



PROSPECT PARK ASSOCIATION



MEETINGS	Committee Meetings <i>2828 SE University Ave, Suite 200</i>	Community Meetings <i>22 Orlin Ave SE, PPUMC</i>
<p><i>For the most up-to-date list of meetings please check the PPA Calendar. All committee meetings take place at the office (2828 University Avenue SE) unless otherwise noted.</i></p> <p>ABOUT PPA Prospect Park Association is the official neighborhood association for the Prospect Park Area.</p> <p>Donate to PPA Prospect Park Association is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization, and all donations are tax-deductible.</p>	<p>Environment Committee Tuesday, Aug 28, 6:30pm</p> <p>Livability Committee no meeting scheduled</p> <p>N’hood Relations & Outreach Committee <u>Wednesday, Aug 16, 6pm</u></p> <p>Planning and Land Use Committee no meeting scheduled</p> <p>Transportation & Safety Committee <u>Wednesday, Aug 8, 7pm</u> Thursday, Aug 16, 6:30pm (Valhalla)</p>	<p>Community Meeting No meeting in August TBD-Please see calendar</p> <p>PPA Board Meeting No meeting in August TBD-Please see calendar</p> <p><u>Monday, Aug 20th, 7pm</u> Management Council <i>Sets Community & Board Meeting Agendas</i></p>

Dear Friends and Neighbors,

Hi Neighbors,

It's hard to believe that August is upon us! I hope you all have been enjoying time outside with friends, family, and of course your neighbors. Some PPA committees are taking a break in August, but we still have plenty of programming for you this month!

See you around the park,

Jessica

PPA Program Manager

National Night Out

National Night Out is the first Tuesday in August and a time for neighbors to meet neighbors. The Minneapolis Police Department helps organize Block Clubs and celebrations. There are many throughout Prospect Park, so [check the website](#) for any registered events near your residence! (Note--the City of Minneapolis website has not been updated for 2018 as of sending the newsletter, so check back later this week)

Explore Prospect Park Border Walks

Join the PPA Livability Committee for the Explore Prospect Park series! This walking tour series began last year with a walk through the northern part of the neighborhood, and will continue on the dates below. All are welcome, please wear appropriate footwear for a walk. All start at 10:00am and will be rain or shine (barring severe weather).

August 11, 10:00 - St. Paul Border. The scenery is changing rapidly on Prospect Park's border with St. Paul – please join us for what will be a leisurely walk along the boundary. Our guides will be Dick Gilyard, a neighbor who has been influential in some of the new developments in the Towerside area of Prospect Park, and Roger Purdy from the St. Anthony Park neighborhood. We will meet at Chergosky Park (Seymour and Arthur/

Sharon Aves intersection at freeway wall) and end up at Hodges Bend. Please refer to our [facebook page](#) for any weather concerns that day.

Summer Celebration

Please join in at Luxton Community Center for our 4th Annual Community Celebration!

Grab your lawn chair and join the neighborhood at the 4th Annual Community Celebration and Concert on Tuesday, August 14th from 6 to 8 pm. There will be music, free food, community information tables, children's activities, and an opportunity to visit with neighbors. This free event will be held at Luxton Park and is sponsored by Prospect Park Association. Featured performers will be Liam Vance and Dana Barnette from 6 to 6:45 pm, and Inti Samay, who will perform Ecuadorian folk dances and music from 7 to 8 pm. All are welcome!

Board Elections

Do you have a passion for neighborhoods and an interest in civic service? Nominations are now open for the PPA Board of Directors at our annual election on September 24. We're particularly interested in candidates with experience in community organizing, nonprofit operations, fundraising and fiscal management. Help make your neighborhood a better place! The Prospect Park Association is seeking individuals who are willing to serve on the Board of Directors. Any resident of the neighborhood is eligible to run and the election will be held during the Annual Meeting in September 2018. Directors' duties are [available for review here](#). Those interested can express that interest by filling out the [board candidate questionnaire here](#).

August Primaries

This year is a big one for Minnesota elections! Practice your voting skills by participating in the primary elections on Tuesday, August 14th. Find out where to vote, how to register at the polls and more at vote.minneapolis.gov.

SE Seniors

SE Seniors has a lot of news, including information about pen pal programs, Connection Club, and Oral History projects. [You can read their updates here.](#)

Save the Date

Please save Saturday, October 13 from 9 to noon for Prospect Park's annual neighborhood clean sweep. Volunteers work together to pick up metal, wood, tires, and concrete. Volunteers are needed to help do the work, but it is a great way to meet neighbors. Watch for more information in the fall about volunteering and more specifics about what gets picked up.

PPA Documents

Committee Reports/Minutes

Management Council ([June](#))

Neighborhood Relations & Outreach Committee ([June](#))

Livability Committee ([June](#))

PPA Comments to the Minneapolis 2040 Plan ([Comments here](#); [Maps here](#))

Board Minutes: [July 24, 2017](#) [September 25, 2017](#) [October 23, 2017](#) [November 27, 2017](#)
[December 11, 2017](#)

[January 22, 2018](#) [February 26, 2018](#) [March 26, 2018](#) [April 23, 2018](#) [May 21, 2018](#)
[June 25, 2018](#)

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PPA invites and encourages participation by every resident to each program, service and event organized by PPA. Should you require an accommodation in order for you to fully participate, or if you require this document in a different format, please let us know by contacting us at (612-767-6531) at least 5 days before our event.

Donate Today

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