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# **April 2021 Issue**

# LPNA General Meeting April 21st, 2021 7pm

Zoom link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83291771919 Dial in 312 626 6799 Meeting ID: 832 9177 1919 Passcode: 062363

## Agenda:

- Logan Park Pavilion Project
- Hilari ZiaiMehr, The Briar Bar, 1231 Washington Ave NE
  - LPNA Rain Garden Program

NOTE: The public is welcome at all LPNA meetings. All meetings are accessible and requests for special accommodations at LPNA meetings may be made by contacting us no less than one week prior to the event. Please contact LPNA with specific requests.

#### **Logan Park Performance Pavilion**

The Performance Pavilion is back on track! We are tentatively planning that the timber-framed pavilion will be built August 6 - 15, 2021 in partnership with the Spark-Y youth internship program, under the supervision of project manager and expert timber-framer, Clark Bremer. This was a project that came out of the Neighborhood Priority planning process, but had to be postponed last year. Please let us know what you think of the design by attending the 4/21/21 meeting or email feedback to admin@loganparkneighborhood.org The pavilion would serve as a picnic shelter as well as a performance stage for music and other performances in the park. We are working to secure additional funding to complete this project. We need volunteers to help with the construction that week, please let us know if you're interested in volunteering.



#### Logan Park Rain Garden Program

The Logan Park Neighborhood Association will partner again with the nonprofit Metro Blooms to assist our residents who would like to install a raingarden. Logan Park Neighborhood Raingarden Program 2021 will include up to a total of 13 raingarden installations. 8 properties in the neighborhood will be able to participate via the traditional in-ground raingarden. New for 2021, 5 properties or rental units will be able to participate utilizing container planters for placement at their residence. In-ground participants will receive an onsite or virtual consultation and raingarden design from Metro Blooms. Participants pay \$50 for an individual consultation and the cost of plants. The participant will receive a raingarden design and installation for approximately \$300-\$460, depending on size. Metro Blooms will work with the Conservation Corps of MN and a local group to excavate the raingardens, haul away extra soil, if preferred, and install mulch for each specific design.

Container planters will have an online template to select plants for a 2 square foot area, Metro Blooms will assist with any questions. The total cost for plants and containers paid by participants will be \$25. Container gardens will be prepared and ready for pickup at Logan Park. Participants will be responsible for in-ground planting. Container planters can be delivered and placed if there is a need.

LPNA is covering a portion of the cost of the consultation, as well as the design of the new plantings, containers, and installation oversight. This a great opportunity for you to install a raingarden on your property or place of residence at a very low cost to you while making a very tangible contribution to our environment!

Logan Park will be holding a lottery for the 13 slots in the program. Email admin@loganparkneighborhood.org to have your name put in the lottery. Winners will be drawn at the LPNA Annual Meeting, May 19th, 2021.

# **Logan Park Neighborhood Association**

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Earth Day Clean Up with Dangerous Man Brewing Sheridan & Logan Neighborhoods

Saturday, April 24th, 10am - 12pm Meet at Sheridan Memorial Park (1300 Water St NE)

We are teaming up with Dangerous Man Brewing this year for an Earth Day Neighborhood Cleanup! Please make sure you sign up before arrival. You will check-in and receive a map of the area you and your group will be cleaning and then grab your tools and head out. We will have trash grabbers, gloves, and garbage bags available, as well as plenty of disinfectant spray and wipes. Mask up!

Sign up at: signupschedule.com/dangerousman.

## **Spring Into Home Improvements**

Spring is right around the corner, and there has never been a better time to get started on your home improvement projects! Logan Park Neighborhood has partnered with the local nonprofit Center for Energy and

Environment (CEE) to offer financing to help homeowners make improvements to their homes.

#### CEE offers:

- Fixed low rates, which means your monthly payments will be affordable
- Variety of programs and terms
- Helpful staff that take you from start-to-finish

Visit https://www.mncee.org/ or call 612.335.5884 for more info.



# **Community Education Spring Classes**

This spring Minneapolis Community Education has 350+ virtual and in-person enrichment classes for community connection, growth and learning. With diverse online programs curated for youth, adults, families, people ages 55+, and adults with developmental disabilities, we have something for everyone. You can register at mplscommunityed.com.

Some special online classes being offered by Edison/Northeast/Waite Park Community Ed include:

- --Climate Change Series: Tuesday evenings starting April 13, \$19
- -- Travelogue: Greece: Tuesday afternoon, April 27, FREE or \$5
- --Microsoft Power Point 101: Tuesday afternoon, May 18, FREE or \$5
- -- Creative Writing, Developing a Habit: Thursday evenings, April 15-May 20, \$55 (sliding scale)
- --Real Estate Trends in Minneapolis: Thursday, May 6, \$19 (sliding scale)
- --Ballet 1 & Ballet 2: Wednesday evenings, April 14-May 19, \$45
- --Drivers Education for Highschoolers: Mon-Fri, May 17-28, 3:45-6:45pm, \$125 For questions or help with registration, please call 612.668.1306 or email Liz Kuncel at Elizabeth.Kuncel@mpls.k12.mn.us

**Parks for All** is a new draft comprehensive plan that will set Minneapolis Park and Recreation Board (MPRB) priorities and policy direction for the next decade. A series of Community Virtual Open Houses is

planned for anyone to get up to speed on the project, provide feedback on the draft plan, and ask staff questions. Open house dates:

Monday, April 26, 5-6 pm Tuesday, May 18, 5-6 pm Thursday, June 24, 5-6 pm

Minneapolis community members, park users, MPRB staff and partners are encouraged to review the plan and send feedback. Your input



is welcome whether you have been deeply involved in the planning process over the past two years or if you are hearing about this for the first time!

Following the public comment period, the draft plan will be revised based on public input and presented to MPRB Commissioners for review and approval. Share the Parks for All draft plan with your friends, family, neighbors or other networks using minneapolisparks.org/parksforalldraft or bit.ly/MPRBCompPlan.

## \$15 online workshops: Creating resilient yards

Ready to spend more time in your yard? Do you want to improve it but don't know where to start? Learn with experts to plan and create beautiful, functional spaces that also protect the local ecosystem whether you want a raingarden and native prairie, or a low-maintenance lawn that also helps pollinators.

This spring, webinars feature experts in landscape design, pollinator habitat, soil health, native plants and yard maintenance. Presentations are followed by a Q&A, discussions in small groups, or one on one with a Blue Thumb landscape designer and UMN Extension Master Gardener volunteer – Hennepin County.

Scholarships are available on request. Space is limited. For more information and to register, go to bluethumb.org/events or call 651-699-2426.



#### **Los Campeones Gym 1324 Quincy Street**

Los Campeones Gym applied for a variance to operate outdoors, using the patio space under the solar array. Per the recommendation of City Staff, the Zoning Board of Adjustment denied the variance request. The owner of the gym filed an appeal. The appeal was denied by the City Council Business, Inspections, Zoning and Housing Committee.

Questions about the project can be directed to the City of Minneapolis Senior Planner- Andrew.Liska@minneapolismn.gov.



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#### Logan Park Walking Club

Meets on Mondays Logan Park Recreation Center 690 13th Ave NE 5pm

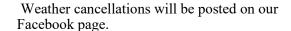
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# **Logan Park Walking Club**

Ready to get outside and meet your neighbors safely? Join the Logan Park

Walking Club! Every Monday starting March 1st, meet at the Logan Park Recreation Center front door (13th Ave) at 5pm. Those who attend will help decide the route each week. Logan Park masks are available for the first 20 participants.





# Upcoming LPNA Virtual Meetings LPNA April Board Meeting

Wednesday April 7th, 2021 | 7pm Zoom Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84453249777 Dial in 312 626 6799 Meeting ID: 844 5324 9777 Passcode: 812887

### **LPNA Priorities Committee Meeting**

Tuesday April 20th, 2021 | 7pm Zoom Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84453249777 Dial in 312 626 6799 Meeting ID: 844 5324 9777 Passcode: 812887

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