe for everyone.

• Keep a collar and tags on your pet.

Dogs and cats must wear an appropriately fitted collar or harness with the animal is in public; license tags, rabies tags, and personal ID tags should be affixed to the collar to help expedite recovery should your pet go missing. It is also highly recommended to have your pet microchipped as a permanent form of identification in the event they lose their collar or tags.

• Keep pets vaccinated.

Pets must be up to date by law. Rabies is transmissible to humans and other animals. Pets often get rabies from wildlife and, even though we are in an urban environment, we share our space with them. Even indoor-only cats can contract rabies if a bat carrying the virus enters your home.

### • License your pets.

Not only is this required by ordinance, but it also increases the likelihood of your pet getting back home. It also shows that your pet has a rabies vaccine, and it makes it more likely we can find your pet's medical history should it be impounded.

### • Keep an Emergency Contact Card in your wallet.

Minneapolis Animal Care and Control provides a card that you can list an emergency contact for first responders or others to get in touch with to take care of your pets if you are unable to. It also notes Minneapolis Animal Care and Control on the card as we will step in to help if circumstances are such there is no one able to care for your animals.

• Minneapolis Animal Care and Control is a resource for you and here to help. For more information, visit <u>www.minneapolismn.gov/animals or call 311</u>.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: PLEASE HELP MY PETS	Minneapolis City of Lakes	IMPORTANT NOTICE: PLEASE HELP MY PETS	Minneapolis City of Lakes
My address		I have animals at home waiting for me. If for any reason I am unable to return home to care for my pets, please notify the following:	
Pet name	Type of animal Name:		
-		Phone Number:	
Minneapolis Animal Care & Control w	ww.minneapolismn.gov/animals	Minneapolis Animal Care & Control w	ww.minneapolismn.gov/animals

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