



UNIFIED GOVERNMENT



MARCH 2013

# Liveable Neighborhoods Neighborhood News

The Liveable Neighborhoods monthly meetings are held on the fourth Thursday of the month. The next meeting will be:

Thursday March 28, 2013

8:30 a.m.

Unified Government Neighborhood Resource Center  
4601 State Ave. KCKS (Lower Level)



Joe Info...Good Neighbor Training  
9:00am to 11:00am at  
To RSVP call  
(913) 573-8737 or email us at:  
vmliveableneighbor@wycokck.org

## Good Neighbor Training

“Know Yourself.....Know Your Community ”

**Mar. 26, 2013:** Code Enforcement, Demolition and Abatement, and Operation Brightside to be held at the United Way 434 Minnesota Ave.

**April 23, 2013:** U.G. Business License, Rental Licensing, Health Dept. and Animal Control, and to be held at Trinity Community Church 5010 Parallel.

Police Department

Neighborhood Meet and Greet

Schedule

### Midtown Patrol Division

Date and Location yet to be determined.

### South Patrol Division

Date and location yet to be determined.

### West Patrol Division

Wednesday, March 6<sup>th</sup>, 2013 at  
6:30pm FOP Hall, 7844 Leavenworth  
Road

### East Patrol Division

Wednesday, March 13<sup>th</sup>, 2013 at  
7:00pm [Donnelly College, 608 N 18th]

Any questions contact:

Community Policing at 573-8720.

## Kansas City, Kansas Chamber of Commerce Candidate Forums

Community Candidate Forum for the General election on March 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> at the Community College Performing Arts Center from 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Each evening will be for the contested races for Unified Government Mayor/CEO, Commissioners; KCK Public School Board; KCK Community College Board; and BPU.

## March Calendar of Events

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**FREE Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Program**  
2220 Central Ave. Thursday 5pm -9pm Saturday 9am-3pm  
If you earned less than \$50,000 in 2012 and do not own rental property, you may qualify for free tax preparation. Clients are served on a first come first serve basis. You must bring all of the following documents: W-2, 1099's, 1098's ect. social security card or ITIN cards for you and all of your dependants and a picture ID. It's preferable that you also bring your 2011 tax return with you. If you would like to claim the homestead credit, you will need to bring your landlords information (name address and phone number).



### Armourdale Renewal Assoc.

IRISH BUSINESS LUNCHEON INVITATION

MARCH 8, 2013 12:00-1:30 PM

ARMOURDALE RECREATION CENTER

730 OSAGE AVENUE

### Get Growing KC—Spring 2013 Workshops

Registration information and complete class descriptions are online at [www.getgrowingkc.org](http://www.getgrowingkc.org)

#### March 11 - Water:

#### Cause it Sure Ain't Been Rainin!

Rosedale Development Assoc. 1403 SW Blvd. KCK

#### March 25 - How to Sell at Farmer's Market

Urban Impact Center 1028 Paseo K C Mo.

#### April 8 - Composting 101

Ivanhoe Neighborhood Center 3700 Woodland KC Mo.

### Mayor's State of the Government Address

Tuesday, March 12, 2013

12:00 Noon Jack Reardon Civic Center

Neighborhood Group President's are invited as guests,

For additional tickets to the luncheon contact

Gwendolyn Thomas at 573-5010 no later than March 11th

### Fairfax Industrial Assoc. March Luncheon

March 14th 11:30 a.m.

Central Solutions, 401 Funston KCKS 66115

Speaker: Mayor Joe Reardon

### Neighborhood Crime Prevention Patrol Annual Meeting

Friday, March 22, 2013 6:00 p.m.

Cross-Lines in Argentine Call Paul Soptick for more info

## Regional Prevention Center



### RPC - Tip of the Month

#### What is Drug Addiction?

Drug addiction is a complex brain disease. It is characterized by compulsive, at times uncontrollable, drug craving, seeking and use that persist even in the face of extremely negative consequences.

★ Experts in the field say that the closest feeling for a Non drug user to experience what a person that is addicted feels is Starvation.

For more information: NIDA Reference:

<http://www.drugabuse.gov/>

Information provided by: Wyandotte/Leavenworth

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### U.G.—Hollywood Casino Grant Fund Session

The Unified Government-Hollywood Casino Grant Fund will be holding the second and final grant information session on Wednesday, March 6<sup>th</sup>, 1:00 p.m. at Donnelly College, 608 North 18<sup>th</sup> Street, Kansas City, KS. This session was originally scheduled for February 22, 2013. The grant information session is not mandatory and no RSVP is required.

The grant process will be administered through the Greater Kansas City Community Foundation. For more information please contact Mayra Aguirre, [maguirre@gkccf.org](mailto:maguirre@gkccf.org), 816-627-3426. The grant application can be viewed at:

<http://www.gkccf.org/grant/unified-government-hollywood-casino-grant-fund>

### Kansas City Kansas/Wyandotte County

#### 2013 Large Event Schedule

April 19 Spring Race - Kansas Speedway

June 28-29 Kanrocksas Concert - Kansas Speedway

July 31 Soccer All Star Game - Sporting Kansas City Stadium

July 31 T-Bones Game - Community America Stadium

August 16 Grand Am Race - Kansas Speedway

September 22 Bikers for Babies - Kansas Speedway

October 4-6 Fall Race - Kansas Speedway



## General Election

### April 2, 2013