



— LOGAN LEDGER —

June 2021 Issue

No General Meeting in June

Next LPNA General Meeting : Wednesday July 21st, 7pm
Be sure to check out the other LPNA events in June!

Logan Park Neighborhood Clean Up June 19th, 10am - Noon Meeting at Logan Park Recreation Center

The Logan Park Walking Club has transitioned to a monthly walking clean up of the Logan Park Neighborhood. Meet your neighbors at Logan Park Recreation Center on Saturday June 19th to clean up the neighborhood.

Glove and supplies will be provided.

LPNA Mural Visioning Walk on June 13th, 1pm

Logan Park Neighborhood Association (LPNA), Beltrami Neighborhood Council (BNC), Northeast Park Neighborhood Association (NEPNA) has selected Creatives After Curfew to paint murals on the buildings in Logan Park, Beltrami Park, and Northeast Park this year!



The artists want to kick off the project and meet with neighbors to get ideas for the mural designs through a special "Mural Visioning Walk" on Sunday, June 13th. Meet outside the Logan Park Recreation Center at 1 pm and walk with your neighbors to each mural location. There will be activities and prizes along the way! Meet the artists, share your ideas, and see the planned mural sites.

Schedule for June 13 (if you prefer to drive, bike, or skip the walk)

- 1:00 pm: Logan Park
- 1:30 pm: Beltrami Park
- 2:00 pm: Northeast Park

Logan Park Shelter Committee Updates

A group of 15 Logan Park Neighborhood residents and members of neighborhood religious and service group organizations have formed the Logan Park Neighborhood Shelter Initiative. They are exploring the topic of homelessness in the city and more specifically in connection to the neighborhood. The controversial tent encampment in Logan Park last summer was very public and local, but the group is looking at a longer and embedded history of homelessness that has long been in the neighborhood.

Members of the group include people who have had personal ties to the complicated issue, and several have previously been or currently are involved with aiding and advocating for people in need of shelter. The lack of deeply affordable housing and the barriers to accessing help is an ongoing discussion. The group is studying material from interviews, news sources, books, podcasts, Park, County, and City notes, and is reaching out to people who work with organizations currently providing services to the homeless. The group plans to meet 4 more times over the summer, gaining a deeper understanding of this national crisis on the neighborhood level, and be able to offer some tangible ways Logan Park Neighborhood could be involved in assistance. The urban design consultants Asakura Robinson have been hired to help guide meetings and communication. Questions and input can be directed to shelterinitiative@loganparkneighborhood.org.

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Temporary discount on monthly broadband bills

To help families and households afford internet service during the COVID-19 pandemic, the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) program is temporarily discounting monthly broadband bills for qualifying households. This new benefit will connect eligible households to jobs, critical healthcare services, virtual classrooms and everything we need the internet for.

If your household is eligible, you can receive:

- Up to a \$50/month discount on your broadband service and associated equipment rentals.
- A one-time discount of up to \$100 for a laptop, tablet or desktop computer (with a co-payment of more than \$10 but less than \$50).

Apply now for the Federal Communications Commission Emergency Broadband Benefit Program. The program will end when the fund runs out of money or six months after the Department of Health and Human Services declares an end to the COVID-19 health emergency, whichever is sooner. getemergencybroadband.org

Meditate and Explore Zen with Your Neighbors—currently via Zoom

Compassionate Ocean Zen Center, located at 17th and Jefferson NE, is a Zen Buddhist practice community focused on the central activity of awakening. All are welcome to join our classes, meditations, and gatherings.

Weekday Morning Open Meditations: Zazen (sitting meditation) followed by morning chants. 7:00–8:00 am, Monday–Friday. No fee.

Visit www.OceanDharma.org for details, including scholarship information. Email Admin@OceanDharma.org to request Zoom meeting information for daily and weekly meditations.

All are welcome!

East Side Neighborhood Services, The Vital Living Team Classes

A Matter of Balance: Managing Concerns about Falls

Wednesdays | June 2–July 28 | 10:00 AM–12:00 PM | Via Zoom

Maintain independence and improve balance! In this award-winning class, participants will learn to view falls as controllable, reduce fall risk at home, set goals for increasing activity, and exercise to improve strength and balance. This nine-week interactive program meets weekly for two hours.

This "virtual" nine-week class will be held via Zoom. If you're not familiar with Zoom, they will help you! There will be a "session 0" where you will meet one another, practice using Zoom, and receive support for any technical challenges on Wednesday, June 2 at 10 AM. Contact 612-787-4086 or VitalLiving@esns.org. Donations accepted based on a cost share.

Caring for the Caregiver Interactive Workshop

Thursday | June 3 | 2:00–3:00 PM Via Zoom

Join the artists of Stuart Pimsler Dance Theater for a virtual workshop, designed for caregivers of all kinds. Participants will explore ways to express feelings associated with the daily work of caregiving through the integration of movement, stories and memories.

There is no fee to participate in this workshop and no prior movement experience is required. Be prepared to write, draw, and move during this interactive workshop. **Pre-registration is required.**

To register, contact Liz at LFlavin@esns.org or 612-787-4076.

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: 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 minneapolisparcs.org/parksforalldraft or bit.ly/MPRBCompPlan.

More “20 is Plenty” speed limit yard signs available

Speed limits in Minneapolis and Saint Paul are 20 miles per hour citywide unless otherwise posted. Slower speeds on local streets make travel safer for everyone no matter how you get around. Speeding was involved in about 75% of fatal crashes in Minneapolis last year; please slow down to save lives.

To help get out the word about the new speed limits and the importance of slower speeds for safety, the City again has yard signs available for community members.

You can pick up your “20 is Plenty” yard sign at Washington St. NE, outside the fence at Jefferson Street and 18th Avenue.

Learn more about the new speed limits *at* www.minneapolismn.gov/government/programs-initiatives/visionzero/speed-limit



Summer Scholars: Explore. Create. Connect.

Explore more this summer through an innovative, immersive summer experience that challenges your student to explore a world of possibilities both in and out of the classroom. It’s a place where learners forge their own paths, dream up new ideas, and find meaning in everything they create. All while discovering endless ways to connect with friends and their interests.

Your student is a scholar. And at MPS they can explore, create and connect all summer long. Summer Scholars is free and open to all students in grades PreK-8, with both in-person and virtual options depending on a student’s grade. Many programs are also available to students who live in Minneapolis but do not attend an MPS school. Learn more at SummerScholarsMPS.org.



How to Report a Noise Complaint

See below for times and conditions that certain noises are allowed. To report noise outside of these situations, contact 311.

For construction noise

Construction or demolition noise is allowed 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday to Friday. An after-hours work permit is required for any work on Saturday or Sunday. Homeowners do not need an after-hours work permit:

Weekdays from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Weekends from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

For garbage collection noise

Garbage pickup noise is allowed 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. within 500 feet of a residence. Complaints about commercial garbage haulers should be made to Business Licenses & Consumer Services.

For amplified sound or loud music

Outdoor amplified sound that can be heard above conversation from beyond 50 feet likely requires a sound permit at any time. Sound from motor vehicle sound systems or audio systems clearly audible from beyond 50 feet is illegal. To report loud motor vehicles: Call 911
Contact the Crime Prevention Specialist in your precinct

For yard or snow maintenance noise

Use of power lawnmowers, trimmers, saws, leaf blowers or similar tools is allowed from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. Use of snowblowers and snowplows is allowed anytime during an official snow emergency or within 24 hours of a snowfall of 1 inch or more.

source: [.minneapolis.gov/report-an-issue/noise-complaint/](https://www.minneapolis.gov/report-an-issue/noise-complaint/)



Upcoming LPNA Virtual Meetings + Events:

No June General Meeting

- **Mural Visioning Walk** June 13th, 2021 1pm Logan Park
- **LPNA Clean Up** June 19th, 2021 10am - Noon
- **LPNA Board Meeting** July 13th, 2021 7pm
- **MPRB Movie in the Park at Logan Park** August 19th, 2021
Star Wars: Rise of the Skywalker Rated PG-13 Movie starts at dusk

Email admin@loganparkneighborhood.org with questions.