



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>Community Building Project Sub-Committee Monday September 16, 6pm</p> <p>Environment Committee Tuesday, October 22, 6:30pm</p> <p>Finance & Administrative Committee: Community Building Project Sub-Committee Monday, October 7, 4pm</p> <p>N’hood Relations & Outreach Committee Thursday, November 7, 7pm</p> <p>Land Use & Planning Committee Tuesday, October 8, 7pm</p> <p>Transportation & Safety Committee Tuesday, October 15, 7pm</p>	<p>Community Meeting Monday October 28</p> <p>6-6:30pm Social Time 6:30pm - 7:30pm</p> <p>PPA Board Meeting Monday October 28 7:30pm - 8:30pm</p> <p>(Future meeting dates will be Dec. 9 and Jan. 22)</p> <p>Management Council <i>Sets Community & Board Meeting Agendas</i> Monday, October 14, 7pm</p>

Clean Sweep and Litter Be Gone!

8:30am to 12pm, meet at Spire Credit Union

[More details here!!](#)

Prospect Park Association's

Neighborhood Clean Sweep

— Saturday, October 12, 2019 —



We will pick
up these
items only



**Place all eligible items on the curb, in plain
sight, by 8:30am on Saturday, Oct. 12**

Keep each type of trash separate (i.e. one pile of tires, one of concrete, etc.)

Got other trash not included in the categories above?

Call the City's Solid Waste office: 612-673-2917

Larger items, appliances, furniture should be labeled "FOR SOLID WASTE" and placed out by trash bins for regular pick-up

Help us out! Volunteer to collect trash.

call the PPA office 612-767-6531 or email staff@prospectparkmpls.org



[Sign up to volunteer here!](#)

Thank you for attending Neighbor-Fest 2019!

A big THANK YOU to the Profile Event Center for hosting!

And thank you to the community groups who tabled at the event: Luxton Park, East Side Neighborhood Services, Nice Ride MN, Southeast Seniors, Minneapolis Community Education, The Pillars of Prospect Park (Ebenezer), Spire, Glendale Townhomes (MPHA), Minneapolis Police Department 2nd Precinct, Clean Sweep and Litter Be Gone, Friends of the SE Library, and Legends at Berry.

Welcome to new PPA Board Members

2-year Board Positions:

David Frank

Susan Larson-Fleming

Britt Howell

Eric Amel

Bob Roscoe

John Wicks

Becca Cowin

1-year Board Positions:

Amy Kaminsky

Will Watkins

128 neighbors attended the event, and 137 ballots were distributed (including absentee ballots)

Thank you to all the nominees for running this year, and to all the volunteers who made the event so fantastic!

Minneapolis Community Education: Self-Myofascial Techniques for Pain Release

**October 9th, 1:30-2:30pm
Van Cleve Park (901 15th Ave SE)**

Southeast Seniors and Pratt Community Education is sponsoring an event on Wednesday, October 9th at Van Cleve Park from 1:30-2:30 entitled “Self-Myofascial Techniques for Pain Release”. All are welcome to attend. A \$2.00 donation to cover expenses would be appreciated. Please call Judy at Southeast Seniors to register for this event (612) 331-2302. Walk-ins are also welcome.

Southeast Seniors Needs Your Help! Attend the County Budget Hearing

**Thursday, October 17, 1-4pm
Hennepin County Government Center, 24th Floor Board Room
(300 South 6th St., Minneapolis 55487)**

Hennepin County’s proposed 2020 budget eliminates all county funding (\$110,000/year) to the three Living at Home/ Block Nurse programs serving seniors and caregivers in Minneapolis: Southeast Seniors, Nokomis Healthy Seniors and Longfellow/Seward Healthy Seniors. Our community-based programs help over 1,500 seniors and their caregivers remain independent, healthy and safe at home every year, with the help of part-time, professional staff and over 300 neighborhood volunteers. County funding has been essential to our programs for over 20 years.

We need your help!

WHAT: Hennepin County Budget Hearing. Attend to show community support for our programs. Wear a “Save Our Seniors” sign (pick it up outside the hearing room.) Wear a black top so the sign stands out. Listen to clients, volunteers and staff testify in support of funding.

WHEN: Thursday, October 17, 1 P.M. PLEASE ARRIVE BEFORE 1 P.M. TO GET YOUR SIGN AND A SEAT!! The hearing ends at 4 p.m., stay as long as you are able.

Note: Volunteers will greet you outside the 24th floor board room. There is an info desk on the 1st floor of the government center, if you need directions to the hearing.

**Any questions? Call Erica Schmiel with Southeast Seniors:
612-331-2302
erica@seseniors.org**

Call for Homes & Gardens: June, 2020

The planning committee for the Prospect Park Home and Garden Tour welcomes your suggestions for homes and gardens to be included on the Spring 2020 tour.

Last year's home tour, garden walk, and plant sale were featured on the same day with great accolades from the community, so we hope to repeat this in June 2020. This is an opportunity to show off your home, garden, or both and a time to get to know your neighbors. We also welcome suggestions for homes and gardens - we'll do the follow up!

If you are interested in participating, or have any suggestions for homes you would like to see featured, please [use this link to leave information](#).

Tour date will be in mid-late June on a Saturday (date and time to be determined).

For more information, please contact PPA staff:

staff@prospectparkmpls.org

612-767-6531

Help clean up Chergosky Park!

The Prospect Park Garden Club has established the need for some fall clean up at Chergosky Park (201 Seymour Ave SE). We will need to do some raking once the leaves fall!

Date to be determined: Sat. 10/26, 11/2 or 11/9

[If interested, click here to sign up!](#)

Join PPA's Community Building Project Committee!

Next meeting is Monday, October 7, at 4pm at PPA office

We are working to gain a deeper understanding of our community. We want to build equitable relationships and effective connections with ALL residents in the Prospect Park Neighborhood.

Email Nellie for more info or to get involved.

nellie@prospectparkmpls.org

Upcoming PPA Community & Board Meetings

Monday, October 28, 2019

at [Prospect United Methodist Church, 22 SE Orlin Ave](#)

[Neighborhoods 101: PPA orientation for the board and community. Q and A with panel members to be announced.](#) All community members welcome!

6-6:30 pm: Social time

6:30-7:30 pm: Community Meeting

7:30-8:30 pm PPA Board Meeting

PPA Community and Board Meeting Agendas will be available at least 5 days before the meeting, published in a short email newsletter and on the [PPA website calendar](#).

Approved PPA Meeting Minutes

Committee Reports/Minutes approved at the June 24th Board meeting:

Land Use Committee - [June](#) and [July](#) 2019

Environment Committee - [July 2019](#)

Community Meeting - [July 2019](#)

Board Meeting - [July 2019](#)

Board Meeting: Vermillion Resolution (Land Use) - [July 2019](#)

Nomination and Outreach - [August 2019](#)

OTHER COMMUNITY NEWS

Twin Cities News and Events

Weisman Art Museum *Habitability Project*: Public Conversation

Friday, October 4, 7 – 10 pm. What would it take to create an environment we all would want to inhabit? What forms of knowledge would we combine to start answering this question? [Click here to learn more!](#)

Theater of Public Policy Performance – History!: Saturday, October 5, 6:30 – 8:30 pm (program begins at 7 pm). The MWMO will be pleased to host a performance of the Theater of Public Policy focusing on history and water quality in the Mississippi River before and after the Clean Water Act. Mississippi Watershed Management Organization, 2522 Marshall St. NE. This event, part of a series of performances focused on Mississippi River history, is put on in partnership with the Mill City Museum, Mississippi Park Connection, the National Park Service and the St Anthony Falls Heritage Board. The event is free, but registration is required. To register: [click here](#).

Eloise Butler Wildflower Garden and Bird Sanctuary Programs: Garden Storytime, Wednesdays & Saturdays* through October 26, 10:30-11 am, All ages, Free. Full Hunter's Moon Hike, Saturday October 12, 6:30-7:30 pm. New Moon Creatures of the

Night Hike, Saturday September 28, 7-8 pm, and Saturday October 26, 6-7 pm, \$5/ person; ages 12 and under are free.

U of M Neighborhoods Coffee Time: Have a cup of coffee with neighborhood folks, and UMN faculty & staff. Wednesdays, 9-10:30am. For more info, contact Merrie at the U of M Office for Public Engagement: benas021@umn.edu

1st Wednesday of the month: Hard Times Cafe (1821 Riverside Ave.)

2nd Wed: Black Coffee & Waffle (1500 Como Ave)

3rd Wed: Seward Co-op Creamery Cafe (2601 Franklin Ave.)

4th Wed: Cafe Alma (528 University Ave)

Cam Gordon Ward 2 Update:

The e-update ([click here](#)) can be found online.

River-Friendly Landscaping Tips and Resources: As rain barrels, composting, native plants, raingardens, and other eco-friendly landscaping practices have grown in popularity, so have the number of websites offering information on them. In fact, there are now so many online resources it can be difficult to wade through them all to find what you need, when you need it. This is where the Friends of the Mississippi River's web page comes in. This resource offers selective listings of the most-requested local and practical resources, in as brief a fashion as possible. [Click here!](#)

2019 Cine Latino Film Festival

November 1-7, 2019

Cine Latino, the region's only showcase of Latin American and Ibero cinema, features a rich tapestry of narrative and documentary films from across the globe from some of the world's most acclaimed and up-and-coming Spanish- and Portuguese-language filmmakers. Cine Latino is enriched by the presence of visiting filmmakers and community events, featuring Ibero and Latin food and music. MSP Film Society developed Cine Latino in response to demand from the growing Spanish-speaking populations in Minnesota, and curates the annual series of films from countries with rich filmmaking histories and cutting-edge film industries in collaboration with Argentinian guest artistic director Hebe Tabachnik. [Click here for more info.](#)

FamilyWise Fall Fundraiser

Monday, October 14
5:30 - 7:30 pm

Surly Brewing Co.
520 Malcolm Ave SE
Minneapolis, MN 55414

- Free to attend with great food including beer cheese fondue and live music. Cash bar.
- Live and silent auctions with great items to bid on!
- Learn about FamilyWise and our work with local families.

Parenting through poverty is about much more than poverty. Lower-income parents face stress from under-employment, unstable housing, and less access to healthy foods. Due to these challenges, their kids have higher rates of asthma, lower graduation rates, and are more likely to live in poverty as adults. Give families the tools they need to disrupt these cycles.

[Click here for more info and to register.](#)

Volunteer with the MN Literacy Council



No experience needed! Training provided.

2-3 hours per week working with k-12 or adult learners in the neighborhood.

visit mnliteracy.org/volunteers email volunteer@mnliteracy.org

call 651-645-2277

Dinkytown Farmer's Market



Wednesdays, 4-7pm

June - October, 2019

601 13th Ave SE, Minneapolis, MN 55414-1437

Our mailing address is:

Prospect Park Association
2828 University Ave SE, Suite 200
Minneapolis, MN 55414, USA

Contact us: staff@prospectparkmpls.org 612-767-6531

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.

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