



LIVEABLE NEIGHBORHOODS

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

DECEMBER 2010



Liveable Neighborhood's Neighborhood News

Your neighborhood group information can be placed here.

If you would like newsletters made, contact our office at
(913) 573-8737 or email us at vmLiveableNeighbor@wycokck.org.



Congratulations to the winners of Mayor's Downtown Holiday Lighting Neighborhood Tree Decorating Contest

Grand prize - Turner Neighborhoods

1st Place - Cathedral Neighborhood

2nd Place - Oak Grove Neighborhood

3rd Place - Pomeroy Neighborhood

Congratulations to all of the groups who participated for their hard work and creativity. All of the trees are beautiful and can be viewed at City Hall Monday through Friday 8:00am to 5:00pm until December 30th.

Look for more information about all of the trees at www.wycokck.org under Liveable neighborhoods.

Communities In Schools Needs Volunteers for Reality U Project

The program consists of students answering a 10 question survey on where they want to be by age 26 and looking at their current grade point average (GPA). The students are then "given a life" and are challenged to live out that life through visiting a series of booths (manned by volunteers) based on life necessities such as: child care, the supermarket, car dealers, real estate, medical insurance, ect. As they go along they are met with many challenge and they are forced to make decision based on those challenges. The activities encourage students to make different choices and think about where they are academically. It is a true reality check.

If you are interested in volunteering for the Harmon December 10th program, please contact Dola Williams at (913) 627-4352 or dwilliams@ciskck.org.





December Calendar of Events

11/20/2010 - 12/24/2010

A Legendary Holiday Light Show

Legends Outlets Kansas City 1843 Village West Parkway
913-788-3700 or www.legendsshopping.com

Free

Every Saturday between Thanksgiving and Christmas, the Legends becomes a winter wonderland during the holiday season as two holiday trees feature a spectacular lighting display that is synchronized to music.

12/17/2010

Adventures In Learning (Shepherd's Center)

First Baptist Church 29th and Minnesota
913-281-8908 or www.shepherdscenterkck.org
8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Call for a lunch reservation. Join us for adventures in learning. Meet a friend, make a friend.

12/10/2010 - 12/11/2010

Celebration of the Choirs

Imago Dei Arts Center
1015 Minnesota Avenue
913-233-0266 or www.imagodeiarts.org

7pm

Imago Dei Arts Center features the Celebration of the Choirs.

12/10/2010

KCK Second Friday Art Walk

Downtown KCK (multiple venues)

625 Minnesota Avenue
913-371-0024 or www.kckartsnetwork.com

5:00 pm- 8:00 pm Free

A celebration of art, art spaces and art lovers in downtown Kansas City, Kansas. Several galleries will be included in the artwalk.

01/06/2011

Job Hunting and Job Loss Survival

Turner Community Library

831 South 55th Street

913-596-1404

6:00pm to 7:00pm, Free

This computer class covers online resources for the unemployed, job searching online, interview tips and ways to improve your chances of getting hired. Please call to register.

01/11/2011

Personal Financial Organization

West Wyandotte Library

1737 North 82nd Street

(913) 596-5800

7:00pm to 8:00pm, Free

Learn some easy tips to get your finances organized.

Find more event information at www.visitthedot.com

Liveable Neighborhoods Meeting

Due to the Thanksgiving and Christmas Holiday there will not be another Liveable Neighborhoods meeting until Thursday January 27, 2011.



Remember: Unified Government Offices will be closed.

December 23rd (furlough), 24th (holiday) and 31st (holiday).

Good Neighbor Guide

Here are a few examples of common Code Enforcement Violation. Be a good neighbor and make sure you are in compliance.

- **All garbage, trash, dead trees and debris** must be removed from your property. Garbage or trash cannot be set on the curb for pickup before 4:00 p.m. on the day before your scheduled collection day. You cannot leave trash on the curb after the day of collection.
- **Address must be posted on house** – All residential property should have an address posted on the house with 3 inch numbers. If you are purchasing new house numbers the new ordinance requires 4 inch numbers.
- **Vehicles** that are not licensed and cannot move under its own power, cannot be parked on residential property. You cannot park vehicles in your yard unless it is paved with cement, black top or existing gravel. You cannot park tow trucks, dump trucks, semi-tractors and trailers, back hoes, high loaders, or other heavy dirt moving equipment in a residential area.

Important Phone Numbers

City questions and complaints	311
Police Non-Emergency	(913) 596-3000
Liveable Neighborhoods	(913) 573-8737
Community Policing	(913) 573-8720
Code Enforcement	(913) 573-8600
Animal Control	(913) 321-1445
BPU	(913) 573-9000
Deffenbaugh	(913) 631-3300
Potholes	(913) 573-8307
Dispute Resolution	(913) 573-5225